

HOME LEARNING

YEAR 11 – Focussing in on a job within the music industry

For Unit 1 – Part C of your Silver Arts Award you need to conduct research on different career opportunities and jobs involved in the arts.

Last week you researched and demonstrated what you know about certain roles within the music industry.

TASK – This week I want you to choose one of the jobs from last week that you think you may be interested in and look a little closer at it.

Choose a profession that interests you and you'd like to find out more about.

You are allowed to do some research and ask an adult to help you if you are struggling to answer any of the questions.

AN EXAMPLE HAS BEEN DONE FOR YOU

What job/career are you researching?

Music Producer

What are the roles and responsibilities of this job?

Oversees all aspects of the creation of a song or album. These can include choice of song, choice of musicians, instruments and vocalist and how those instruments are played and those notes sung as well as where the song or album is recorded.

What personal skills would you need to be successful at this job?

- A good leader
- A good listener
- Organisation
- Good time management

Name some famous people who do this job:

1. Dr Dre
2. Quincy Jones
3. Pharrell Williams

Name someone locally who does this job:

Mike Thorne – Rimshot Productions

What interests you about this job?

I would like to work with lots of different musicians and styles of music. I really enjoy using music technology and would like to get better at it.

If you wanted to do this job, what training/qualifications would you need?

- Degree in science of music/music/music technology
- Knowledge of industry law and ethics
- Firm grasp of sound editing techniques
- 3+ years' experience using digital audio hardware and software

YOUR TURN

What job/career are you researching?

What are the roles and responsibilities of this job?

What personal skills would you need to be successful at this job?

Name someone famous who does this job:

Name someone locally who does this job:

What interests you about this job?

If you wanted to do this job, what training/qualifications would you need?

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