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Your Musical Forest Expedition: A Pre-K Sounds Quiz

Examine 10 questions about volume, speed, and instrument sounds to help young learners identify how music expresses feelings and movements.

1. If we are pretending to be a giant elephant walking through the mud, how should our music sound?

- A. Very soft and tiny
- B. Loud and heavy
- C. Fast like a fly
- D. High like a whistle

2. When the music gets faster and faster, it makes us want to move our bodies quickly.

- A. True
- B. False

3. A lullaby is a song we sing to help a baby sleep. A lullaby usually has a _____ tempo.

- A. Bouncy
- B. Scary
- C. Slow
- D. Noisy

4. Which instrument has a 'shaking' sound like seeds in a pod?

- A. A big drum
- B. A wooden flute
- C. Maracas
- D. A piano

5. A mouse squeaking is an example of a 'Low' sound.

- A. True
- B. False

6. When we clap the steady 'heartbeat' of a song, we are following the:

- A. Beat
- B. Silence
- C. Lyrics
- D. Instrument

7. If you play a metal triangle, the sound is very _____ and bright.

- A. Thumping
- B. Tingling
- C. Grumbly

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D. Heavy

8. If you whisper a song to your teddy bear, you are using 'Soft' dynamics.

- A. True
- B. False

9. Which of these makes a 'Long' sound that doesn't stop right away?

- A. A quick hand clap
- B. Hitting two sticks together
- C. Blowing a long note on a horn
- D. A finger snap

10. When many people sing the same tune together, we are hearing the _____.

- A. Melody
- B. Quiet
- C. Dance
- D. Floor