

A Passion for Music

Student Resource Material

Academy of Achievement Sources:

The following is a list of music-related pages in the [Gallery of Achievement](#). Although the Introduction to your project listed specific individuals, investigating each person on this comprehensive list will help provide you with helpful project information.

[Johnny Cash](#) Country Music Legend

[Francis Ford Coppola](#) Filmmaker, Producer and Screenwriter

[Rita Dove](#) Former Poet Laureate of the U.S.

[Suzanne Farrell](#) Ballerina Extraordinaire

[Philip Johnson](#) Dean of American Architects

[Chuck Jones](#) Animation Pioneer

[Quincy Jones](#) Music Impresario

[Leon Lederman](#) Nobel Prize in Physics

[George Lucas](#) Entertainment Executive

[Wynton Marsalis](#) Pulitzer Prize for Music

[Trevor Nunn](#) Theatrical Director

[Twyla Tharp](#) Dancer and Choreographer

Additional Web Sites

[Culturefinder: Composers' Biographies and Program Notes](#)

[Seattle's Explore Music Project](#)

[Musician's Exchange](#)

[Rock 'n Roll Hall of Fame and Museum](#)

[Smithsonian American Music Collection](#)

[Wynton Marsalis and Other Jazz Greats](#)

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