



The Bagpipe e-Honour: The Great Highland Bagpipe



REQUIREMENTS WORKSHEET

1) Gaelic name for "The Great Highland Bagpipe":

2) Give 2 Bible references to wind instruments, where the Bagpipe would fit in?

3) Give 3 historical points about the bagpipe:

a.

b.

c.

4) What are the 3 basic components of the bagpipe

a.

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5) Draw a bagpipe with the following components:

- Bag, drones, chanter, blowpipe and mouthpiece

6) What does the bagpipe valve do?

7) What two things are drone reeds made from?

8) Name the 5-7 pieces and their purpose in the construction of the bagpipe?

a.

b.

c.

d.

e.

f.

g.

9) What is the most popular type of bagpipe?

10) What colours can bagpipe hemp be made in?

11) What are the names the rings which are found at the connection points on the pipe?

12) Which country produces the cane for the chanter reed?

13) What type of materials are bagpipe chanters made out of?

14) Can bagpipes be made out of Kangaroo skin (Circle the correct one)? Yes or No

15) How long has the current form of the bagpipe been around?

16) Where is the largest gathering of bagpipers in the world? _____

17) Where did Bagpipes originate (Circle the correct one)?

A) Scotland **B)** Egypt **C)** Ireland **D)** Canada

18) Why were bagpipes used as weapons of war?

Bonus:

Attend or watch a bagpipe performance