

Connectivity Level 4
Optional Writing Task

UNIT 2

WRITING TASK: Write about your favorite type of music

To the Teacher: Hand out the next page to the students. Have students complete their writing task in the space provided.

Vocabulary:

Elements of music: *beat, melody, lyrics, sound, voice, performance, upbeat, unique, contemporary, moving, lively*

Adjectives to describe the arts: *upbeat, unique, contemporary, moving, lively, sentimental, commercial, dated, serious, repetitive*

GSE Objectives:

GLWP0714: Can write about personal interests in some detail. (47)

GLVC1111d: Can use language related to music. (59-75)

NOSI00009: Can express their thoughts in some detail on cultural topics. (e.g. music, film) (64)

GLWI0376: Can convey information and ideas on abstract and concrete topics. (70)

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Directions: Write a paragraph of at least four to five sentences. Identify your favorite genre of music. Describe the sound and the elements of music common to this genre. Use the following questions for ideas.

- Who are some popular artists who perform this type of music?
- Why do you enjoy this genre?
- What elements of the music most appeal to you?
- What's your favorite song? How would you describe the lyrics?
What kind of beat or melody does it have?

Write your paragraph:
