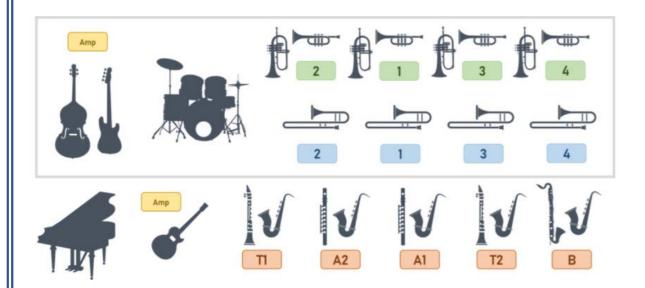


Jazz music 20^{th} Century

What instruments were there?

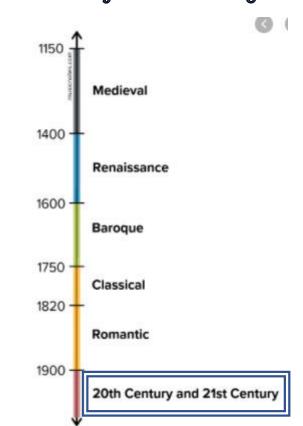


There are very few string instruments in a jazz band. They are usually made up of trumpets, saxophones, a double bass and a drum kit. Some jazz bands have clarinets and flutes too.

Who were the famous jazz musicians?

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Duke Ellington	Famous pieces: Take the A Train Caravan
Louis Armstrong	Famous pieces: • What a Wonderful World • Basin Street Blues
Benny Goodman	Famous pieces: Sing, Sing, Sing Bugle Call Rag
Ella Fitzgerald	Famous pieces: • It Don't Mean a Thing

Where does this period of music fit into history?



What should I listen out for?

Improvisation - musicians making up the music as they play
 Swung rhythms

