



SUBJECT: MUSIC 7

GRADE LEVEL:

SCHOOL YEAR: 2022-23

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COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Grade 7 Music is an introduction to music course where students learn how to play and improve their solo or group skills. Through listening, lecture, classroom discussion, and other activities in class, the students will know how to read and sing the notes and different patterns in rhythm, band, orchestra, and choir and appreciate music more. The course will start with basic knowledge of instrument families, notation, and musical symbols.

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

At the end of the course, the student should be able:

- Let the students appreciate and learn more about music and enjoy playing different kinds of instruments or how to sing correctly.
- Let the students have a strong personality and composure in performance in the music events and program field.

PRIMARY TEXTBOOK & OTHER RESOURCES:

- **Music First**
- **Musictheory.net**

ASSESSMENT:

Tests: 30%

Quizzes 30%

Assignment and Project 30%

Department 10%

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Classroom Requirements

- Students should report to class on time.
- Students should bring their instruments and sheet music daily.
- Students should keep their music sheets in a band folder.
- Students should follow all directions given by the band director.

Discipline:

- Verbal warning, second reminder (if needed)
- Write-Up and then referred to the Discipline Office.
- Parent-Teacher conference.

Classroom Rules

- Always bring your instrument and music sheets in a black folder.
- Put back the music stand to its proper place after use.
- No food and drinks
- No cellphones allowed
- Arrange the chairs and table after use.

1st QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENT

<i>(NB: Depending on time and interest, the teacher may delete and/or add other selections.)</i>	
Week / Date	Topic / Projects / Assessments
Week 1 Aug 10th to 12th 3 Days of Class <i>10~ First Day / Orientation Day</i>	<u>Orientation</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduction of Band and Orchestra ensemble• Film viewing of different ensemble
Week 2 Aug 15th to 19th <i>Opening Mass</i>	<u>String family of instruments</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Violin and viola• History and parts of the instrument
Week 3 Aug 22nd to 26th	<u>String family of instruments</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cello and bass• History and parts of the instrument• Techniques of how to play the string instruments.• 2nd period Quiz
Week 4 Aug 29th to Sep 2nd	<u>Wood wind Family of instrument</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Single reed clarinet and saxophone• Flute• History and parts of the instrument
Week 5 Sep 5th to 9th 4 Days of Class <i>8~ Mass & Birthday Mother Mary 9th – Moon Festival</i>	<u>Wood wind Family of instrument</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Double reeds Bassoon and oboe• History and parts of the instruments.• Techniques of how to play the instrument.• 2nd period quiz
Week 6 Sep 12th to 16th FYI – Pre-Exam Days	<u>Introducing different ensemble or group</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• String family and Wood wind family
Week 7 Sep 19th to 23rd	<u>Continuation of different ensemble or group</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• String family and Wood wind family• 2nd period quiz
Week 8 Sep 26th to 30th 2 Days of Class	1st Quarter Music Exam

28-30 ~Teacher's Conference	
Week 9 Oct 3rd to 7th 3 Days of Class <i>6-7 ~Q1 Exams</i>	First quarter exam

2nd QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENT

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Week / Date	Topic / Projects / Assessments
Week 1 (10) Oct 10th to 14th 4 Days of Class <i>10 – Double 10 Holiday</i>	<u>Brass family of instruments</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trumpet and French horn • History and parts of the instrument. • Techniques how to play the instrument.
Week 2 (11) Oct 17th to 21st	<u>Brass family of instruments</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trombone and tuba • History and parts of the instrument. • Techniques how to play the instrument. • Quiz
Week 3 (12) Oct 24th to 28th <i>25-27 – Book Fair</i> <i>28- Masquerade Night</i> <i>TBA-Holy Rosary Mass</i>	<u>Percussion family of instrument</u> Snare drums, cymbals, tympani and etc.
Week 4 (13) Oct 31st to Nov 4th <i>1-All Saint's Day Mass</i>	<u>Percussion family of instrument (continued)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different techniques of playing each percussion instruments. • Quiz
Week 5 (14) Nov 7th to 11th	Introduction of the different ensembles <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brass Family and percussion family of instrument
Week 6 (15) Nov 14th to 18th	Voice classification- Female <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Soprano, mezzo soprano and alto,
Week 7 (16) Nov 21st to 25th <i>25 - YSC Contest</i> <i>25-Gr.12 Q2 Exam</i>	Voice classification- Male <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tenor, baritone and bass. • Quiz
Week 8 (17) Nov 28th to Dec 2nd FYI – Pre-Exam Days <i>28-Gr.12 Q2 Exam</i>	Introduction of different ensemble for Human voice Choir, Duet and other.
Week 9 (18) Dec 5th to 9th <i>8 - Foundation Day Celebrations</i>	2 nd Quarter music exam
Week 10 (19) Dec 12th to 16th 3 Days of Class <i>15-16 ~Q2 Exams</i>	2 nd Quarter exam
Dec 19th to Jan 2nd	Christmas Break

3rd QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENT

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Week / Date	Topic / Projects / Assessments
Week 1 (20) Jan 5 to 6th <u>2 Days of Class</u>	<u>Music Theory:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical Symbols (Staff, Clefs, key signature, time signature, note, sharps, flats....)
Week 2 (21) Jan 9th to 13th	Music Theory <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical terms- Rhythm (Accelerando, presto, etc.....) • Quiz
Week 3 (22) Jan 16th to 20th	<u>Music Theory – Dynamics (continued)</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Musical Symbols and terms (crescendo, decrescendo, diminuendo, forte, etc.....)
Jan 23rd to 27th	Chinese New Year
Week 4 (23) Jan 30th to Feb 3rd	Music Theory: Baroque Composers <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purcell • Bach • Handel
Week 5 (24) Feb 6th to 10th	Music Theory: Classical composer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Haydn • Mozart • Beethoven • quiz
Week 6 (25) Feb 13th to 17th	<u>Music Theory: Classical and Modern composer</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chopin • Copland
Week 7 (26) Feb 20th to 24th <i>20-24 ~IOWA</i> <i>22 ~ Ash Wednesday Mass</i> <i>21-23 ~ Pre-Exam Days</i>	<u>Music Theory: Classical and Modern composer</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Continuation • Quiz
Week 8 (27) Feb 27th to March 3rd <u>3 Days of Class</u> <i>27-28 ~ 228 Memorial Day Holiday</i>	3 rd quarter exam in music
Week 9 (28) March 6th to 10th <u>4 Days of Class</u> <i>11 – Q3 Exams</i>	3 rd Quarter Exam

4th QUARTER – TENTATIVE COURSE CONTENT

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Week / Date	Topic / Projects / Assessments
Week 1 (29) March 13th to 17th <u>4 Days of Class</u> <i>13 – Q3 Exams</i> <i>14~ Q4 Begins</i>	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to read notes?
Week 2 (30) March 20th to 24th <i>20 ~ Fire Drill</i>	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing and identifying notes
Week 3 (31) March 27th to 31st	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singing the notes in the G-Staff / clef • Practical test
Apr 3rd to 14th	Easter Break
Week 4 (33) Apr 17th to 21st	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Singing the notes in the F-staff/clef • Note construction and identification
Week 5 (34) Apr 24th to 28th <i>24-28 ~ AP Mock Exams</i>	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Note Reading and writing- G and F staff/clef • Ear Training
Week 6 (35) May 1st to 5th <i>2-4~ Pre-Exam</i> <i>1-5~ Final Exams (K, 5, 8, 12 only)</i> <i>1-5 ~ AP Exams</i>	Introduction to Solfeggio <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ear Training Activity
Week 7 (36) May 8th to 12th <i>8-12~ Final Exams(K, 5, 8, 12 only)</i> <i>1-5 ~ AP Exams</i>	4th Quarter Music Exam
Week 8 (37) May 15th to 19th <u>3 Days of Class</u> <i>18-19~ Q4 Exams</i>	4th quarter exam
Week 9 (38) May 22nd to 26th <u>4 Days of Class</u> <i>22~ Record Day</i> <i>23-26 ~ Student Clearance</i>	
Week 10 (39) May 29th to June 2nd <u>4 Days of Class</u> <i>1 ~ Students Last Day</i> <i>2~ Teachers/Staff Meeting</i>	