

MTB Grade 4 Contemporary Guitar

Section One: Recital (80 marks)

Select **four** pieces from the following list (20 marks each)

As an alternative to the pieces below, candidates may perform up to 4 free choice pieces.

For guidance on selecting and approving free choice pieces please [click here](#)

Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher/ Buy Here
Billy Joel	Just the Way You Are	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Leonard Cohen	Hallelujah	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Bolton	Kev's Late-night Bakery No.6	25 Graded Pieces for Solo Guitar	Hampton - Purchase here
Richard Cobby	Valsetta No.8	25 Graded Pieces for Solo Guitar	Hampton - Purchase here
John Whitworth/ Peter Nuttall	Rock me Mama	Diversions, Eleven Pieces for Guitar	Holley Music - Purchase here
Peter Nuttall	Impromptu	Twelve Inventions for solo guitar	Holley Music - Purchase here
Stevie Wonder	Isn't She Lovely (Candidate to play chords and rhythm)	cat. ref: 379376	sheetmusicdirect.com
Radiohead	Creep	cat, ref: 29475	sheetmusicdirect.com
The Cranberries	Zombie	cat, ref: 68925	sheetmusicdirect.com
Red Hot Chilli Peppers	Under the Bridge	cat. ref: 28263	sheetmusicdirect.com
Ed Sheeran	Thinking Out Loud (Solo guitar)	cat. ref: 170143	sheetmusicdirect.com
Pantera	I'm Broken	cat. ref: 154468	sheetmusicdirect.com
AC/DC	Highway to Hell	cat. ref: 94439	sheetmusicdirect.com
BB King	The Thrill is Gone	cat. ref: 20114	sheetmusicdirect.com
Sting	Shape of My Heart (Solo guitar)	cat. ref: 419051	sheetmusicdirect.com
Beethoven	Bagatelles	Challenge the Masters	Hal Leonard - Purchase here

Tomplay pieces often include accompaniments and can be purchased individually using the link next to each piece or via a discounted subscription for MTB teachers/learners. To learn more about Tomplay and the subscription [click here](#).

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Technical Exercises (20 marks)

Prepare all the technical exercises required for this grade which can be downloaded from the website (syllabus page) - [see MTB Technical exercises sheet](#)