

Melody A Day Weekly Assignments  
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WEEK 1							
Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee	Romantic	G major	4/4	e, q, dq, h*	No	No	No
My Country 'Tis of Thee	Patriotic	Eb major	3/4	e, q, dq, dh	No	No	No
O Come, O Come Emmanuel	Christmas	E minor	4/4	q, dh, w	No	No	No
She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain	Children's	G major	2/2	q, h, w	No	No	Yes
Home on the Range	Children's	G major	3/4	e, q, dq, h, dh	No	No	Yes
WEEK 2							
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Old MacDonald	Children's	Ab major	2/2	e, q, h, dh, w	No	No	No
This Old Man	Children's	D major	2/2	e, q, h	No	No	No
Aura Lee	Folk	G major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, w, r	No	No	No
Immortal, Invisible, God Only Wise	Hymns	G major	3/4	q, h	No	No	No
O Sacred Head, Now Wounded	Hymns	A minor	4/4	e, q, h, dh	No	No	No
WEEK 3							
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We Gather Together	Hymns	D major	3/4	e, q, dq, h	No	No	No
America, the Beautiful	Patriotic	Bb major	4/4	e, q, dq, dh	Yes	No	No
Skip to My Lou	Children's	Eb major	2/4	s, e, q	No	No	No
Yankee Doodle	Children's	G major	2/4	e, de, q	No	No	No
Angles We Have Heard on High	Christmas	F major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, w, r	No	No	No
WEEK 4							
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On Eagle's Wings	Hymns	D major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, w	No	No	Yes
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty	Hymns	F major	3/4	e, q, dq, dh	No	No	No
Away in a Manger	Christmas	F# major	3/4	e, q, dq, h	No	No	No
The First Noel	Christmas	D major	3/4	e, q, dq, h, dh	No	No	No
Polly-Wolly-Doodle	Folk	C major	2/2	e, q, dh	No	No	No
WEEK 5							
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And Can It Be That I Should Gain	Hymns	G major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, w	No	Yes	No
Come, Ye Thankful People, Come	Hymns	F major	4/4	e, q, dq, h	Yes	No	No
The Star-Spangled Banner	Patriotic	A major	3/4	s, e, de, q, h,	Yes	No	No
Hark! The Herald Angels Sing	Christmas	F major	4/4	e, q, dq, h	No	No	No
O Come All Ye Faithful	Christmas	A major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh	No	No	No

\* t = 32<sup>nd</sup>, s = 16<sup>th</sup>, e = 8<sup>th</sup>, de = dotted 8<sup>th</sup>, q = quarter, dq = dotted quarter, h = half, dh = dotted half, w = whole, tr = triplet, r = rests

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Mickey Mouse March	Disney	F major	6/8	e, q, dq, dh, r	No	No	Yes
A Mighty Fortress Is Our God	Hymns	C major	4/4	e, q, dh	Yes	No	No
The King of Love My Shepherd Is	Hymns	D major	3/4	e, q, h, dh, trip	No	No	No
Brahms's Lullaby	Patriotic	Eb major	3/4	e, q, dq, h, r	No	No	Yes
Infant Holy, Infant Lowly	Christmas	Gb major	3/4	e, q, h	No	No	No
WEEK 7							
Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
O Little Town of Bethlehem	Christmas	F major	4/4	e, q, h, dh	Yes	No	No
It's a Small World	Disney	G major	2/2	q, h, dh, w, r	No	No	Yes
Turkey in the Straw	Folk	F major	4/4	e, q, h, r	No	Yes	No
All Creatures of Our Good and King	Hymns	Eb major	3/2	q, h, w, dq	No	No	No
Guide Me, O Thou Great Jehovah	Hymns	A major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, w	No	No	No
WEEK 8							
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Deck the Halls	Christmas	F major	4/4	s, e, de, q	Yes	No	No
Lo, How a Rose E'er Blooming	Christmas	F major	2/2	q, h, w	No	Yes	Yes
Christ the Lord Is Risen Today	Christmas	C major	4/4	e, q, h	No	No	No
This is My Father's World	Hymns	Db major	4/4	e, q, dh	No	No	No
You're a Grand Old Flag	Patriotic	F major	2/4	e, q, dq, h,	Yes	Yes	Yes
WEEK 9							
Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
Carry Me Back to Old Virginny	Folk	F major	2/2	e, q, dq, h, dh, w	No	Yes	No
Michael Row the Boat Ashore	Folk	Db major	2/4	s, e, de, q, h	No	No	No
Crown Him with Many Crowns	Hymns	Eb major	4/4	e, q, dh, w	Yes	No	No
Rejoice, Ye Pure in Heart	Hymns	F major	4/4	e, q, dh	Yes	No	No
It Came Upon a Midnight Clear	Christmas	Bb major	6/8	e, q, dq	Yes	No	Yes
WEEK 10							
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O My Darlin' Clementine	Folk	F major	3/4	s, e, de, q, h	No	No	No
Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us	Hymns	D major	4/4	e, q, h, dh, r	No	Yes	No
This is the Day	Hymns	Eb major	4/4	e, q, h, w	No	Yes	No
Jingle Bells	Christmas	Eb major	2/4	s, e, de, q, dq, h	No	No	No
Joy to the World	Christmas	D major	4/4	s, e, de, q, dq, h	No	Yes	Yes

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**WEEK 11**

Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
When Johnny Comes Marching Home	Folk	A minor	6/8	s, e, q, dq	No	No	Yes
How Great Thou Art	Hymns	Bb major	4/4	s, e, de, q, dq, h	No	No	Yes
Sent Forth by God's Blessing	Hymns	G major	3/4	e, q, h	Yes	No	No
Brian's Song	Movies	G major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, w	Yes	No	No
Go, Tell It on the Mountain	Christmas	G major	2/2	s, e, de, q, dq, h, w	No	No	No

**WEEK 12**

Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
What Child Is This	Christmas	E minor	6/8	s, e, de, q, dq	Yes	No	No
Battle Hymn of the Republic	Patriotic	G major	4/4	s, e, de, q, h, dh, r	No	No	No
The Yankee Doodle Boy	Patriotic	Bb major	2/4	e, q, dq, h, r	Yes	Yes	Yes
Meet the Flintstones	Television	F major	4/4	e, q, h, dh, w, r	No	Yes	Yes
Give My Regards to Broadway	Broadway	F major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, w	Yes	Yes	Yes

**WEEK 13**

Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
Sunrise, Sunset	Broadway	G minor	3/4	e, q, h, dh, r	Yes	Yes	Yes
Moon River	Movies	C major	3/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, r	No	Yes	Yes
Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean	Patriotic	Ab major	4/4	s, e de, q, h, ah, r	Yes	Yes	No
Bridal Chorus	Romantic	G major	2/4	s, e, de, q, dq, h,	Yes	No	No
Hogan's Heroes March	Television	F major	2/2	e, q, dq, h, w, r	Yes	Yes	Yes

**WEEK 14**

Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
Chestnuts Roasting on an Open Fire	Christmas	Eb major	4/4	s, e, q, dq, h, dh, w	Yes	Yes	Yes
Beethoven Sonatina in G major	Classical	G major	4/4	e, q, h, w, r, g	No	No	No
Love Story Theme	Movies	G minor	4/4	e, q, h, dh, w, r	Yes	Yes	Yes
Raider's March	Movies	G major	2/2	e, q, dq, h, dh, w, r	No	Yes	Yes
Star Wars Main Theme	Movies	G major	4/4	e, q, dq, h, dh, tr, r	Yes	Yes	No

**WEEK 15**

Composition	Section	Key	Meter	Rhythms	Chromaticism	Syncopation	Ties
Bach Gavotte I (from English Suite No. 3)	Baroque	G minor	2/2	e, q, h, w	Yes	No	Yes
Bach Invention No. 1 in C major	Baroque	C major	4/4	t, s, e, de, h, r	Yes	No	No
Bach Invention No. 13 in A minor	Baroque	A minor	4/4	s, e, h, r	Yes	Yes	Yes
Speak Softly Love	Movies	C minor	4/4	e, q, h, r	Yes	No	Yes
The Toy Parade	Television	F major	6/8	e, q, dq, r	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mr. Ed	Television	C major	6/8	e, q, dq, dh, r	Yes	No	Yes