

**Step 3 : Prohibition: a springboard to different musical styles**



**1 Introduction**

1) Describe the man you can see on the picture. Give as many details as possible. (clothes, attitude etc...)

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2) Do you know who this man can be ? His name ? Make hypothesis ( use : may-might-must)

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**2 Follow the link and answer the questions**

<http://prohibition.themobmuseum.org/the-history/how-prohibition-changed-american-culture/jazz-and-jukeboxes/>



1) What was the principal music style during the Prohibition era ?

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2) What were the most popular dance during the Prohibition era ? (4 different dances)

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3) Give the names of the most popular musicians (6 names)

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4) Where did they play ? ( place + names of two cities)

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5) Give the names of two famous nightclubs.

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6) Police officers were paid by nightclub owners to make them tolerate their business. Justify.

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7) What was the nationality of most of the jazzmen ?

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8) Why did the nightclub culture promote integration?

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9) Which town was the jazz capital ?

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10) Al Capone was a big fan of jazz. Justify.

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**Read the short presentation of Louis Armstrong.**

**Louis Daniel Armstrong** (August 4, 1901 - July 6, 1971), nicknamed "**Satchmo**", "**Satch**", and "**Pops**", was an American **trumpeter**, composer, vocalist, and actor who was among the most influential figures in **jazz**. His career spanned five decades, from the 1920s to the 1960s, and different eras in the history of jazz. In 2017, he was inducted into the Rhythm & Blues Hall of Fame. Armstrong was born and raised in **New Orleans**. Coming to prominence in the 1920s as an inventive **trumpet** and **cornet** player, Armstrong was a foundational influence in jazz, shifting the focus of the music from collective improvisation to solo performance



**Follow the link and play the game !**  
**You must fill in the lyrics (= > beginner level for starting)**

<https://fr.lyricstraining.com/play/louis-armstrong/what-a-wonderful-world-live/HCaJ3ymmOC#>



**What do you think about the rhythm of the song ?**  
**What are the words and expressions you remember the most ?**

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