Pennington Traditional – *Elementary Music*

Teacher: Mrs. Stewart Updated: March 20, 2020

Month	Objectives Covered	Prior Assignments, Assessments, Resources	Additional Available Resources
September	Overarching Categories Music Theory: read and notate music Performance: uses of the voice, variety of songs, Perform using instruments, Rhythmic patterns, steady beat, body percussion, respond to music with movement, create music History and Cultural Context: historical and cultural aspects of music, behaviors appropriate to various events/situations, musical ties to other fields of knowledge Analysis, Evaluation, Crititque: analyze music through classification, vocal v instrumental, Accompanied v unaccompanied, rhythmic v melodic Aesthetics	Grades 1 and 2: Movement activities to show music understanding and literacy Grade 3: Movement activities, note reading activities to prepare for Recorder Instruments, Variety of songs Grades 4 and 5: variety of movement activities, songs, dance steps, performance on recorder instruments. Recorder Karate (packets distributed at start of year) Share the Music books and recordings in the classroom	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5.
October	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grades 1 and 2: Preparation for November concert. Songs from Share the Music series and Mrs. Stewart's personal library, class poem. Grade 3: Movement activities, note reading activities to prepare for Recorder Instruments, Variety of songs Grades 4 and 5: variety of movement activities, songs, dance steps, performance on recorder instruments.	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5.
November	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grades 1 and 2: Preparation for November concert. Songs from Share the Music series and Mrs. Stewart's personal library, class poem. Critique of concert via video	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5.

		Grade 3: Movement activities, note reading activities to prepare for Recorder Instruments, Variety of songs Grades 4 and 5: variety of movement activities, songs, dance steps, performance on recorder instruments.	
December	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grade 1: Ballet Study – The Nutcracker Grade 2: Mirror Game for Steady Beat assessment, Seasonal songs. Packet of songs about winter, snow, new year celebrations Grade 3: Movement activities, note reading activities to prepare for Recorder Instruments, Variety of songs Grades 4 and 5: variety of movement activities, songs, dance steps, performance on recorder instruments. Grade 5 – auditions for All County Elementary Chorus	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5. Selection of All County Elementary Chorus members: Sheet music distributed. Rehearsal recordings shared online.
January	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grades 1 and 2: Steady Beat focus, notation writing focus (Quarter and barred eighth notes and quarter rests, 2 nd grade add half and whole) Begin learning songs for March concert. Grade 3: Begin Recorder Instrument playing with focus on tone production and blend. Begin learning concert songs. Grades 4 and 5: variety of movement activities, songs, dance steps, performance on recorder instruments. Grade 4 begin learning concert songs and choreography Grade 5: Work on auditions for Musical Theatre Production	Share the Music song books and recordings, posted on OneNote and shared via email. Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5. Shared via email.
February	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grade 1: music literacy through rhythm reading and writing and performing on instruments. Grade 2: Music literacy through rhythm reading and writing and performing on instruments. POISON RHYTHM game. Grades 3 and 4: Continue recorder development and song rehearsal for March concert.	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5. Share the Music song books and recordings, posted on OneNote as music is copyright protected.

		Grade 5: Song and Dance rehearsals for Musical Theatre production. Continue work with recorders.	
	All standards are scaffolded and are represented in lessons throughout the school year.	Grades 1 and 2: Music literacy through game and dance activities.	Recorder Karate: On OneDrive folder for grades 4 and 5. Shared via email.
	senoor year.	Grades 3 and 4: Concert rehearsal: Singers and special extra jobs of: Skit actors, Honor Guard, Announcers	Share the Music song books and recordings, posted on OneNote and shared via email.
		Concert etiquette, safety rules for standing on risers	Songs and dances by our 5 th grade musical composer John Jacobson.
		Grade 5: Rehearsal for Musical	https://www.halleonard.com/jjw2019
			Chrome Music Lab https://musiclab.chromeexperiments.com/ Music experimentation site that is accessible on tablets, phones, or computers
March			Music Racer http://www.musicracer.com/ Interactive game site to practice musical notes and terminology
			Flat https://flat.io/ Web-based music notation and composition tool
			Music Games PBS Kids https://pbskids.org/games/music/ PBS resource for music games for younger students
			Interactive Sites for Education http://interactivesites.weebly.com/music.html Music Web-based interactive music activity site
			Classics for Kids https://www.classicsforkids.com/ Resources and information for teaching classical
D			music to children

Reminders:

- No new instruction is being given.
- All additional available resources are for optional practice only and are not being used for grades.
- I am available during regular school hours (9:00 a.m.— 3:40 p.m. Monday-Friday) to provide assistance and/or additional resources and I can be reached at STEWARDA@PWCS.EDU.