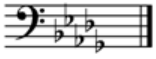


Instrumental Classroom Music (Grades K–12)

Subtest 2 Sample Items

1. Use the example below to answer the question that follows.



Which of the following key signatures is shown in this example?

- A. D-flat major
- B. F minor
- C. G-flat major
- D. C minor

2. Which of the following is a plagal cadence?

A.



B.



C.



D.



3. *El Salón México*, *Billy the Kid*, and *Lincoln Portrait* were all written by which of the following composers?

- A. Charles Ives
- B. George Gershwin
- C. Aaron Copland
- D. Leonard Bernstein

4. Use the excerpt below to answer the question that follows.

The musical score consists of four staves. The top three staves are for Trumpet in B♭ 1, 2, and 3, and the bottom staff is for Snare Drum. The time signature is 2/4. The snare drum part in measure 4 features a thirteen-stroke roll, indicated by a series of 'x' marks with a slur over them.

Which of the following rudiments best describes the snare drum part in measure 4 of this excerpt?

- A. five-stroke roll
- B. nine-stroke roll
- C. thirteen-stroke roll
- D. seventeen-stroke roll

Answer Key

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