

Singing

I am a music man



Year 1 - Spring 1 & 2 - Music Knowledge Organiser - Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra

Listening

*LSO—where's Simon?

*Britten—Young Person's
Guide to the Orchestra



Performance

Watch and appreciate different musical performances.

Identify whether there is one, two or more performers in a performance



Wider Listening/ Skills

*Learn and identify the different instruments and families of the Orchestra.

*Listen to a wide range of instruments and discuss the different sounds and techniques to play them.

*Identify instruments that make long and short sounds

*Use instruments to make long and short sound



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Key Vocabulary

: Conductor, Strings, Woodwind, Brass, Percussion.

Fugue, ensemble, few, many.
Solo, duet, concerto.



Fun Facts— Benjamin Britten 1913-1976

Benjamin Britten was one of the most important and popular British composers of the last century. He was born in Lowestoft into a normal middle-class family; his dad was a dentist, his mum a piano teacher. During his teen years he would travel to London on weekends to have composing lessons and at the first opportunity he took up a place at the Royal College of Music.

This piece was commissioned for an educational film back in the 1940s. Britten chose a theme by Baroque composer Henry Purcell (1659–1695) as his main melody.

