



Reading and Listening to Strings

A BI-MONTHLY ASSIGNMENT

Every two months, a new edition of Strings Magazine comes out, and Mr. Windsor has a subscription. With it comes a simple reading assignment, and listening may be included at your discretion.

THE ASSIGNMENT

In each issue you will find several articles to read. For the purposes of this assignment, **you will need to only select one**, and answer the following questions based on what you read. Whether or not the article includes reference to some music, **you will need to find some music that connects to the article.**

HOW TO HAND IN THE ASSIGNMENT

You can produce your responses in any format you choose. You can record an audio file of yourself answering the questions. You can create a Google Doc with your written responses. You can make a Google Slides presentation about the article. However you choose will be perfectly acceptable.

When you are completed, either upload your finished work or provide a link to your finished work in the assignment in **Opus under Manage Tasks.**

THE QUESTIONS

1. Which article did you choose from this edition?
2. Give a quick 1-2 sentence explanation of what the article was about.
3. What was the most unique/interesting/unbelievable/impressive thing you read in that article? Why did it make such an impression on you?
4. Find some form of audio that connects to the article. There are a number of ways that can happen;
 - a. The article already includes reference to a specific song (maybe Windsor already gave you a link),
 - b. The article refers to an artist or ensemble you can find a recording of,
 - c. The article refers to a specific genre of music,
 - d. The article refers to a specific instrument

What audio did you use? How does that audio reflect what you read in the article?

THE MARKS

As this assignment is one in a 5-part series, each assignment will be out of 5 marks, totaling 25 marks all term. In other words, don't expend too much effort in it, just enough to answer the questions above. Presentation does not count.

FOR MORE OPTIONS

If you are not called to any of the articles in this month's edition, you can also check out other free articles available at <https://store.stringsmagazine.com/collections/freebies> and choose one from there. If you do, be clear which edition and article you choose.