# Terms of Style Pre-Test for Instrumental Music

Choose the closest meaning of the stylistic terms listed below:

1. **Cantabile**
   - a. sweetly
   - b. in a singing style
   - c. comfortably
   - d. humorously

2. **Espressivo**
   - a. darkly
   - b. lightly
   - c. expressively
   - d. accented, lively

3. **Grandioso**
   - a. big, full, fast
   - b. large in volume
   - c. full-values, tenuto
   - d. to be played grandly

4. **Sostenuto**
   - a. sustained, smoothly
   - b. in one breath
   - c. slowly
   - d. with substance

5. **Marcato**
   - a. like a ballad
   - b. humorously
   - c. emphasized, marked
   - d. staccato

6. **Grazioso**
   - a. play like a dance
   - b. to be played gracefully
   - c. to be played graciously
   - d. to be played thoughtfully

7. **Maestoso**
   - a. in a minor key
   - b. separated, detached
   - c. in a light, detached style
   - d. majestic in mood or spirit

8. **Legato**
   - a. smooth, connected
   - b. slowly
   - c. the same
   - d. a form of melody

9. **Staccato**
   - a. short
   - b. accented
   - c. detached, separated
   - d. marcatto

10. **A capella**
    - a. in unison
    - b. with feeling
    - c. unaccompanied
    - d. with others

11. **Dolce**
    - a. sweetly
    - b. lively
    - c. smooth and connected
    - d. subtle

12. **Scherzo**
    - a. song-like
    - b. light and playful
    - c. dance in ¾ time
    - d. pensive

13. **Con Brio**
    - a. with brilliance spirited
    - b. solemn, staid
    - c. scratchy, annoying
    - d. loud, exciting

14. **Animato**
    - a. lively
    - b. very fast
    - c. animated
    - d. with dynamic contrast

15. **Gigue**
    - a. A German song
    - b. repeated passage
    - c. lively dance in 2/4
    - d. to shake, like vibrato

16. **Appassionato**
    - a. passionately
    - b. at a feverish tempo
    - c. lovely
    - d. humorously