INTERVIEW A COMPOSER!

Which composer would you like to know more about? Choose a composer to conduct an interview!

Composer Name: ___________________________________________________________________

1. Write down five questions you would like to ask in the interview. What would you like to know about the composer?
   Example Questions: What inspired you to become a musician? What was your childhood like? How many pieces of music did you compose throughout your life? Which was your favorite?

2. Research the composer using the composer biography, internet sources (ex. https://www.classicsforkids.com/composers.html), and/or books. Write the answers below the questions. Don’t forget to answer questions as the composer!

3. Using your research questions and answers, write a newspaper profile about the composer. A newspaper profile is an article about a person. It often includes an interview with that person and features an event or topic. The article may feature an upcoming event or concert, the composer’s music, or anything else that might interest readers. Use your imagination to come up with an event or topic for the newspaper profile. Get creative!
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Question #2: __________________________________________
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BONUS ACTIVITY!

Find a partner to film a TV interview with the composer. One of you will be an interviewer, and one of you will pretend to be the composer and answer all the questions!