

Music Evolution

“Which version (of this music) do you prefer?”

Part 2 – State which version you prefer and why. **Even if you do not like either version, you must choose.** You can refer to (and more)

If you can add the word **because** at the end of the sentence then it is not complete and you will probably not get the mark.

e.g. “Version 1 it has a different tempo (because) ...”

Should be “Version 1, it has a different tempo, it is slower.”
OR “Version 1 because it is slower.”

When you answer the question be **specific** about

- traditional instruments if they are used e.g, **I prefer version 1 because it is played by an orchestra, piano etc.**
- tempo e.g. **version 2 because it is slower.**
- dynamics e.g. **version 2 because it is quieter.**
- rhythm e.g. **version 2 because it has less / more complicated rhythms OR a stronger pulse.**
- You can refer to texture e.g. **version 2 because it is more homophonic / polyphonic.**
- Style e.g. **version 1 because it is more legato. Version 2 because it has a stronger pulse.**

Don't try to be clever or show off. Two, obvious correct answers will get you 2 marks.