





## The Origin of Jazz

- Early 1900s: Music historians trace jazz music to early twentieth century New Orleans, where musicians like Jelly Roll Morton, King Oliver, and Louis Armstrong borrowed heavily from ragtime, blues, and second-line horn sections from parades. Southern jazz from New Orleans eventually became known as Dixieland jazz.
- 1920s and '30s: Other early jazz capitals included Chicago and Kansas City, but it was New York City that established jazz as a touchstone of American culture.



## Main features of Jazz

- Distinctive rhythms
- Harmonic sophistication
- Improvisation





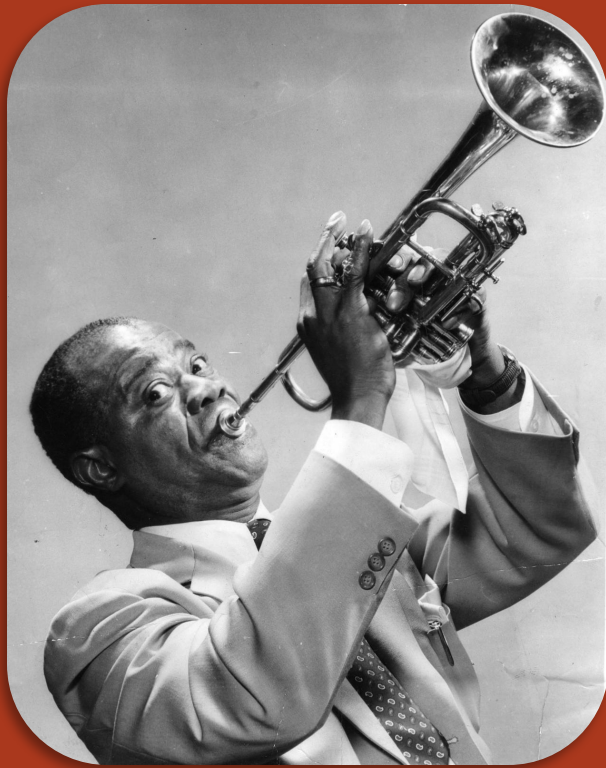
## Essential instruments to play jazz

- 1. Drums
- 2. Bass
- 3. Keyboard
- 4. Guitar
- 5. Trumpet
- 6. Trombone
- 7. Saxophone
- 8. Lead vocals





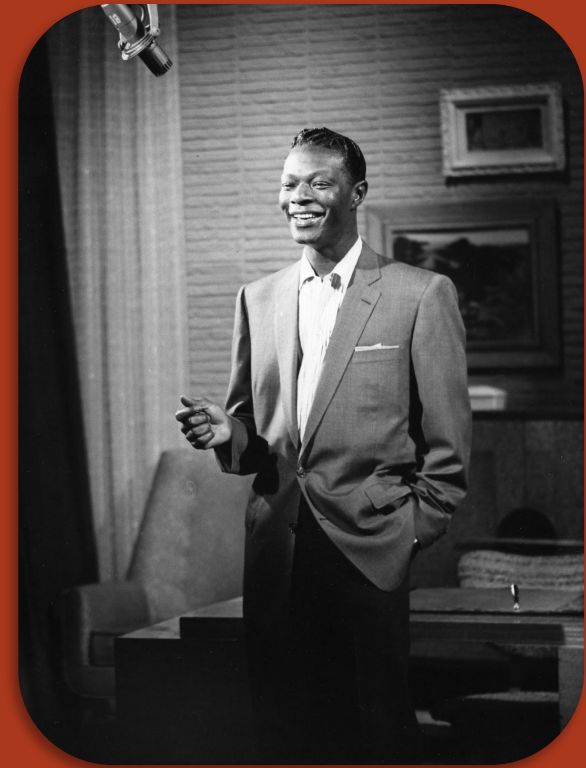
# Popular Jazz performers and influencers



Louis Armstrong



Frank Sinatra



Nat King Cole



**Thank you for your attention!**

