

**Music Style – Electronic dance music**

**Electronic dance music (EDM) is also known as dance music, club music or simply dance. It is made for nightclubs and has lots of percussion and loops, and the tracks are ‘mixed’ into each other by a DJ.**

**Did you know?**

**A repeating section is known as:**

**. An *ostinato* in classical music.**

**. A *riff* in jazz.**

**. A *loop* in dance music.**

**Music Knowledge Organiser**

**Looping and Remixing**



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| **Vocabulary:** | |
| Layers | The different instruments, rhythms or melodies that build the overall texture of a piece of music. |
| Loop | A repeated section of rhythm or melody. |
| Remix | A new version of an existing piece of music that has been altered with effects. |
| Fragment | A short section of music. |
| Melody Line | The note makes a melody. |
| Structure | The overall organisation of a piece of music. In a song, this could be the order that different parts are played in, for example verse, chorus, verse. |
| Backbeat | Rhythmic beat going along in the background to accompany the music. |



**Confidence**

**Was the performance smooth?**

**Accuracy**

**Were the notes and words right?**

**Timing**

**Was the music played or sung in time?**

Key figures: