**Rock and Roll Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[The Birth and Rise of Rock 'n' Roll in the 1950s and 1960s - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/year-10/rock-n-roll-reading/)

1. When did the rock 'n' roll genre first emerge, and which artist's recording is often associated with its birth?
2. What music style is Elvis Presley known for, and what genres does it combine?
3. What role did Sun Records and its founder, Sam Phillips, play in the early years of rock 'n' roll?
4. What was the "British Invasion," and which bands were most associated with this period?
5. What is psychedelic rock, and which bands were at the forefront of this movement?
6. What was the significance of the Woodstock Music Festival in 1969?
7. How did rock 'n' roll influence subsequent decades of music and global culture?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your reading, answer the following question in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*How did people use rock and roll music to influence the societies of their day?*