

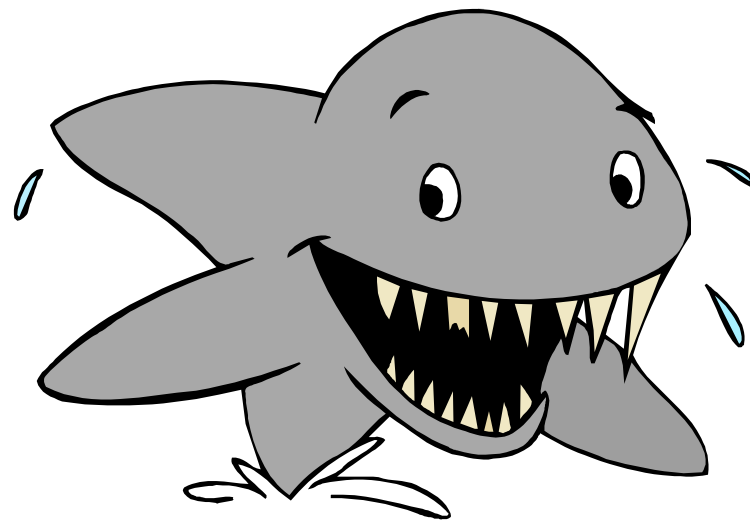


The Elements of Music



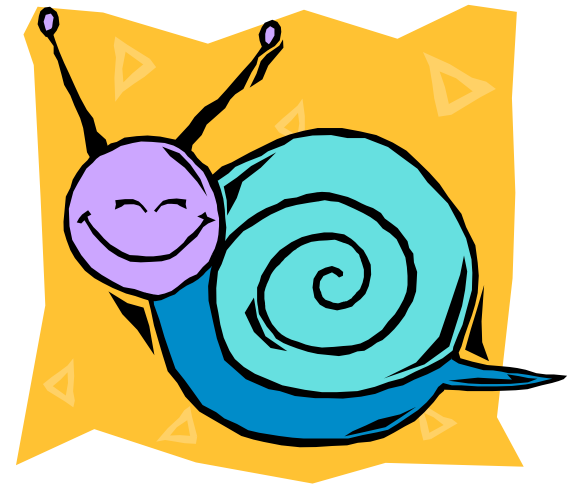
Pitch

PITCH means how **high** or **low** a sound is.



Tempo

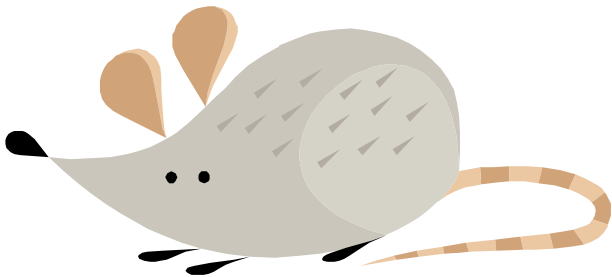
TEMPO means how **fast** or **slow** the music is .



Music can even change its tempo part way through

Dynamics

DYNAMICS means the **loudness** or the **Quietness** of the music. Sometimes this is called the volume.





Silence

Sometimes we need Silence in Music.
Why do you think this is?

- **It gives listeners time to think**
- **It can be dramatic ... Think of the Shark !**
- **It makes music interesting**