Break Through Classical Music

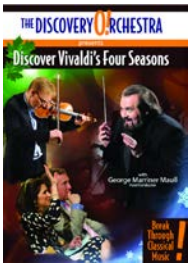
THE DISCOVERY ORCHESTRA

Music Listening Lesson Planning Resources
July 2016

1. *Four Programs Originally Featured on Public Television*

Bach to the Future (2003) – an exploration of the 4th movement of Bach's *Brandenburg Concerto No. 4*
(Emmy-Nominated)

Discover Beethoven's 5th (2010) – an exploration of the 1st movement of *Beethoven's Symphony No. 5*
(Emmy-Nominated, winner of 3 Telly Awards)



Discover Vivaldi's Four Seasons (2012) – features the descriptive sonnets Vivaldi wrote into the score and their musical depictions
(Emmy-Nominated, winner of 3 Telly Awards)

Fall in Love with Music (2016) – Maestro Maull's comprehensive music listening course in eight 30-minute episodes

The above programs are available on DVD from The Discovery Orchestra website (www.DiscoveryOrchestra.org). Educational licenses for streaming collections of the above can be purchased via Films Media Group (www.Films.com).

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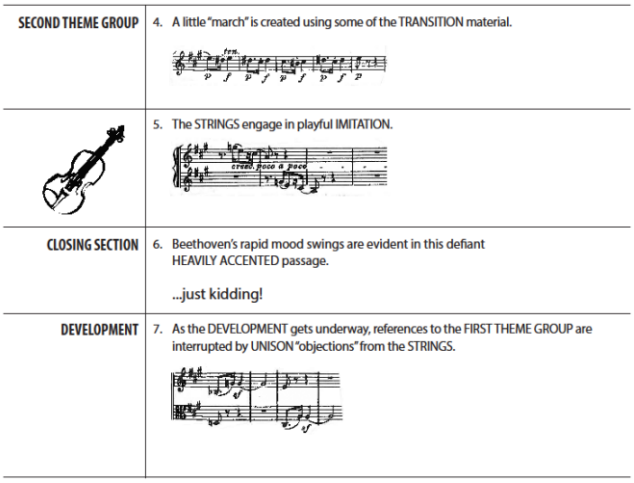
2. *Listening Guides – Visual Maps for Active Listening*

Beethoven: Symphony No. 7, movement 4 – our premiere Guide in a planned collection which will feature other orchestral masterworks.

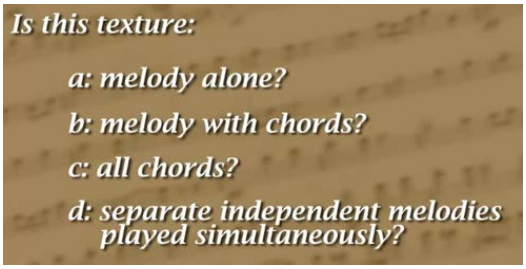


SECOND THEME GROUP	4. A little "march" is created using some of the TRANSITION material.
	5. The STRINGS engage in playful IMITATION.
CLOSING SECTION	6. Beethoven's rapid mood swings are evident in this defiant HEAVILY ACCENTED passage. ...just kidding!
DEVELOPMENT	7. As the DEVELOPMENT gets underway, references to the FIRST THEME GROUP are interrupted by UNISON "objections" from the STRINGS.

The above Guide is available for download purchase from The Discovery Orchestra website. Additional Guides to be added in the coming weeks (including Dvorak: *New World Symphony*, movements 2 & 3) and throughout the next six months.

3. Discovery Orchestra Chat Videos

These 5-10 minute videos feature short lessons from Maestro Maull in music listening, focusing on one specific concept. Examples include: *A Matter of Meter, Beethoven's Sense of Humor, Deceptive Cadences,* and *Handel's "Hallelujah!"*



Educational licenses for 31 Chat programs can be purchased via Films Media Group. Additional Chat videos can be viewed on The Discovery Orchestra's YouTube channel.

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