



Summer Tasks July 2024

So, you think you would like to study: **Music Technology**

Summer Task Title / Instructions: W/C write a minimum of 1000 words for the following three tasks.

Task 1:

The Killers- Mr Brightside <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=l7MaKmKJqoc>

Jacques Lu Cont Remix <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=fjn8w3vA5ek>

Evaluate the production techniques used in each version of the song. Your response may consider the following production aspects:

- Capture, production approach and music style
- Synthesis, sequencing and sampling
- EQ and filtering
- Dynamic Processing
- Pan and stereo field
- Effects

Task 2: Write a short paragraph outlining your understanding of the following processes:

- Reverb
- Compression
- Filtering/EQ

Task 3: Describe how you would record an acoustic guitar. Give reference to:

- microphone choice
- microphone placement
- cables required
- recording equipment

Suggested Additional Reading/Listening:

See separate document

Suggested Visit:

Live music concert.

Recording studio-(Grange farm in wisbech)

Please submit the task, as well as a copy of the reading log, to your teacher on the first lesson in September. Feel to do multiple summer tasks if you are unsure on what subjects to study.