**UNIT** : Terminology and Symbols

# NATIONAL STANDARDS:

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Pr4.2 – Analyzing creators' context and how they manipulate elements of music provides insight into their intent and informs performance.

Pr4.3 – Performers make interpretive decisions based on their understanding of context and expressive intent.

## Common Anchor 5:

• <u>Rehearse, Evaluate and Refine</u>: evaluate and refine personal and ensemble performances, individually or in collaboration with others.

Pr5.3 - 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.

STATE STANDARDS:	UNIT OBJECTIVES - SWBAT
<ul> <li>9.1 Production, Performance, and Exhibition of Music</li> <li>9.3 Critical Response</li> <li>9.4 Aesthetic Response</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Recognize and perform from the following musical terms:</li> <li>Articulations: staccato, legato</li> <li>Dynamics: forte, piano, mezzo-forte, crescendo, decrescendo</li> <li>Tempo: Allegro, Moderato, Andante</li> <li>Accidentals: sharps, flats, and naturals</li> <li>Forms and Phrasing: breath marks, fermatas, repeat sign, round, duet, multiple measure rests</li> <li>Intro. Key signature of B flat and E flat concert</li> </ol>
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS :
<ol> <li>Teacher modeling</li> <li>Repetition of activities at home</li> <li>Rehearsal to perform contrasting dynamics</li> <li>Ensemble will recognize contrasting dynamic levels</li> <li>Rhythm Studies and Activities</li> <li>Discussion of musical expression</li> <li>Listening and performing with CD</li> <li>Perform music using different metronome markings/tempos</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Student Critical listening</li> <li>Teacher observation and evaluation of student performance</li> <li>Peer/Self-Assessment</li> <li>Playing Tests</li> <li>Oral Questioning</li> <li>Quizzes</li> </ol> REMEDIATION/MODIFICATION:
	1. Differentiate and modify assignment as per

# **RESOURCES**:

Conductor Tradition of Excellence Book 1 Excellence in Chamber Music Book 1 Excellence in Theory Book 1 2014 National Music Standards (Ensemble) student needs.

- 2. Repetition of activities at rehearsals.
- 3. Play along with CDs at home.

## ENRICHMENT:

Listening to live and recorded music. Playing songs using a variety of tempi and dynamics. COURSE: Band

**GRADE(S)**: Level 1 (Grade 5)

**UNIT** : Ensemble Techniques

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STATE STANDARDS: 9.1 Production, Performance, and Exhibition of Music 9.3 Critical Response	<ol> <li>UNIT OBJECTIVES - SWBAT:         <ol> <li>Count and play rhythms with a steady beat while tapping their foot.</li> <li>Demonstrate proper posture.</li> <li>Watch and follow the conductor while playing in 2/4, 3/4, and 4/4.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Perform group warm-ups.</li> </ol>
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS :
Model – Conducting patterns Preparatory Beats Cut-offs Dynamics Repetition of activities at home	<ol> <li>Members of group critique section performing.</li> <li>View videotape of concert.</li> <li>Student self-assessment.</li> </ol>
RESOURCES:	REMEDIATION/MODIFICATION:
Band Music Tradition of Excellence Book 1 Excellence in Chamber Music Book 1 Excellence in Theory Book 1 2014 National Music Standards (Ensemble)	Differentiate and modify assignment as per student needs. ENRICHMENT: Rhythm Activities

COURSE: Band

GRADE(S): Level 1 (Grade 5)

**UNIT :** Performance Etiquette

#### NATIONAL STANDARDS:

#### Common Anchor 3:

- <u>Evaluate and Refine</u>: Evaluate and refine selected musical ideas to create musical work that meets appropriate criteria
- <u>Present:</u> Share creative musical work that conveys intent, demonstrates craftsmanship, and exhibits originality.

Cr3.2 Musicians' presentation of creative work is the culmination of a process of creation and communication.

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STATE STANDARDS: 9.1 Production, Performance, and Exhibition of Music 9.3 Critical Response	<ol> <li>UNIT OBJECTIVES - SWBAT:         <ol> <li>Perform in all scheduled concerts.</li> <li>Perform with correct playing posture and foot tap.</li> <li>Demonstrate correct resting and playing positions.</li> <li>Respond appropriately to all teacher directed activity.</li> <li>Raise and lower instruments as a group in response to the conductor's gestures.</li> </ol> </li> </ol>
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS :
<ol> <li>Practice standing and sitting for acknowledgement.</li> <li>Practice raising and lowering instruments.</li> <li>Discussion of proper audience etiquette prior to concert.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Group critique.</li> <li>REMEDIATION/MODIFICATION:         <ol> <li>Reinforcement of skills.</li> <li>In the absence of a scheduled performance, students will be required to</li> </ol> </li> </ol>
	complete an alternative assignment at the discretion of the teacher.
RESOURCES:	
Performance etiquette message in program. Letter home to parents.	ENRICHMENT:
2014 National Music Standards (Ensemble)	Attend outside concerts

COURSE: Band

GRADE(S): Level 1 (Grade 5)

**UNIT** : Repertoire

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• <u>Present</u>: Perform expressively, with appropriate interpretation and technical accuracy, and in a manner appropriate to the audience and context

Pr6.1- Musicians judge performance based on criteria that vary across time, place, and cultures. The context and how work is presented influence the audience response.

<b>STATE STANDARDS:</b> 9.1 Production, Performance, and Exhibition of	UNIT OBJECTIVES - SWBAT:
Music	<ol> <li>Perform with technical accuracy a varied repertoire of band literature with "beginning" and "very easy" levels of difficulty.</li> <li>Perform music representing diverse genres, cultures, and historical periods with expression and style appropriate for the work being performed.</li> </ol>
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS :
<ol> <li>Concerts</li> <li>Band rehearsals</li> <li>Warm-ups</li> <li>Listening CDs</li> <li>Performing familiar melodies</li> <li>Repetition of activities at home.</li> </ol>	<ol> <li>Teacher observation of student performance.</li> <li>Group critique</li> <li>Playing test – must meet minimum proficiencies for admittance.</li> </ol> <b>REMEDIATION/MODIFICATION:</b>
<b>RESOURCES:</b> Tradition of Excellence Book 1 Excellence in Chamber Music Book 1 Excellence in Theory Book 1 2014 National Music Standards (Ensemble)	<ol> <li>Differentiate and modify assignment as per student needs.</li> <li>ENRICHMENT:</li> <li>Exchange Concerts</li> </ol>

COURSE: Band	GRADE(S): Level 1 (Grade 5)

**UNIT** : Evaluating Music

## NATIONAL STANDARDS:

#### Common Anchor 7:

• <u>Select</u>: Choose music appropriate for specific purposes and contexts.

Re7.1- Individuals' selection of musical works is influenced by their interests, experiences, understandings, and purposes.

• <u>Analyze</u>: Analyze how the structure and context of varied musical works inform the response.

Re7.2 - Response to music is informed by analyzing context (social cultural and historical) and how creators and performers manipulate the elements of music.

## Common Anchor 8:

• <u>Interpret</u>: Support an interpretation of a musical work that reflects the creators'/performers' expressive intent.

Re8.1 - Through their use of elements and structures of music, creators and performers provide clues to their expressive intent.

#### Common Anchor 9:

• <u>Evaluate</u>: Support personal evaluation of musical works and performance(s) based on analysis, interpretation, and established criteria.

Re9.1- The personal evaluation of musical work(s) and performance(s) is informed by analysis, interpretation, and established criteria.

<ul><li>STATE STANDARDS:</li><li>9.1 Production, Performance, and Exhibition of Music</li><li>9.2 Historical and Cultural Contexts</li><li>9.3 Critical Response</li></ul>	<ol> <li>UNIT OBJECTIVES - SWBAT:</li> <li>Evaluate balance/blend, rhythmic accuracy, ensemble pulse and articulation while performing.</li> <li>Recognize styles from various cultures.</li> </ol>
ACTIVITIES:	ASSESSMENTS :
<ol> <li>Listen to and evaluate recordings of exemplary musical works.</li> <li>Listen to recordings and evaluate rehearsals.</li> <li>Listen to and evaluate individual student and group performances.</li> <li>Teacher modeling.</li> <li>Repetition of activities at home.</li> </ol> <b>RESOURCES:</b> Band Music Tradition of Excellence Book 1	<ol> <li>Teacher directed questioning.</li> <li>Record rehearsals.</li> <li>Teacher observation of student performance.</li> </ol> <b>REMEDIATION/MODIFICATION:</b> <ol> <li>Differentiate and modify assignment as per student needs.</li> <li>Section rehearsals.</li> </ol> <b>ENRICHMENT:</b>
Excellence in Chamber Music Book 1 Excellence in Theory Book 1 2014 National Music Standards (Ensemble)	Exchange Concerts

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