

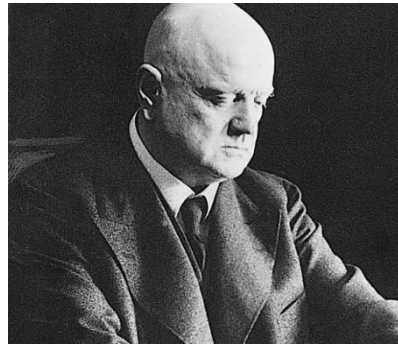


Year 1/2  
Summer

Moor First Music  
Knowledge Organiser  
Finlandia  
BBC 10 pieces.

## WHAT SHOULD I ALREADY KNOW?

- \*I know music has different genres and can name some.
- \*I know the meaning of the terms; rhythm, pulse and tempo.
- \*I can move to a pulse and music.



Jean Sibelius

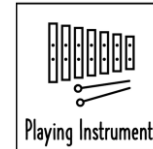
## What will I learn?

- Finlandia was written by Jean Sibelius in 1899
- He wrote it in protest towards the increasing censorship by the Russian Empire
- It is written about the trees, lakes, mountains and people that make up Finland
- In Finland the 8th December is known as the 'Day of Finnish Music.' This was the same day that Sibelius celebrated his birthday

You will listen and appraise the music, thinking about the music's dynamics. Then you will explore different ways of creating sounds and different dynamics. Finally, you will develop your **composition skills** using your body, voice and instruments. Using weather symbols, you will create your own **graphic score** to practice and perform for others.

After composing your score you will evaluate your work.  
*How did it make you feel? Did you enjoy it? How could you improve?*

## Weaving Concept



## VOCABULARY

Composing-	Creating and developing musical ideas and 'fixing' them.
Melody-	Another name for tune.
*Tempo-	A musical dimension that describes how fast or slowly the music is played.
*Dynamics-	A musical dimension describing how loudly or quietly the music is being played.

\*Reviewed words.

**Words you will hear and need to know:** pulse, rhythm, pitch, perform, audience.

