

WESTSIDE MIDDLE SCHOOL 6<sup>th</sup> GRADE MUSIC CURRICULUM MAP

Teacher: Bridges

**AUGUST GOALS:** I. I will continue learn and reaffirm the fundamentals and basic characteristics of music reading and writing including the grand staff, note names, key signatures, time signatures, etc.  
 II. I will learn to analyze music parametrically (SHMRG) and apply knowledge to a wide variety of music styles.  
 III. I will also learn to distinguish between three basic types of musical texture.

FRAMEWORKS	CONTENT	SKILLS
<p><b>F/W:M.4.6.1</b> Respond to music from various cultures, historical periods, and/or events.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Performing</i></li> <li>• <i>listening</i></li> </ul> <p>M.1.6.2 Play/sing a varied <i>repertoire</i> alone and with others.</p> <p>M.2.6..1 <i>Improvise rhythmic variations on familiar melodies</i></p> <p>M.2.6.1</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Knowledge of parameters of music.</li> <li>• Application of these parameters to all styles of msuci.</li> <li>• Performance skills from a musically parametric standpoint.</li> </ul>	<p><i>The student will ...</i></p> <p><i>Week 1</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Respond to music from various cultures, historical periods, and/or events.</li> <li>• Analyze /perform early examples of each of the 5 parameters of music: Melody, Haramony, Rhythm, Timbre, Form</li> </ul> <p><i>Week 2-3</i></p> <p><i>Define the term and analyze examples of MELODY:</i></p> <p><i>Learning note names</i> <i>Intervals :m2 –P8</i> Major and minor scale construction</p> <p>Construct original melody.</p> <p>Analyze modern popular melodies.</p>

<p><i>Improvise</i> using a variety of sound sources</p>	<p>Mastery of major and minor tonalities.</p>	<p>Harmony:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify musical texture.</li> </ul> <p>Monophonic, polyphonic, homophonic From selected from all genre and historical periods. Examples of which under Activities and Content</p> <p>Explore Harmony</p> <p>Listen and sing to these. Count, clap, write melodies. For examples:</p> <p>“I Don’t Care if the Rain Comes Down” (Major) Orff p. 10 “Fall is Here” (Also major) Orff II p. 8</p> <p>Compare and contrast major and minor tonalities.</p> <p>Review Intervals, then learn to build chords:</p> <p>Major, minor, and additional scale degrees</p> <p>Apply by harmonizing melodies from selected material and Norton historical .....texts.</p> <p>ANA (count, clap, sing and write):</p> <p>“Melancholy” in d minor (In parallel minor to F) Orff II p.44</p>	
<p>ACTIVITIES</p>		<p>ASSESSMENTS</p>	<p>RESOURCES</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maintain a binder containing all worksheets: including activities taken from both performance and theory-based perspectives.</li> </ul>		<p>Content of binder.</p> <p>Classroom performance.</p>	<p><i>Norton Anthology of Western Music</i> <i>Norton History of Western Music</i> <i>Norton: Recorded History of Western Music</i></p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identify through musical species the Characteristics of Sound and music, musical texture types.</li> <li>"What next improve game"</li> </ul> <p>Musical examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Chatter with the Angels, Let It Rain, Dock of the Bay.</li> </ul> <p>Early Music:      Epitaph of Seikilos, Euridpides fragment, Early mass Gregorian chant, Ordo virtutum(Hildegarde), Trope (chant), Adam de la Halle: "Robin and Marion," Ventadorn, Beatriz, Hans Sachs,</p>	<p>Original composition of each musical genre.</p>	<p><i>Classroom instruments</i></p>
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<p>varied repertoire alone and with others. 3 / 4 &amp; 4/4 meters</p> <p>M.2.5-7.1 <i>Improvise rhythmic variations on familiar melodies finish and hang chant species).</i></p> <p>M.1.7.3 Refine correct techniques: Classroom instruments.</p> <p>M.1.7.5 <i>Read</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• pattern of a dotted eighth note followed by a sixteenth note or sixteenth rest</li> <li>• variety of tempi (e.g., grave, vivace)</li> <li>• various dynamic levels</li> <li>• 2, or cut time, meter</li> <li>• more complex forms and harmonies (e.g., theme and variations, three-part lines)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Performance skills from a musically parametric standpoint.</li> </ul> <p>Mastery of major and minor tonality.</p>	<p>ANA (count, clap, sing and write). For example</p> <p>“Melancholy” in d minor (In parallel minor to F) Orff II p.44</p> <p>Convert to Major tonality</p> <p>Week 4:</p> <p>Study, analyze, and evaluate Rhythm</p> <p>Define rhythm in historical and historical terms. For example:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• “Alleluia” - by Renaissance composer Josquin.</li> </ul> <p>Rhythm studies from “Standards of Excellence” Count, clap, perform.</p> <p>Compare and contrast rhythms of varied genre.</p> <p>Examples:</p> <p>Folk: Sue Joins the Dancing (English) Popular: “Let It Rain</p>
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>the intervals within the staff (e.g., Major 6, Perfect 5, Perfect 4, Major 3, Major 2, octave)</i></li> </ul>	<p>Week 5-6</p> <p>Study all above parameters using both modern and historical examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Top 40 Popular Songs</li> <li>• Historical examples from any/all musical periods: Antiquity, Baroque, Classical, Romantic (19<sup>th</sup> C.) , 20 C, and Post modern</li> </ul>	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Maintain a binder containing all worksheets: including activities taken from both performance and theory-based perspectives.</li> <li>• Identify through musical species the Characteristics of Sound and music, musical texture types.</li> <li>• “What next improve game”</li> <li>• Invent basic RHY patterns for Djembe.</li> <li>• Analysis chart of musical examples including parameters and musical texture.</li> </ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Musical examples:  Folk: Sue Joins the Dancing (English)  Popular: “Let It Rain” (Canada)  Blues: Dock of the Bay (USA)  Antiquity: Epitaph of Sielkilos (Middle East)  Medieval: Mass for Pope Marcellus ( Italy)  Renaissance: In Ecclesies (France)  Baroque: Handel’s Messiah (Germany)  Classical: Eine Kliene Nochtmusik (Austria)  Romantic: Nocturne ( France)  20 C: Rain Coming (Japan)  Orff examples  I Don’t Care if the Rain Comes Down” (Major) Orff p. 10  “Fall is Here” (Also major) Orff II p. 8</li> </ul>	<p>Content of binder.</p> <p>Classroom formance.</p> <p>Original composition of each musical genre.</p> <p>Perform Rhythms on Djembe.</p> <p>Analysis of each parameter of said music in a chart form.</p>	<p><i>Norton Anthology of Western Music</i>  <i>Norton History of Western Music</i>  <i>Norton: Recorded History of Western Music</i>  <i>Classroom instruments</i></p>

