Feelings

What do they sound like?

Why?

- Music is an important part of my life
- Translate sound into a written form

Research

Rhythm

Straight rhythms sound simple, peaceful, boring, and can evoke feelings of sadness.

Irregular, syncopated rhythms sound more complex and create surprise and excitement.

Tempo

Slow tempos are perceived as sad, dragging, and/or calm

Faster tempos are perceived as amusing, expressive, and/or exciting.

Dynamics

Phrasing to emphasize the most important parts of music.

Using dynamics (volume)to amplify and intensify feelings whether that means making a certain part especially loud or very quiet for

Gives a more dramatic effect.

Energy

Animation in a singer's face is audible.

If the vocalist uses a lot of energy to express emotion through their facials, the feeling will be reflected in their voice and be better perceived by listeners.

Harmony

Harmonies are what make up a chord in music.

Dissonant chords are harmonies made of notes that are close in pitch and they provoke feelings of distress, unease, and tension.

Minor chords are sad, and major chords are bright and happy.

Process

Outline

Plan logistics

Guide before transcription

Melody tossed around evenly (so that my singers wouldn't complain about singing backup the whole time)

Intro: all

Verse:

1. Grace
2. Gab (Pre) (back to 4th notes)
3. Seb
4. Kyran (Pre)

Chorus:

1. Grace and Gab lead
    a. Boys back
2. Kyran and Sebastian lead
    a. Girls back

Gab: "Oh simple thing" repeat

1. Kyran and Sebastian lead
    a. Alto backup
    b. Grace oos and ahhs?
2. Grace "This can't be the end of everything…"
3. Gab "so why don't we go…"
4. Sebastian "somewhere only we know"
5. Kyran "somewhere only we know"

Transcription

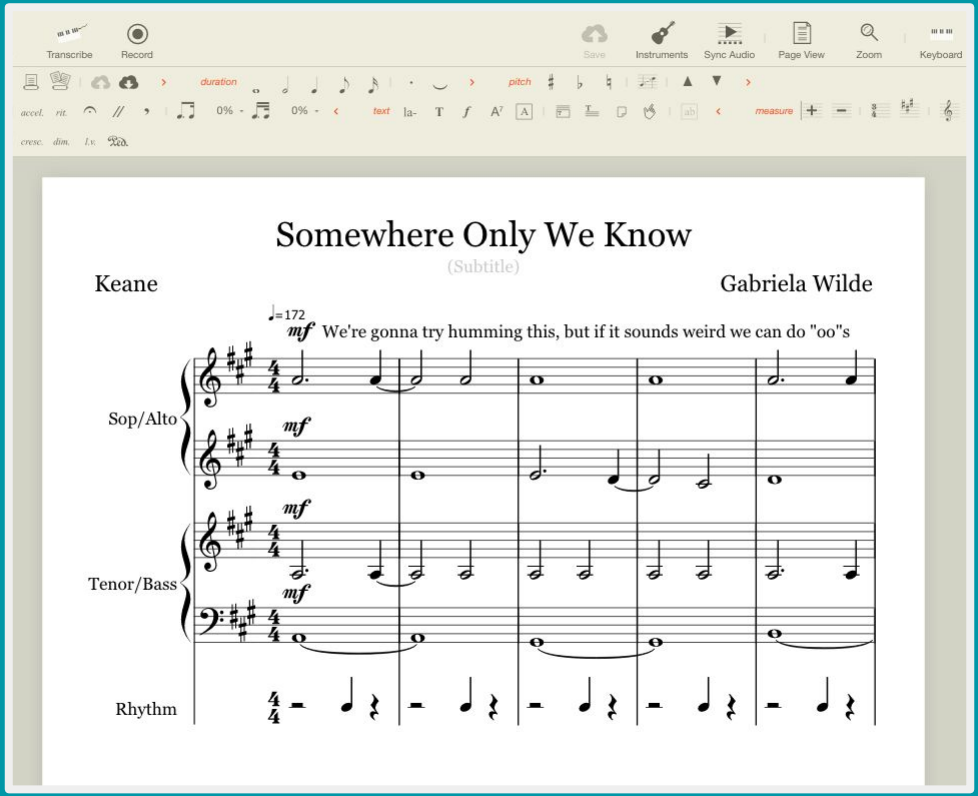
Copied chords and adjusted the rhythms

Added lyrics

Added harmony

Noted dynamics

Made sure it was easy to read



The Song

- https://www.noteflight.com/scores/view/3d33441e8ee4542a3555cb9beba37853d668c86a