

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Period \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

(When sharing personal information you can be as vague or as clear as you are comfortable with.)

1. My favorite song right now is \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

2. I like it so much because \_\_\_\_\_

Music can "speak" to us, just as art can. Music is a kind of art, a *performance art* actually. Music can stir emotions of all kinds from joy, and excitement, to sadness, and pain, to even emotions of anger and inspiring people to take action! Sometimes there are songs that touch us deeply, some with words and some without.

3. A song that I like, that might surprise people is : \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

4. It reminds me of \_\_\_\_\_

5. A song that makes me feel sad is : \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

6. It reminds me of \_\_\_\_\_

7. A song that I like that gives me hope or joy is : \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

8. This is because: \_\_\_\_\_

Of all the songs I wrote about above, the one that I feel has the most visual imagery (like it could be represented as a painting or a drawing) is: \_\_\_\_\_ by \_\_\_\_\_

Find the lyrics of the song on an iPad or your phone, and write just 1 paragraph from the song below. If the song includes words that are inappropriate for school, add a black space or symbols for the words like they do in a cartoon like this (&%\$#)

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**Use the back of this paper to sketch out some preliminary ideas.**