13. Music/ sound recording

Note

- It is not necessary to specify how you listened to a music recording, e.g. streaming on Spotify, iTunes, Naxos; on CD). Choose either album or single track as appropriate.
- Include URL if it is the only way to access the recording.

13.1 Album

Format and order

- Composer(s)/ artist(s)/ group(s) (family name, comma followed by initials, with full stop and space after each initial OR group, followed by full stop)
- (Year of publication). (in round brackets, followed by full stop)
- Title (in italics)
- [Album] (in square brackets, followed by full stop) or [Album recorded by]
 (insert artist/ musician if different from above: initials, followed by family name, with full stop after initial, or group, in square brackets, followed by full stop)
- Label. (followed by full stop)
- URL (if appropriate)

In-text citation

Beyonce's debut album *Dangerously in Love* (2003) stormed the charts.

In the recording of Mozart's Violin concertos (2006)...

Reference list

Beyonce. (2003). Dangerously in love [Album]. Columbia Records.

Mozart, W. A. (2006). Violin concertos [Album recorded by L. Kavakos]. Sony.

13.2 Single track

Note

If referencing a track that is not specifically a song, use appropriate description.

Format and order:

- Composer(s)/ artist(s)/ group(s) (family name, comma followed by initials, with full stop and space after each initial OR group, followed by full stop)
- (Year of publication). (in round brackets, followed by full stop)
- Title of the song
- [Song]. (in square brackets, followed by full stop) or [Song recorded by].
 (insert artist/ musician if different from above: initials, followed by family name, with full stop and space after initial, or group, in square brackets, followed by full stop)
- On
- Title of album (in italics, followed by full stop)
- Label. (followed by full stop)
- URL (if online)

In-text citation

In Dylan's Blowin' in the wind... (1989, track 1).

When watching the film, the music from Pharrell Williams (2014) creates an atmosphere...

Reference list

Dylan, B. (1989). Blowin' in the wind [Song]. On *The freewheelin' Bob Dylan*. Sony. Williams, P. (2014). *Happy* [Song]. Columbia Records.

13.3 Live performances

Format and order

- Composer(s)/ artist(s)/ group(s) (family name, comma followed by initials, with full stop and space after each initial OR group, followed by full stop)
- (Year of performance). (in round brackets, followed by a full stop).
- *Title of performance/ work* (in italics)
- performed by
- Performer(s). (initials, with full stop and space after each initial, followed by family name, followed by full stop OR group name followed by full stop)
- Location, (venue followed by comma)
- Town/ city. (followed by full stop)
- [Date of performance]. (day and month, followed by a comma, followed by year, in square brackets followed by full stop)

In-text citation

The performance of Beethoven's Symphony no 5 in C minor (2009) ...

Reference list

Beethoven, L. (2009). *Symphony no 5 in C minor* performed by Halifax Symphony Orchestra. Victoria Theatre, Halifax. [14 June, 2009].

13.4 Music score

Note

- If there is only one version of the score under discussion, you can refer to it in-text, without a full citation. It is only included in the reference list.
- If you are comparing different editions of a score, then you need to cite them separately in the text (i.e. include year and editor/ arranger) as well as in the reference list.

Format and order

- Composer(s)/ artist(s)/ group(s) (family name, comma followed by initials, with full stop and space after each initial OR group, followed by full stop)
- Additional contributor (e.g. editor/ arranger, family name, comma followed by initials, with full stop and space after each initial)
- (Year of publication). (in round brackets, followed by full stop)
- *Title of work.* (in italics, followed by full stop)
- Publisher. (followed by a full stop)

In-text citation

Mozart when composing Requiem...(Mozart & Druce, 1993).

Reference list

Mozart, W. A., & Druce, D. (1993). *Requiem: For soprano, alto, tenor and bass soli, SATB and orchestra, K626.* Novello.