Big Ideas/Key Concepts: Exploration of Musical Themes

Enduring Understandings: Performers make musical decisions based on their personal experiences and understanding of music.

Essential Question: How do performers interpret music?

Standards	Student Friendly "I Can" Statements	Selected Repertoire, Scales/Keys, Rhythm/Meter, Notes, Percussion, Orchestra, Vocabulary, Connections
PERFORM HS1.IM.P1.A Explain the criteria used to select a varied repertoire to study, based on an understanding of the theoretical and structural characteristics of the music, the technical skill of the individual or ensemble, and the purpose or context of the performance. HS1.IM.P1.B Demonstrate, using music	PERFORM I can explain why I selected music to study based on the challenges in the music versus my ability to play it. I can select warm-ups and etudes to study that develop my skills based on music being studied. I can demonstrate how compositional	Key Signatures, Time Signatures, Chord Structure, Major and Minor Intervals.
reading skills, how composition devices and theoretical and structural aspects of music works impact and inform prepared and/or improvised performances.	devices impact prepared performances using music reading skills. I can demonstrate how theoretical and	
	structural aspects of musical works impact prepared performances using music reading skills. I can mark significant compositional devices (such as dynamics, tempo, articulations, etc.) in my music.	

 HS1.IM.P1.C Demonstrate an understanding of context in a varied repertoire of music through prepared and/or improvised performances. HS1.IM.P2.A Demonstrate the ability to read and/or notate music individually and in ensemble settings. For example: identify, notate, and perform selected TBA Grade III music using correct pitches, meters, and rhythms. HS1.IM.P2.B Demonstrate fundamental 	 I can compare and contrast how different venues impact a performance (for example: Concert Hall, Festival, Outdoors, Nursing home, etc.) I can read my part in Grade III music. I can read a Grade III musical score with at least two staves. I can identify and perform intermediate level pitches and rhythms. I can identify and notate key signatures of scales and literature being performed. I can produce a characteristic tone while 	Whole notes, half notes, quarter notes, eighth notes, dotted half notes, sixteenth notes, quarter note triplets, eighth note triplets, simple eighth note syncopation, simple meters (2/4, 3/4, 4/4, C), compound meters (5/4, 6/4, 6/8, 2/2), standard notation
control, technical accuracy, range, and fluency on the instrument, performing a varied repertoire of music, individually and in ensemble settings. For example: demonstrate correct posture, embouchure, breathing, characteristic tone, intonation, and phrasing. Demonstrate fingering, percussion sticking, bowing, and elements related to manual dexterity. Perform 12 major scales, a chromatic scale, and 40 standard rudiments	playing my instrument.I can demonstrate and apply correct technique on my instrument.I can match pitch to facilitate correct intonation.	Winds: Embouchure, appropriate equipment and instrument maintenance. Hand position, breathing, and posture.Percussion: Stick/mallet grip, assemblyOrchestra: Legato bowing, posture, bow hold, proper set up, and left-hand position.Guitar: Appropriate posture, pick hold, left hand position, strum motion.Piano: Posture and hand position Scales & Rudiments

		 Winds/Mallets: 4 Major scales, one octave, plus the associated arpeggio and chromatic scale Non-mallet percussion: Vic Firth Tier 1 Rudiments. Tune timpani to a reference pitch. Orchestra: All scales up to 3 sharps and 3 flats (one octave) C, G, D, A (two octaves) plus the associated arpeggios Guitar: Common I, IV, V7 chord progressions in D, G, A, E, C, Am, and Em. Piano: C and G pentatonic scales
HS1.IM.P2.C Demonstrate musical literacy on the instrument, individually and in ensemble settings, by adequately sight reading a varied repertoire of music at UIL level III. For example: apply elements associated with successful sight- reading using a variety of meters, tempi, and key signatures.	I can apply elements associated with successful sight-reading.	
HS1.IM.P2.D Develop and apply strategies to address technical and expressive challenges in a varied repertoire of music. For example: evaluate and refine success using feedback from teachers, ensemble peers, professional recordings, and other sources.	I can apply ways to address technical issues in a varied repertoire of music. I can use teacher-provided criteria to evaluate and improve a personal performance.	

CREATE	CREATE	
HS1.IM.Cr1.A Compose and/or	I can identify the characteristics of the	
improvise ideas for melodies, rhythmic	music being studied.	
passages, arrangements, or over a chordal		
structure for specific purposes that reflect	I can compose ideas for melodies and	
characteristic(s) of music from a variety	rhythmic passages that reflect	
of historical periods.	characteristics of music from a variety of	
	historical periods.	
	RESPOND	
RESPOND	I can identify reasons for selecting music	
HS1.IM.R1.A Identify and justify reasons	based on characteristics found in research.	
for selecting music based on		
characteristics found in music, context,	I can justify reasons for selecting music	
student interest, and personal research	based on characteristics found in research.	
from teacher-provided sources.		
HS1.IM.R1.B Analyze and explain how	I can analyze how context influences	
context and the manipulation of musical	response to music.	
elements influence response to music.		
CONNECT	CONNECT	
HS1.IM.Cn1.A Demonstrate how	I can demonstrate how interests,	
interests, knowledge, and skills relate to	knowledge, and skills relate to personal	
personal choices and intent when creating,	choices and intent when responding to	
performing, and responding to music.	music.	
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HS1.IM.Cn2.A Demonstrate	I can demonstrate an understanding of	
understanding of relationships between	relationships between music and the other	
music and the other arts, other disciplines,	arts.	
varied contexts, and daily life.		

Big Ideas/Key Concepts: Development and refinement of musical concepts and artistic techniques.

Enduring Understandings: To express their musical ideas, musicians analyze, evaluate, and refine their performance over time through openness to new ideas, persistence, and the application of appropriate criteria.

Essential Question: How do musicians improve the quality of their performance?		
Standards	Student Friendly "I Can" Statements	Selected Repertoire, Scales/Keys, Rhythm/Meter, Notes, Percussion, Orchestra, Vocabulary, Connections
PERFORM HS1.IM.P1.A Explain the criteria used to select a varied repertoire to study, based on an understanding of theoretical and structural characteristics of the music, the technical skill of the individual or ensemble, and the purpose of context of the performance.	PERFORM I can identify technical challenges in music being studied. I can identify structural characteristics of the music.	
HS1.IM.P1.B Demonstrate, using music reading skills, how compositional devices and theoretical and structural aspects of musical works impact and inform prepared and/or improvised performances.	I can demonstrate how theoretical aspects of music impact and inform my performance. I can mark theoretical and structural aspects of musical works (such as key changes, repeated patterns, chordal structures, etc.). I can explain how theoretical and structural aspects of music works will inform my practice and impact my performance.	

Essential Question: How do musicians improve the quality of their performance?

HS1.IM.P2.A Demonstrate the ability to read and/or notate music individually and in ensemble settings. For example: identify, notate and perform selected TBA Grade III music using correct pitches, meters, and rhythms.	I can demonstrate the ability to read Grade III rhythms and pitches.	Whole notes, half notes, quarter notes, eighth notes, dotted half notes, sixteenth notes, quarter note triplets, eighth note triplets, simple eighth note syncopation, simple meters (2/4, 3/4, 4/4, C), compound meters (5/4, 6/4, 6/8, 2/2), standard notation
HS1.IM.P2.B Demonstrate fundamental control, technical accuracy, range, fluency on the instrument, performing a varied repertoire of music, individually and in ensemble settings. For example: demonstrate correct posture, embouchure, breathing, characteristic tone, intonation, balance and blend. Apply appropriate articulation, tempi, dynamics, style, and phrasing. Demonstrate fingerings, percussion sticking, bowing, and elements related to manual dexterity. Perform 12 major scales, a chromatic scale, and 40 standard rudiments.	I can produce a characteristic tone at a mezzo forte dynamic level. I can begin to make adjustments to facilitate correct intonation. I can demonstrate and apply correct technique at an advancing level.	Technique Winds: Proper articulation techniquesPercussion: Stick and mallet control. Vic Firth Tier 2 Rudiments. Orchestra: Proper bow placement, weight, angle, speed and pressureGuitar: Standard strumming patternsPiano: Hand position with black keysScales & Rudiments Winds/Mallets: 4 Major Scales continuing in Circle of 5ths, one octave, plus the associated arpeggio and chromatic scale.Non-Mallet Percussion: Vic Firth Tier 2 Rudiments.Orchestra: All Major Scales in 2 octaves with the associated arpeggio.Guitar: Open E Scale

		 Piano: D and A pentatonic, C major octave, hands together, G major one octave, hands separately <u>Musicality</u> dynamics from pp-ff, fermata, ritardando, legato, staccato
HS1.IM.P2.C Demonstrate musical literacy on the instrument, individually and in ensemble settings, by adequately sight reading a varied repertoire of music at UIL level III. For example: apply elements associated with successful sight- reading using a variety of meters, tempi, and key signatures.	I can identify and notate key signatures of scales and literature being performed. I can sight read a piece of music at UIL Level III in an ensemble setting.	
HS1.IM.P2.D Develop and apply strategies to address technical and expressive challenges in a varied repertoire of music. For example: evaluate and refine success using feedback from teachers, ensemble, peers, professional recordings, and other sources.	I can apply ways to address expressive challenges in a varied repertoire of music.	
HS1.IM.P3.A Demonstrate attention to musical literacy, fundamental control, technical accuracy, and expressive qualities in prepared and/or improvised performances of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse cultures, styles, and genres.	I can demonstrate attention to expressive concepts in Grade III music	

HS1.IM.P3.B Demonstrate an understanding of expressive intent by connecting with an audience through prepared and/or improvised performances.	I can describe an audience's response to a performance. I can describe how the expressive intent of a performance affects an audience's response.	
CREATE HS1.IM.Cr1.A Compose and/or improvise ideas for melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, or over a chordal structure for specific purposes that reflect characteristic(s) of music from a variety of historical periods.	CREATE I can improvise ideas for melodies and rhythmic passages that reflect characteristics of music from a variety of historical periods.	
HS1.IM.CR2.A Select and develop melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, or chordal structures for specific purposes that demonstrate understanding of characteristic(s) of music from a variety of historical periods studied in rehearsal.	I can collaboratively develop guidelines for a composition.	
HS1.IM.CR2.B Describe and document compositions and/or improvisations through standard notation and recording technology.	I can describe my original composition. I can describe my original improvisation.	
HS1.IM.CR3.A Evaluate and refine draft melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, and improvisations based on established criteria, including the	I can evaluate my original composition or improvisation.	

extent to which they address identified purposes.		
RESPOND	RESPOND	
HS1.IM.R1.A Identify and justify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in music, context,	I can identify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in student interest.	
student interest, and personal research from teacher-provided sources.	I can justify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in student interest.	
HS1.IM.R1.B Analyze and explain how context and the manipulation of musical elements influence response to music.	I can explain how context influences response to music.	
HS1.IM.R2.A Explain and support interpretations of the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the treatment of the elements of music, contexts, historical significance,	I can explain the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the treatment of the elements of music.	
and personal research.	I can support interpretations of the expressive intent and meaning of musical	
CONNECT HS1.IM.Cn1. A Demonstrate how interests, knowledge, and skills relate to	works, citing as evidence the treatment of the elements of music.	
personal choices and intent when creating,	CONNECT	
performing, and responding to music.	I can demonstrate how interests, knowledge, and skills relate to personal choices and intent when performing music.	

HS1.IM.Cn2.A Demonstrate	I can demonstrate an understanding of	
understanding of relationships between	relationships between music and other	
music and the other arts, other disciplines,	disciplines.	
varied contexts, and daily life.		

Big Ideas/Key Concepts: Exploration of Musical Concepts

Enduring Understandings: Performers make musical decisions based on their understanding of musical concepts.

Student Friendly "I Can" Statements Standards Selected Repertoire, Scales/Keys, Rhythm/Meter, Notes, Percussion, **Orchestra**, Vocabulary, Connections PERFORM PERFORM HS1.IM.P1.A Explain the criteria used to I can explain how to select music for select a varied repertoire to study, based different purposes and contexts. (For on an understanding of theoretical and example: warmups, etudes, in-class structural characteristics of the music, the performances, mid-state auditions, solo technical skill of the individual or and ensemble, etc.) ensemble, and the purpose of context of the performance. I can explain how various warm-ups and etudes can prepare the performer(s) for various challenges in repertoire. HS1.IM.P1.B Demonstrate, using music I can compare and contrast how reading skills, how compositional devices compositional devices and theoretical and and theoretical and structural aspects of structural aspects of music inform musical works impact and inform performance. prepared and/or improvised performances. HS1.IM.P2.A Demonstrate the ability to I can read and notate Grade III with read and/or notate music individually and accurate pitch, rhythm, and intonation. in ensemble settings. For example: identify, notate and perform selected TBA Grade III music using correct pitches, meters, and rhythms.

Essential Question: How do performers use musical concepts to develop musicianship?

HS1.IM.P2.B Demonstrate fundamental	I can produce a characteristic tone at	Technique
control, technical accuracy, range, fluency	varying dynamic levels.	Winds: Contrasting articulations
on the instrument, performing a varied		(tonguing, slurring)
repertoire of music, individually and in	I can make adjustments to facilitate	
ensemble settings. For example:	correct intonation.	Percussion: Using appropriate grip
demonstrate correct posture, embouchure,		
breathing, characteristic tone, intonation,	I can apply correct technique in a variety	Orchestra: Shifting to 5th position (5th
balance and blend. Apply appropriate	of repertoire.	position for bass), Bow strokes: Detache,
articulation, tempi, dynamics, style, and		Martele, Spiccato, etc.
phrasing. Demonstrate fingerings,		
percussion sticking, bowing, and elements		Guitar: Appropriate posture, left hand
related to manual dexterity. Perform 12		position, and right hand position
major scales, a chromatic scale, and 40		
standard rudiments.		Piano: Crossover/under techniques in
		passages with more than 5 pitches
		Scales & Rudiments
		Winds/Mallets: 4 Major Scales Continue
		Circle of Fifths, one octave, plus the
		associated arpeggio and chromatic scale
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		Non-Mallet Percussion: Vic Firth Tier 3
		Rudiments.
		Orchestra: C, G, and D three octaves, plus
		the associated arpeggio
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		Guitar: Open E Scale
		Piano: G Major scale one octave hands
		together and associated cadence, De
		Major scale one octave, hands separate
		and associated cadence

HS1.IM.P2.C Demonstrate musical literacy on the instrument, individually and in ensemble settings, by adequately	I can sight read a piece of music at UIL Level III in an individual setting.	
sight reading a varied repertoire of music at UIL level III. For example: apply elements associated with successful sight- reading using a variety of meters, tempi, and key signatures.		
HS1.IM.P2.D Develop and apply strategies to address technical and expressive challenges in a varied repertoire of music. For example: evaluate and refine success using feedback from teachers, ensemble, peers, professional recordings, and other sources.	I can develop and apply ways to address technical issues in a varied repertoire of music.	
HS1.IM.P3.A Demonstrate attention to musical literacy, fundamental control, technical accuracy, and expressive qualities in prepared and/or improvised performances of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse cultures, styles, and genres.	I can develop and apply ways to address expressive challenges in music. I can balance instrumental timbres and match dynamic levels and playing style of Grade III music.	
CREATE HS1.IM.Cr1.A Compose and/or improvise ideas for melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, or over a chordal structure for specific purposes that reflect characteristic(s) of music from a variety of historical periods.	CREATE I can compose and/or improvise arrangements that reflect characteristics of music from a variety of historical periods.	

HS1.IM.CR2.A Select and develop melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, or chordal structures for specific purposes that demonstrate understanding of characteristic(s) of music from a variety of historical periods studied in rehearsal.	I can create a plan for developing a composition.	
HS1.IM.CR2.B Describe and document compositions and/or improvisations through standard notation and recording technology.	I can document my composition in standard notation.	
RESPOND HS1.IM.R1.A Identify and justify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in music, context, student interest, and personal research from teacher-provided sources. HS1.IM.R1.B Analyze and explain how context and the manipulation of musical elements influence response to music. HS1.IM.R2.A Explain and support interpretations of the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the treatment of the elements of	RESPOND I can identify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in music. I can justify reasons for selecting music based on characteristics found in music. I can analyze how the manipulation of musical elements influences response to music. I can explain the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the contexts. I can support interpretations of the expressive intent and	
music, contexts, historical significance, and personal research.	meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the contexts.	

CONNECT	CONNECT
HS1.IM.Cn2.A Demonstrate understanding of relationships between music and the other arts, other disciplines, varied contexts, and daily life.	I can demonstrate an understanding of relationships between music and varied contexts.

Big Ideas/Key Concepts: Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to artistic endeavors.

Enduring Understandings: Musicians connect their personal interests, experiences, ideas and knowledge to creating, performing, and responding.

Essential Question: Musicians connect their personal interests, experiences, ideas and knowledge to creating, performing, and responding.

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PERFORM HS1.IM.P1.A Explain the criteria used to select a varied repertoire to study, based on an understanding of theoretical and structural characteristics of the music, the technical skill of the individual or ensemble, and the purpose of context of the performance.	PERFORM I can explain how I selected music to study based on the theoretical or structural aspects of music (for example: recognizing where patterns are repeated, phrases, etc.).	
HS1.IM.P1.B Demonstrate, using music reading skills, how compositional devices and theoretical and structural aspects of musical works impact and inform prepared and/or improvised performances.	I can identify the compositional devices and theoretical and structural aspects of my music. I can compare how compositional devices and theoretical and structural aspects of music are used in different pieces of music (ex. Terraced dynamics in baroque music).	
HS1.IM.P1.C Demonstrate an understanding of context in a varied	I can demonstrate appropriate concert etiquette based on the performance venue.	

 repertoire of music through prepared and/or improvised performances. HS1.IM.P2.A Demonstrate the ability to read and/or notate music individually and in ensemble settings. For example: identify, notate and perform selected TBA Grade III music using correct pitches, meters, and rhythms. 	I can read and notate Grade IV with accurate pitch, rhythm, and intonation.	
HS1.IM.P2.B Demonstrate fundamental control, technical accuracy, range, fluency on the instrument, performing a varied repertoire of music, individually and in ensemble settings. For example: demonstrate correct posture, embouchure, breathing, characteristic tone, intonation, balance and blend. Apply appropriate articulation, tempi, dynamics, style, and phrasing. Demonstrate fingerings, percussion sticking, bowing, and elements related to manual dexterity. Perform 12 major scales, a chromatic scale, and 40 standard rudiments.	I can employ characteristic tone alone or with a group appropriate to the literature being studied. I can demonstrate basic tuning with or without an electronic tuner. I can apply correct technique in a variety of repertoire.	TechniqueWinds: Consistent embouchure for contrasting articulations, BreathingPercussion: Tuning with an electronic tuner Orchestra: Smooth shifting technique from 3rd to 5th position.Guitar: Hammer On/Pull Off TechniquePiano: Correct hand position in multiple keysScales & RudimentsWinds/Mallets: Review Sequence Major scales, add additional octaves where appropriate, plus the associated arpeggio and chromatic scaleNon-Mallet Percussion: Vic Firth Tier 4 Rudiments

		 Strings: A, E, F and B-flat major scales, three octaves, plus the associated arpeggio Guitar: Am Pentatonic Scale and Blues Scale Guitar: Open E Scale Piano: D Major one octave scale, hands together and associated cadence. F Major pentatonic scale, hands together.
HS1.IM.P3.A Demonstrate attention to musical literacy, fundamental control, technical accuracy, and expressive qualities in prepared and/or improvised performances of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse cultures, styles, and genres.	I can define and apply music terminology found in the music literature being studied as a means of musical expression.	pentatonie scale, nanos togetilei.
HS1.IM.P3.B Demonstrate an understanding of expressive intent by connecting with an audience through prepared and/or improvised performances	I can demonstrate the expressive intent of a piece of music by connecting with an audience in a performance	
CREATE HS1.IM.Cr1.A Compose and/or improvise ideas for melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, or over a chordal structure for specific purposes that reflect characteristic(s) of music from a variety of historical periods.	CREATE I can compose and/or improvise a melody over a given chordal structure that reflect characteristics of music from a variety of historical periods.	

HS1.IM.CR2.B Describe and document compositions and/or improvisations through standard notation and recording technology.	I can record my original composition or improvisation.	
HS1.IM.CR3.A Evaluate and refine draft melodies, rhythmic passages, arrangements, and improvisations based on established criteria, including the extent to which they address identified purposes.	I can refine my original composition or improvisation.	
HS1.IM.CR3.B Share personally developed melodies, rhythmic passages, and arrangements, individually or as an ensemble, which address identified purposes.	I can present my finalized composition to a group.	
RESPOND	RESPOND	
HS1.IM.R1.A Identify and justify reasons	I can identify reasons for selecting music	
for selecting music based on characteristics found in music, context,	based on characteristics found in context.	
student interest, and personal research	I can justify reasons for selecting music	
from teacher-provided sources.	based on characteristics found in context.	
HS1.IM.R1.B Analyze and explain how context and the manipulation of musical elements influence response to music.	I can explain how the manipulation of musical elements influences response to music.	
HS1.IM.R2.A Explain and support interpretations of the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the treatment of the elements of	I can explain the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the historical significance.	

music, contexts, historical significance, and personal research.	I can support interpretations of the expressive intent and meaning of musical works, citing as evidence the historical significance.	
CONNECT	CONNECT	
HS1.IM.Cn1.A Demonstrate how	I can demonstrate how interests,	
interests, knowledge, and skills relate to personal choices and intent when creating, performing, and responding to music.	knowledge, and skills relate to personal choices and intent when creating music.	
HS1.IM.Cn2.A Demonstrate understanding of relationships between music and the other arts, other disciplines, varied contexts, and daily life.	I can demonstrate an understanding of relationships between music and daily life.	