

Transcript

Understanding musical scores

[MUSIC PLAYING]

Narrator:

Have you ever wondered what a conductor does? How do musicians work together to create complicated music that sounds like a single person or instrument playing?

[MUSIC PLAYING]

What do musicians have propped up on stands in front of them? And how do they use it? What makes the lines and dots meaningful to musicians, and allows them to create the sounds we call music?

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What does reading music mean? Why do some musicians need printed music and some not? Music is a bit like a language. If you understand a little bit of the language of a country you visit, you really get more from your trip. If you understand a little bit about how music works, you will experience music in a different and more meaningful way.

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Come behind the scenes with us to explore what musicians do in rehearsals and concerts. Understand more about how they use notation to create the performances that we all enjoy. Ultimately, learn about how a conductor navigates the full orchestral scores of symphonies by composers like Mahler and Beethoven.

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