

5/6 GRADE MUSIC CURRICULUM MAP 2011-2012

	Aug/Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May
5 th Grade	<p>Elements of Music: <i>Rhythm</i> <i>Melody</i> <i>Harmony</i> <i>Form</i></p> <p>Core Songs: <i>Battle Hymn of the Republic,</i> <i>Danny Boy,</i> <i>Dona Nobis Pacem</i></p>	<p>Elements of Music: Form, Dynamics, Timbre; Musical Notation</p> <p>Listening: Beethoven, "Symphony No. 5;" Mendelssohn "Midsummer Night's Dream"</p> <p>Core Songs: <i>Shenandoah</i></p>	<p>Elements of Music: <i>major v. minor chords</i></p> <p>Music of the Renaissance</p> <p>Listening: Mendelssohn "Midsummer Night's Dream," Desprez, Dowland</p> <p>Core Songs: <i>Greensleeves,</i> <i>Havah Nagilah</i></p>	<p>Elements of Music: <i>review</i></p> <p>Listening: Mussorgsky, "Pictures at an Exhibition"</p> <p>Core Songs: <i>The Happy Wanderer,</i> <i>Sakura</i></p>		<p>American Musical Traditions</p> <p>Core Songs: <i>Git Along Little Dogies,</i> <i>God Bless America,</i> <i>Sweet Betsy from Pike,</i> <i>Red River Valley</i></p>	<p>American Traditional Spirituals</p> <p>Listening: <i>Down By the Riverside, Sometimes I Feel Like a Motherless Child, The Wayfaring Stranger, We Shall Overcome</i></p> <p>Core Songs: <i>If I Had a Hammer, Shenandoah</i></p>	<p>Elements of Music Review: <i>Melody, Harmony</i></p> <p><i>Singing accompanied, unaccompanied and in unison</i></p>	<p>Native American Music</p>
6 th Grade	<p>Elements of Music & Musical Notation: <i>Review</i></p>	<p>Musical Instrument Groups</p>	<p>Medieval Music</p> <p>Listening: <i>Gregorian Chants, Ars Nova</i></p>	<p>Music of the Renaissance</p> <p>Listening: Desprez, Dowland</p>	<p>Baroque</p> <p>Composers: <i>Bach, Handel</i></p>	<p>Classical Music</p> <p>Composers: <i>Mozart, Haydn</i></p>	<p>Beethoven: <i>Transition from Classical to Romantic Movement</i></p> <p>Listening: <i>Beethoven, "Piano Sonata No. 14," "Symphony No. 9"</i></p>	<p>Romantic Period</p> <p>Composers: <i>Schubert, Chopin, Schumann</i></p>	<p>Music in America: <i>Blues, Folk, Ragtime, Jazz</i></p> <p>Listening: <i>Smith, Ritchie, Joplin, Davis, etc.</i></p>