

# 3rd Grade Music

## Course Compendium

### **UNITS OF STUDY\***

Unit 1- *Building Blocks in Music Theory* (8 Weeks, September)

Unit 2- *Expressive Elements in Music Theory* (8 Weeks, November)

Unit 3- *Recorder Unit* (10 Weeks, January)

Unit 4- *Performance Critique* (5 Weeks, April)

Unit 5- *Music of Cultural Significance* (5 Weeks, May)

### **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.

#### **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.

**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.

**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.

### **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.3** Investigate both traditional and nontraditional careers and relate information to personal likes and dislikes.

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

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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"> <li>- Personal glossary</li> <li>- Text-to-speech</li> <li>- Extended time</li> <li>- Simplified / verbal instructions</li> <li>- Frequent breaks</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">WIDA Can Do Descriptors for Grade 2</a>  <a href="#">WIDA Essential Actions Handbook</a>  <a href="#">FABRIC Paradigm</a>  <a href="#">Wall Township ESL Grading Protocol</a></p> <p>*Use WIDA Can Do Descriptors in coordination with Student Language Portraits (SLPs).</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Small group/One to one</li> <li>- Additional time</li> <li>- Review of directions</li> <li>- Student restates information</li> <li>- Space for movement or breaks</li> <li>- Extra visual and verbal cues and prompts</li> <li>- Preferential seating</li> <li>- Follow a routine/schedule</li> <li>- Rest breaks</li> <li>- Verbal and visual cues regarding directions and staying on task</li> <li>- Checklists</li> <li>- Immediate feedback</li> </ul> <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><a href="#">National Center on Universal Design for Learning - About UDL</a>  <a href="#">UDL Checklist</a>  <a href="#">UDL Key Terms</a></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Use of high level academic vocabulary/texts</li> <li>- Problem-based learning</li> <li>- Preassess to condense curriculum</li> <li>- Interest-based research</li> <li>- Authentic problem-solving</li> <li>- Homogeneous grouping opportunities</li> </ul> <p><a href="#">Knowledge and Skill Standards in Gifted Education for All Teachers Pre-K-Grade 12 Gifted Programming Standards</a>  <a href="#">Gifted Programming Glossary of Terms</a></p>
		<b>Students with 504 Plan</b>
		Teachers are responsible for implementing designated services and strategies identified on a student's 504 Plan.
At Risk Learners / Differentiation Strategies		
<p>Alternative Assessments            Choice Boards            Games and Tournaments            Group Investigations</p>	<p>Independent Research &amp; 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</p>	<p>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</p>

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