

## Reggae Revision

Answer the following questions.

1. Write a paragraph outlining the origins of Reggae.

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2. What Mento ?

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3. What instruments were used in Mento ?

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4. What two types of American music were mixed with Mento to form Ska ?

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5. What instruments were used in Ska music ?

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6. Name an early Ska singer and his piece that hit the UK charts in 1964 ?

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7. The emphasis on the back beat is a common feature of both Ska and Reggae. What is meant by back beat and what instrument usually plays on it ?

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8. Ska sometimes features a walking bass. What is a walking bass ?

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9. What two types of music helped change Ska into Rock Steady in 1966 ?

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10. Name five features of Rock Steady ?

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11. Name a famous Rock Steady piece and its singer.

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12. What is a riff in the context of Reggae ?

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13. What instruments are common to Reggae ?

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14. Write a paragraph explaining what is meant by *Rastafarians*.

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15. Write a paragraph explaining what is meant by *Rude Boys*.

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