

Draw a line to the correct musician each statement describes.

DUKE ELLINGTON

1. He was born in New Orleans, Louisiana, and became its most famous jazz musician.
2. He was born in Washington, D.C., and as a young child he did not want to take piano lessons. He wanted to play baseball instead!
3. When he heard jazz music being played with a new kind of sound, he taught himself to play the piano and composed many songs.
4. As a teenager, he played his trumpet at different places like parades and dance halls.
5. Over the years, he joined many different bands and traveled the world playing his trumpet and singing with his own unique style!
6. He formed his own band and performed at places like the Cotton Club in Harlem, New York. His music became very popular and influential in the Jazz Age.

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