Unit I: Introduction to Marching Band Techniques

Content Area: **Music**
Course(s): **Band**
Time Period: **September**
Length: **3 weeks**
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Transfer

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Enduring Understandings

Student musicians perform various music styles, techniques, and genres.

Student musicians integrate their musical experience into becoming valued, respected, and valued members of their community.

Essential Questions

How can the ensemble best convey the essence of the music to the audience?

How does the ability and performance of the individual affect the group's performance?

Content

Terminology

Projection

Intonation

Tone Production

Glide Step

Posture

Learning Objectives

Perform in an ensemble setting.

Perform marching band field show music from memory.

Demonstrate musical expression.

Demonstrate part independence.

Demonstrate articulations, dynamics, and phrasing conforming to the genre that is being performed.

Demonstrate the ability to marching in time with the music.

Demonstrate the ability to identify and perform key signatures and time signatures

Standards

VPA.1.1.12	All students will demonstrate an understanding of the elements and principles that govern the creation of works of art in dance, music, theatre, and visual art.
VPA.1.1.12.B	Music
VPA.1.1.12.B.1	Examine how aspects of meter, rhythm, tonality, intervals, chords, and harmonic progressions are organized and manipulated to establish unity and variety in genres of musical compositions.
VPA.1.1.12.B.2	Synthesize knowledge of the elements of music in the deconstruction and performance of complex musical scores from diverse cultural contexts.
VPA.1.3.12	All students will synthesize those skills, media, methods, and technologies appropriate to creating, performing, and/or presenting works of art in dance, music, theatre, and visual art.
VPA.1.3.12.B	Music
VPA.1.3.12.B.1	Analyze compositions from different world cultures and genres with respect to technique, musicality, and stylistic nuance, and/or perform excerpts with technical accuracy, appropriate musicality, and the relevant stylistic nuance.