

TERM 1 – THE ELEMENTS OF MUSIC

Task 1: Create a leaflet or information poster explaining the meaning of each of the 8 musical elements: *TEMPO, DYNAMICS, PITCH, DURATION, TEXTURE, TIMBRE, SILENCE, STRUCTURE*. This can be submitted on an A4 piece of paper or as a PowerPoint slide & should include pictures and examples to explain the elements.

Task 2: Rhythm assessment – (refer to note lengths and names on the KS3 knowledge organiser for revision). Complete the online quiz by following the link which will appear on Go 4 Schools and be emailed to you during the week in which the homework is set. The quiz will last for approx. 10 minutes and can be completed at home or in the library during break, lunch or after school.

TERM 2 – AN INTRODUCTION TO KEYBOARD AND GUITAR

Task 1: Research and label the various parts of the guitar using the worksheet on page 2 of this booklet.

Task 2: Pitch & Rhythm assessment – (refer to note lengths and names on the KS3 knowledge organiser for revision). Complete the online quiz by following the link which will appear on Go 4 Schools and be emailed to you during the week in which the homework is set. The quiz will last for approx. 10 minutes and can be completed at home or in the library during break, lunch or after school.

TERM 3- THE GREAT COMPOSERS AND SOLO PERFORMANCE

Task 1 : Create a research project or presentation about the life and works of one of the Great Composers: (eg: JS BACH, MOZART, BEETHOVEN, TCHAIKOVSKY..) You can choose to hand this in on paper or email a PowerPoint presentation to Mr Chandler.

Points to include;

- Historical facts about the composer ie: dates, where they were born, where they lived, what instrument they played and any other interesting facts about them.
- Major works – which pieces are they best known for having composed?
- Using Youtube, Spotify, Alexa, Google etc. listen to at least 2 pieces of music by this composer & make a note of this in your project.

Task 2: Revision Quiz for end of year assessment.

Use the KS3 music knowledge organiser to revise all key topic areas. Complete the online quiz (see Go 4 Schools and your emails) which will cover: Elements of music, pitch, rhythm, parts of the guitar, notes on the keyboard and all keyterms learned in year 7.

TERM 2: Task 1. Using the word bank below, label the different parts of the electric guitar.

WORD BANK

Frets

Pickup switch

Body

Bridge

Neck

Tuning Pegs

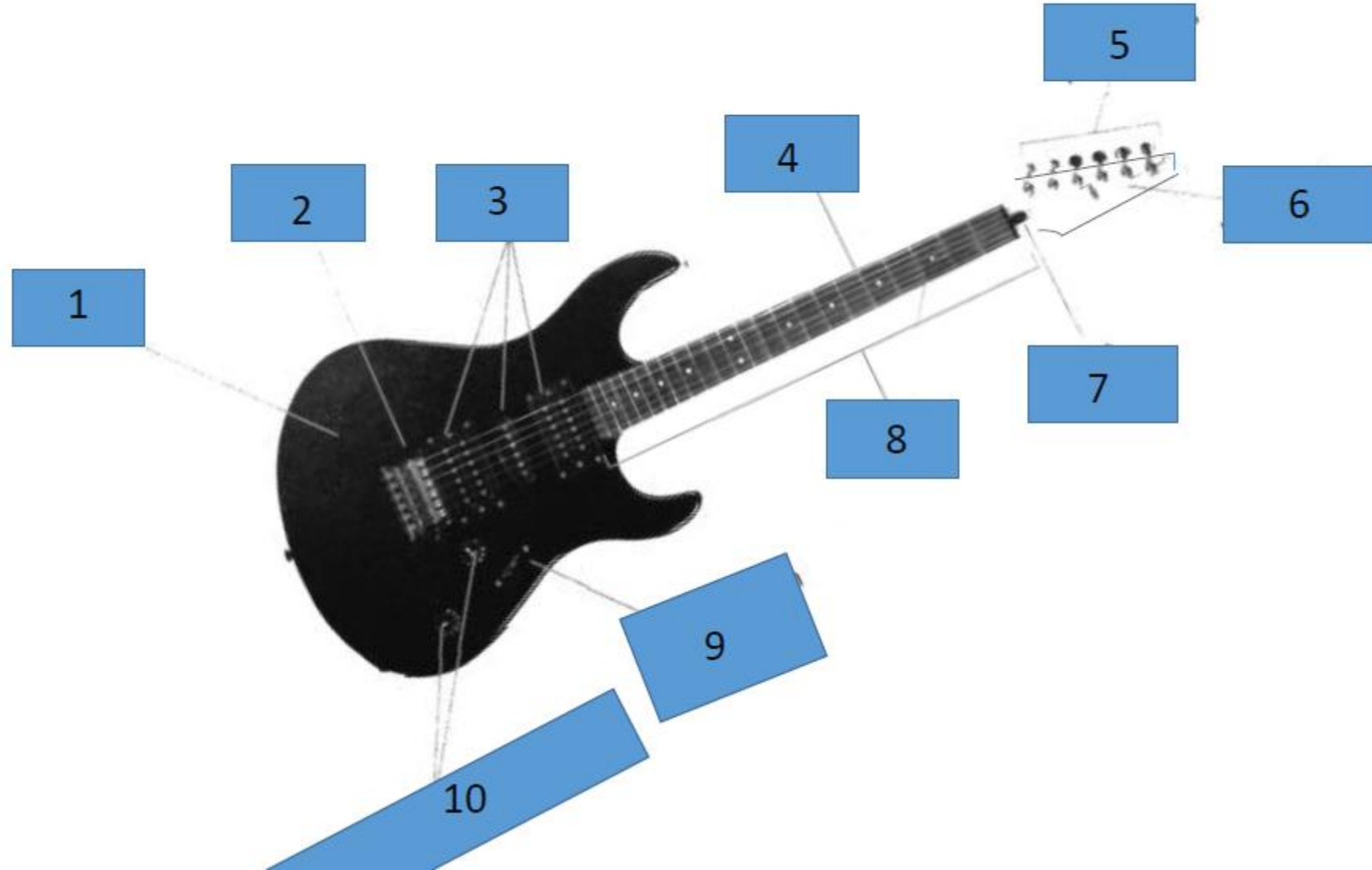
Volume/tone controls

Pickups

Headstock

Nut

Different parts of a guitar.



NOTE: you should print this sheet and hand in a hard copy to Mr Chandler on the date your homework is due.