

1 **Course Introduction**

Unit 01
Notes

2 **Introduction**

- Huron Bands Website
 - <http://www.huronbands.com>
- Course Webpage
 - <http://www.huronbands.com/musichistory.html>
- Facebook
 - Huron Bands
 - <http://www.facebook.com/home.php?#/group.php?gid=111063538767>

3 **Music History**

- Historical Musicology
 - The field of music history, sometimes called historical musicology, is the highly diverse subfield of the broader discipline of musicology that studies the composition, performance, reception, and criticism of music over time.
 - In theory, music history could refer to the study of the history of any type or genre of music.

4 **Genres of Music**

- Genres
 - A genre is a category of something bigger. For the purposes of this course, a genre will refer a time period or style of music.
 - For a list of the MANY types of musical genres, visit the following website.
 - http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Types_of_music

5 **Time Line of Music History**

- Periods of Music History (all dates are A.D.)
 - Medieval (500-1400)
 - Renaissance (1400-1620)
 - Baroque (1600-1750)
 - Classical (1739-1820)
 - Romantic (1815-1910)
 - 20th Century (1900-2000)
 - Contemporary / 21st Century (2000-Present)

6 **Course Outline**

- Unit 01 – Course Introduction
- Unit 02 – The Roots of European/Anglo-American Music
- Unit 03 – Country
- Unit 04 – The Roots of African-American Music
- Unit 05 – The Blues
- Unit 06 - Jazz
- Unit 07 – Rock 'n' Roll
- Unit 08 – Hip-Hop/Rap
- Unit 09 - Pop
- Unit 10 - The Jackson 5 & Michael Jackson

- Unit 11 – Preparation for the Final Exam

7  **Assignments**

- Musical Genres List
 - Visit http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Types_of_music and do the following.
 - Name three music genres you are unfamiliar with.
 - Name three artists from EACH of those genres.
 - Name three albums from EACH of those artists.