



Overture on Russian Themes by Balakirev

Your Name: _____

WHAT DID YOU HEAR?

Circle the answer to complete the sentence

The speed of the music is a) fast b) slow c) fast and slow

The volume of the music is a) loud b) soft c) loud and soft

The mood of the music is a) happy b) sad c) happy and sad

Draw an instrument or sound you heard

WHAT COULD THE MUSIC BE ABOUT?

This music includes some tunes that could be sung. Choose one of these. If it had words, what might they be about?

What is it in the music that makes you think this?

If you could give this music a different name, what would you call it?

On the other side of this sheet, EITHER write a story or poem that fits the name you have given to the music OR draw a picture that illustrates it. You might be able to do this in colour.