


## Week 4 Music - Listening and responding to the 'Venus' movement from 'The Planets Suite' (composed by Gustav Holst)

This term, we will be listening to different movements from 'The Planets Suite' by Gustav Holst. In **Week 4**, we will focus on the 'Venus' movement.



### Music Task - Week 4

- Read through the PowerPoint presentation about **Gustav Holst** and his 'Venus' movement from 'The Planets Suite'.
- Watch the video clip of the BBC Philharmonic Orchestra performing the 'Venus' movement (BBC Proms, 2009):-  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PyBkzZoMYN4>  
(A link to this video clip is also contained in the PowerPoint presentation.)
- Choose one or more of the following tasks:-
  1. While you listen to the music, **draw or paint a picture**  of how the music **makes you feel**. - It's fine to draw or paint an abstract pattern in response to the music.
  2. Use the separate "Recording Sheet" to write about this music in detail. This sheet also gives you space to draw a small picture in response to the music.
  3. Research and **write about/ make a poster/information leaflet** about the Celesta (the main instrument used in 'Venus').