



VCE Music Composition 2023–2027

Aural and written examination – End of year

Excerpts for sample examination

The following webpages may be used to listen to the complete track for each excerpt featured in the sample examination for VCE Music Composition. Links are provided for convenience only; the VCAA makes no claims as to the accuracy or appropriateness of information on any linked external sites.

Question	Work	Recommended webpage	Time (approximate)
Question 1	Work: 'String Quartet No. 17 in B flat major, K 458, "The Hunt": III Adagio' Composer/Creator: Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart Performers: Quatuor Mosaïques Album: <i>Mozart: Les quatuors dédiés à Haydn</i> (Astrée, 2013)	www.youtube.com/watch?v=VvcgWdgdN0k	00:44 – 01:52
Question 2	Work: 'Drop' Composer/Creator: Cornelius Performer: Cornelius Album: <i>Point</i> (Trattoria Records, 2001)	www.youtube.com/watch?v=f18p7NXgbS0	00:23.5 – 02:13
Question 3	Work: 'A Walk in the Skies' Composer/Creator: Joe Hisaishi Performer: Joe Hisaishi Album: <i>Howl's Moving Castle</i> (original soundtrack; Studio Ghibli & Wonder City Inc., 2004)	https://open.spotify.com/track/4VJge9qYxmhYEod0CWoEZ7?si=7319767212a04ad3	00:00 – 02:12