



KEY VOCABULARY

triad

a set of **three notes** or **pitches** which are like **building blocks in music** – triads are used to make **patterns** in pitch

dynamics

how **loudly** or **quietly** a piece of music is played

tempo

the **speed** of a piece of music

theme

a **musical idea**

crescendo

when music gets gradually **louder and louder**

accelerando

gradually **increasing the tempo** of the music

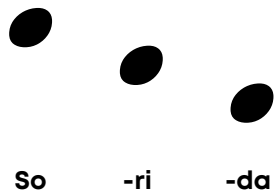
rhythm

a **pattern in sound**



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Prokofiev was from Russia (shown in red)



Written music uses dots to show what pitch to play. The higher dots in the boxes represent the higher pitch

Sergei Prokofiev



A Russian composer who wrote *Peter and the Wolf*