

## Yellow Award Improvising/Composing

Can you improvise or compose a simple tune?

Here are some ideas of how to get started...

- ❖ Choose a range of notes to use - this could be your **first position notes** to start with
- ❖ Choose a **scale** you know and use those notes
- ❖ Think of your rhythm first and then add some notes to it
- ❖ Try using a pentatonic scale - **C D E G A**. Playing around with these five notes is a simple way of creating a different style of music
- ❖ Add some **sharps** and **flats** to your tune to change the feel of the music
- ❖ Play your tune **legato** and then try it **staccato**