Unit: 8 Spring Concert Preparation

Content Area: **Music**
Course(s): **Concert Choir, Chamber Choir, Advanced Chamber Choir**
Time Period: **April**
Length: **5 weeks**
Status: **Published**

Enduring Understandings

The more technical skills you master, the broader your capacity as a performer

The performance of music requires skills of vocal technique and creative thinking

Singing in small ensemble improves intonation and pitch [adv]

Essential Questions

How do I communicate the meaning of music by using the text?

How will vocal technique and musical skills influence my performance?

How does singing in a small ensemble improve my choral skills? [adv]

Content

Vocabulary:

a cappella

vocal technique

emotion

intonation

pitch

Skills

Perform vocal music concert repertoire independently and in a group.

Performance of choral parts a cappella

Perform with an understanding of text and stylization

Perform in small ensembles

Describe musical characteristics, styles, and forms found in music.

Resources

Standards

NJ: 2014 CCCS: Visual & Performing Arts
NJ: Grade 12
1.1 The Creative Process
B. Music
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.
1.3 Performance
B. Music
1.3.12.B.2 Analyze how the elements of music are manipulated in original or prepared musical scores.