Music - Year 3 - Autumn 2 - Ballads- What is a ballad?

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pulse	tempo	rhythm	dynamics
			

timbre	compose	lyric	perform
			



Ballads are songs which tell a story. They can be in many styles, such as pop and musical theatre and were used in ancient times to carry news and legends across countries.



Ballads tell a story and usually have a similar structure to stories.



Sticky Knowledge:

- To know how to recognise a ballad.
- To know music is built up in layers of different melodies which combine together to create a final piece.
- To know how to sing with an awareness of time and tune.
- To know what a choir is.