

How to Put On a Great Performance

Tier List Critique Toolkit



Part 2: Tier List Ranking Categories

Create 5 ranking categories that you will use on your Tier List. Label and describe the criteria for each category in the table below from highest to lowest.

| Tier Label | Description of Ranking Criteria |
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Part 3: Critique Journals

Watch each of the performances on your list and write a critique by answering the questions provided in the tables below. Rank each of the songs using the tier labels and criteria that you created above.

| Artist | Song Title or Event | Link to Recording |
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| What do you dislike about this performance? | | |
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Copy and Paste to add additional Performance Critique Tables As Needed!

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Part 4: Write Your Script

Use the information from Parts 1-3 of this toolkit to write a script that you can use to help you record your Tier List Critique video.

Introduction

Things to include in your introduction script:

- Welcome your viewers
- Describe your Theme
- Summarize your Tier Ranking categories and criteria

Introduction Script:

Ranking Your Songs

Things to include in your ranking scripts:

- Name, Artist, Event where performance occurred
- Brief audio excerpt
- Highlighted musical elements and opinions from your song critiques
- Tier ranking and rationale

Song 1 Script:

Song 2 Script:

Song 3 Script:

Song 4 Script:

Song 5 Script:

Conclusion

Things to include in your conclusion:

- Brief summary of the theme and rankings
- Thank the audience for watching
- Call to action: Ask the audience for their opinion

Conclusion Script:

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Part 5: Record Your Video

Record a video on your device that captures your tier list and shows your face. Use the script from Part 4 to help structure your video. Make sure your video has all of the following elements before submitting your project. [TIP: You may need to practice reading your script, using your tier list, and making the video a few times before you are ready to record your final version!]

Video Checklist

- My video is at least 3 minutes long
- The audience can hear my commentary on every performance
- The audience can see the Tier List
- The audience can see me
- The audience can hear/see excerpts from the performances I am reviewing