

Kindergarten Music

Course Compendium

UNITS OF STUDY*

Unit 1: *Introduction to Our Musical World* (8 Weeks, September)

Unit 2: *Folk, Seasonal and Patriotic Music* (4 Weeks, November)

Unit 3: *Performance Skills* (8 Weeks, December)

Unit 4: *Beginning Music Literacy* (8 Weeks, February)

Unit 5: *Respecting Musical Choices* (8 Weeks, April)

INTERDISCIPLINARY CONNECTIONS

Social Studies

6.1.4.D.19 Explain how experiences and events may be interpreted differently by people with different cultural or individual perspectives.

6.1.4.D.20 Describe why it is important to understand the perspectives of other cultures in an interconnected world.

6.3.4.D.1 Identify actions that are unfair or discriminatory, such as bullying, and propose solutions to address such actions.

6.1.4.A.10 Describe how the actions of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., and other civil rights leaders served as catalysts for social change and inspired social activism in subsequent generations.

6.1.P.D.4 Learn about and respect other cultures within the classroom and community

6.1.P.D.3 Express individuality and cultural diversity (e.g., through dramatic play).

6.1.4.D.6 Describe the civic leadership qualities and historical contributions of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, and Benjamin Franklin toward the development of the United States government.

Language Arts

NJSLSA.R6. Assess how point of view or purpose shapes the content and style of a text.

NJSLSA.R7. Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.

NJSLSA.R5. Analyze the structure of texts, including how specific sentences, paragraphs, and larger portions of the text (e.g., a section, chapter, scene, or stanza) relate to each other and the whole.

RL.2.2. Recount stories, including fables and folktales from diverse cultures, and determine their central message/theme, lesson, or moral.

RL.2.4. Describe how words and phrases (e.g., regular beats, alliteration, rhymes, repeated lines) supply rhythm and meaning in a story, poem, or song.

RL.1.3. Describe characters, settings, and major event(s) in a story, using key details.

NJSLSA.SL1. Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively.

NJSLSA.L3. Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

World Language

7.1.NM.C.2 Imitate, recite, and/or dramatize simple poetry, rhymes, songs, and skits.

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Mathematics

MA.K.K.MD.B.3 - [Standard] - Classify objects into given categories; count the numbers of objects in each category and sort the categories by count.

MA.K.K.CC.A - Know number names and the count sequence.

21st Century Life and Careers

CRP2. Apply appropriate academic and technical skills.

CRP4. Communicate clearly and effectively and with reason.

CRP6. Demonstrate creativity and innovation.

CRP11. Use technology to enhance productivity.

9.2.4.A.4 Explain why knowledge and skills acquired in the elementary grades lay the foundation for future academic and career success.

Technology

8.2.2.B.1 Identify how technology impacts or improves life.

8.2.2.B.4 Identify how the ways people live and work has changed because of technology.

8.2.2.C.1 Brainstorm ideas on how to solve a problem or build a product.

GENERAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR DIVERSE LEARNERS		
English Language Learners	Students Receiving Special Education Services	Advanced Learners
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Personal glossary - Text-to-speech - Extended time - Simplified / verbal instructions - Frequent breaks <p>WIDA Can Do Descriptors for Grade2 WIDA Essential Actions Handbook FABRIC Paradigm Wall Township ESL Grading Protocol</p> <p>*Use WIDA Can Do Descriptors in coordination with Student Language Portraits (SLPs).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Small group/One to one - Additional time - Review of directions - Student restates information - Space for movement or breaks - Extra visual and verbal cues and prompts - Preferential seating - Follow a routine/schedule - Rest breaks - Verbal and visual cues regarding directions and staying on task - Checklists - Immediate feedback <p>Students receiving Special Education programming have specific goals and objectives, as well as accommodations and modifications outlined within their Individualized Education Plans (IEP) due to an identified disability and/or diagnosis. In addition to exposure to the general education curriculum, instruction is differentiated based upon the student's needs. The IEP acts as a supplemental curriculum guide inclusive of instructional strategies that support each learner.</p> <p>National Center on Universal Design for Learning - About UDL UDL Checklist UDL Key Terms</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Use of high level academic vocabulary/texts - Problem-based learning - Pre-assess to condense curriculum - Interest-based research - Authentic problem-solving - Homogeneous grouping opportunities <p>Knowledge and Skill Standards in Gifted Education for All Teachers Pre-K-Grade 12 Gifted Programming Standards Gifted Programming Glossary of Terms</p>
		Students with 504 Plan
		Teachers are responsible for implementing designated services and strategies identified on a student's 504 Plan.
At Risk Learners / Differentiation Strategies		
Alternative Assessments Choice Boards Games and Tournaments Group Investigations	Independent Research & Projects Multiple Intelligence Options Project-Based Learning Varied Supplemental Activities Tiered Activities/Assignments Tiered Products Graphic Organizers Choice of Songs/Activities Mini-Workshops to Reteach or Extend Think-Pair-Share by readiness or interest Use of Collaboration of Various Activities	Jigsaw Think-Tac-Toe Cubing Activities Exploration by Interest Flexible Grouping Goal-Setting with Students Homework Options Open-Ended Activities Varied Product Choices Stations/Centers Work Alone/Together

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