**Assignment 2: Grammar in Music**

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**Part 1: Tenses in Music**

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| **Context** | And I... will always love you, ooh  Will always love you You My darling, you... Mmm-mm |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Future |
| **Use** | Promise |
| **Song** | I will always love you - by Whitney Houston  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CnXXVgQw-j4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CnXXVgQw-j4) |

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| **Context** | He was always there to help her She always belonged to someone else |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Past |
| **Use** | Situation in the past and finished now |
| **Song** | She will be loved – by Maroon 5  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87jUZy78Up4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87jUZy78Up4) |

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| **Context** | Because the players are going to play And the haters are going to hate  Baby, I'm just going to shake I shake it off I shake it off Heartbreakers are going to break And the fakers are going to fake Baby I'm just going to shake I shake it off, I shake it off |
| **Tense Name** | Idiomatic Future |
| **Use** | Prediction |
| **Song** | Shake it off – by Taylor Swift  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4) |

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| **Context** | No matter how far we go, I want the whole world to know I want you bad, and I won’t have it any other way  No matter what the people say, I know that we'll never break Cause our love was made, made in the USA  Made in the USA |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Present |
| **Use** | Stative Verbs |
| **Song** | Made in the USA – by Demi Lovato  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA) |

**Part 2: Modality in Music**

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| **Context** | Our love runs deep like a chevy  If you fall I'll fall with you baby  Cause that's the way we like to do it That's the way we like |
| **Meaning** | Future Result (First Conditional) |
| **Song** | Made in the USA – by Demi Lovato  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA) |

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| **Context** | I stay up too late Got nothing in my brain That's what people say That's what people say I go on too many dates But I can't make them stay At least that's what people say That's what people say |
| **Meaning** | Ability (Dissability) |
| **Song** | Shake it off – by Taylor Swift  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4) |

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| **Context** | If I should stay I would only be in your way  So I'll go but I know I'll think of you every step of the way |
| **Meaning** | Hypothetical result of a non-existing condition |
| **Song** | I will always love you – by Whitney Houston  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CnXXVgQw-j4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CnXXVgQw-j4) |

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| **Context** | Hey, hey, hey, just think  While you've been getting down and out  About the liars  And the dirty dirty cheats of the world You could have been getting down to this sick beat |
| **Meaning** | Suggestion |
| **Song** | Shake it off – by Taylor Swift  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIOVMHMNfJ4) |

**Part 3: Passive Voice in Music**

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| **Context** | No matter how far we go, I want the whole world to know I want you bad, and I won’t have it any other way  No matter what the people say, I know that we'll never break Cause our love was made, made in the USA  Made in the USA |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Past |
| **Song** | Made in the USA – by Demi Lovato  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HcL31nYtHxA) |

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| **Context** | I don't mind spending every day Out on your corner in the pouring rain Look for the girl with the broken smile Ask her if she wants to stay awhile And she will be loved |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Future |
| **Song** | She will be loved – by Maroon 5  URL: [**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87jUZy78Up4**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=87jUZy78Up4) |

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| **Context** | Love and marriage, love and marriage Go together like a horse and carriage Dad was told by mother  You can't have one without the other |
| **Tense Name** | Simple Past |
| **Song** | Love and Marriage – by Frank Sinatra  URL:[**https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=srKQvgI4RkQ**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=srKQvgI4RkQ) |