

# Music Diploma Program Sample

## Theory Placement Exam

Total: /85

1. a. Name the Major key for the following key signatures.  
b. Name the degree of the scale (tonic, dominant, etc.)

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a. \_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Write the following notes using the correct key signatures.

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- a. mediant of d minor  
b. subdominant of f# minor  
c. tonic of c minor  
d. leading tone of b minor  
e. submediant of e minor

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

3. Write the following scales in whole notes, ascending and descending, using the correct key signatures.

- a. d harmonic minor scale

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- b. E Major scale

c. f# melodic minor scale

4. a. Name the following intervals.

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b. Invert the above intervals. Name the new intervals.

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5. Write the following intervals above the note A.

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perfect 4th

Major 6th

augmented 2nd

minor 7th

diminished 3rd

6. For the following triads, name:

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a. the root

b. the position (root position, first inversion, second inversion)

c. the kind of triad (major, minor, augmented, diminished)

a. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

b. \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

c. \_\_\_\_\_

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7. Write the following triads using key signatures.

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a. the dominant triad of f minor in root position

b. the tonic triad of D flat Major in first inversion

c. the subdominant triad of E Major in second inversion

d. the tonic triad of g minor in root position

e. the dominant triad of B Major in first inversion

a.

b.

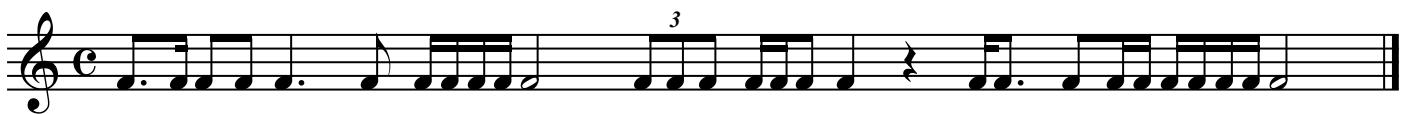
c.

d.

e.

8. Add bar lines to the following rhythms according to the time signatures.

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9. Add time signatures to the following one-measure rhythms.

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