Name: _____

Music Theory Placement Test

INSTRUCTIONS: Start at the beginning and answer as many questions as you can! If you don't know a question, you may skip it and move to the next question.



2A Circle the time signature. Write in the counts underneath.

1A

Name the notes.



2B Name the notes.



2C Label each pair as either a semitone (S) or a tone (T).



3A Write the following scales ascending and descending in half notes. Repeat the top note. Use accidentals instead of key signatures.



G major





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4A Write the following clefs, key signatures, and time signatures.

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Treble Clef	Treble Clef	Bass Clef	Treble Clef	Bass Clef
D major	Bb major	Eb major	E major	A major

4B Write the following major scale ascending and descending using whole notes. Repeat the top note. Use accidentals instead of a key signature.

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4C Write the counts underneath.



5A Write a chromatic scale in half notes, ascending and descending, starting on the given note. Write the top note only once.





5B Name the following intervals – both the number and type: Major (maj), Minor (min), or Perfect (per). Watch out for the clefs.



5C Name the following triads.



6A Classify the following intervals by number and type: Augmented (aug) or Diminished (dim).



6B Write the following minor scales, ascending and descending in half notes.

(i) F harmonic minor in Treble Clef, using a key signature.





(ii) Bb melodic minor in Bass Clef, using accidentals.





6C Name the keys indicated by the key signature.

(i) Major



(ii) Minor



6D Write the counts underneath.



7A Name the following triads, both the name and type: Augmented (aug) or Diminished (dim).



7B Name the following triads. Include the name, type and inversion.



7C Transpose the following piece from E major up to Bb major.



7D Transpose the following piece, written for Trumpet in C, to make it playable for a Cornet in Bb.



7E Write in the counts underneath.



8A Name the following compound intervals.



8B Name the interval given. Write the inversion and name the new interval.



8C Write chords indicated by the chord symbols given below.



A ⁶ /E	Edim ⁷	D ^{sus}	Eþm ⁷ /Bþ
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