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NON-NEGOTIBLE EVALUATION CRITERIA

2016-2022 Group III - Music Kindergarten – Grade 2

Yes	No	N/A	CRITERIA	NOTES
			 INTER-ETHNIC The instructional materials meets the requirements of inter-ethnic: concepts, content and illustrations, as set by WV Board of Education Policy (Adopted December 1970). 	
			2. EQUAL OPPORTUNITY The instructional material meets the requirements of equal opportunity: concepts, content, illustration, heritage, roles contributions, experiences and achievements of males and females in American and other cultures, as set by WV Board of Education Policy (Adopted May 1975).	
			FORMAT This resource is available as an option for adoption in an interactive electronic format.	
			BIAS The instructional material is free of political bias.	

GENERAL EVALUATION CRITERIA

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The general evaluation criteria apply to each grade level and are to be evaluated for each grade level unless otherwise specified. These criteria consist of information critical to the development of all grade levels. In reading the general evaluation criteria and subsequent specific grade level criteria, **e.g. means** "**examples of**" **and i.e. means that "each of" those items must be addressed**. Eighty percent of the general and eighty percent of the specific criteria must be met with I (in-depth) or A (adequate) in order to be recommended.

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	In addition to alignment of Content Standards and Objectives (CSOs), materials mu	st also	clear	rly con	nec	t to Le	arni	ing
	for the 21st Century which includes opportunities for students to develop:							
21st Century Music Education	Content Standards and Objections Policy 2520.10:							
Performing (Performing, Presenti	ng, Producing)							
The instructional materials will:								
	 support student understanding through inquiry-based learning that builds on prior knowledge and experiences of singing along and/or with others. 							
	 support student understanding through inquiry-based learning that builds on prior knowledge and experience of performing on instruments, along and with others. 							
	provide supplemental materials of a varied repertoire of music.							
Thinking and Problem-Solving Sk	ills (Exploring)							
The instructional materials will:								
	 foster complex analysis of content that is presented in a variety of mediums; promote development of mental perspectives; develop life- long curiosity about the arts; and/or reference the historical influences of the arts. 							

	present standard rhythmic and melodic notation in a developmentally appropriate sequence.
	6. use global connections to expand musical experiences.
	7. support personalized learning through developmentally appropriate materials and content, including enrichment activities.
	8. provide a music theory component.
Creating The instructional materials will:	
	9. provide multiple and varied instructional materials for improvisation and composition to utilize different medium (i.e., instrumental, vocal, and electronic music) at all levels.
	10. provide varied and multiple movement-based activities.
Developmentally Appropriate Inst	ructional Resources and Strategies:
For student mastery of content standard	Is and objectives, the instructional materials will:
	11. offer interdisciplinary connections.
	12. provide resources to connect the social, political, cultural and economic contexts of works of art while maintaining in-depth focus on each work.
	13. provide multiple and varied resources for the study of art careers to increase arts literacy across disciplines.
	14. provide multiple and varied resources to study works of art.
Assessment / Interpersonal and S	elf-Direction Skills
The instructional materials will:	
	15. provide tools for assessment to include diagnostic and formative and summative assessments. These assessments will be presented in multiple formats (i.e., rubrics, text-dependent questions, performance tasks, open-ended questions, portfolio evaluation, and multimedia

	simulations).				
	16. provide opportunity for student self-assessments.				
	17. provide teachers with tools to develop student self-assessments.				
Organization, Presentation, and I	Format				
The instructional materials will:					
	18. offer a variety of visual aids including graphic organizers, graphs, charts, and listening guides.				
	19. provide interactive resource(s) (i.e., website, app, DVD, CD, interactive white boards).				
	20. support differentiated instruction.				
	21. present materials in developmental scope and sequence.				
	include text-based questions and performance tasks that address and support music terminology and music literacy.				
Personal and Workplace Product	tivity Skills				
Instructional materials will provide stud	ents with opportunity to:				
	23. conduct research, validate source and report ethically on findings.				
	 identify, evaluate, and apply appropriate technology tools for a variety of purposes. 				
	25. work collaboratively.				
	26. engage in self-directed inquiry.				
	27. practice time-management and project management skills.				

SPECIFIC EVALUATION CRITERIA

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K-2 students explore the world of music through singing, playing instruments, moving and listening. They develop a beginning recognition of simple music notation and an awareness of the singing voice. Opportunities are provided to sing patriotic and folk songs that support civic literacy. In addition, global awareness is introduced to the student through experiencing the music of other cultures. Collaboration skills are emphasized as students begin to sing and perform on instruments with others. Critical-thinking skills are sharpened as students are taught to actively listen and respond to what they hear. Their creativity and problem-solving skills are developed through simple composition and improvisation. Students begin relating music to other disciplines, including literature, math, science, and visual art.

WV Standard 1: Performing

Singing, playing, and moving are fundamental processes of musical expression. Basic performing skills in singing and in playing a variety of pitched and non-pitched instruments are developed in the K-8 general music area of study. Students who participate in the concentrated study of choral and/or instrumental music area of study will develop advanced musical skills and technical accuracy through a varied repertoire of musical literature. Piano and fold music areas of study may also be taught at the high school level.

WV Standard 2: Exploring

Skills in the analysis of music enables students to listen to a wide variety of music with discernment and enjoyment. Broad experiences with a variety of music assist students in evaluating musical works and performances. The ability to read and notate music is the foundation for independent study and performance. Exploring musical notation is a key to lifelong learning and participation in music. Music reading experiences begin in kindergarten and are stressed through all levels of study.

WV Standard 3: Creating

Creating music by improvisation and composition is encouraged and developed through experiences in music. Students at the secondary level may further develop improvisation and composition skills through participation in small ensembles and classes in music theory or composition.

WV Standard 4: Relating

Students will be encouraged to explore the commonalities and relationship between music and other disciplines. As it becomes easier to maneuver around our world, students must become more diverse in their knowledge of history, other cultures and the importance of music as it pertains to these. In an increasingly independent world, students must develop awareness of diversity in cultures and the uniqueness of music to cultures.

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Performing						
	participate in singing a variety of songs.					
	2. sing loudly and softly.					
	3. sing high and low pitches.					
	4. echo a simple rhythmic pattern.					
	perform steady beat and melodic rhythm.					
	perform rhythms using quarter notes, quarter rests, beamed eighth notes, half notes and half rests.					
	7. communicate by moving expressively to music.					
	demonstrate slow and fast tempi through movement.					
	demonstrate high and low pitches through movement.					
	10. demonstrate strong and weak beats through movement.					
	11. demonstrate AB form through movement.					
	 perform an accompaniment to song, i.e., rhythm instruments, melodic instruments, or body percussion. 					
Exploring						
	identify and manipulate/notate high and low pitches on a music staff.					
	2. identify steps, skips, and leaps in staff notation.					

distinguish between steady beat and rhythmic patterns.
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read notation for quarter notes, quarter rests, beamed eighth notes, half notes and half rests.
6. read rhythmic notation in 2/4 and 4/4 meter.
7. distinguish between same and different musical phrases.
8. identify introduction and coda.
identify same and different sections of music, e.g., AB form, verse/refrain staff.
10. identify and demonstrate proper use of repeat signs.
11. define piano (p) and forte (f).
12. define Allegro and Adagio.
13. evaluate their own musical performance, e.g., pitch, dynamics, tempo.
14. identify musical instruments, e.g., classroom, symphonic, folk, global, etc.

Creating				
improvise a melodic or rhythmic phrase.				
create appropriate sounds to accompany stories or poems.				
compose a rhythmic or melodic pattern to represent a character in a story.				
4. improvise on a melodic instrument within specified guidelines.				
5. improvise a rhythmic accompaniment for a song.				

6.	compose an original composition.			
7.	compose a piece of music in AB form.			
Relating				
1.	relate music to other disciplines, e.g., children's literature, math, science, visual art, etc.			
2.	discuss social responsibility through appropriate audience behavior.			
3.	demonstrate civic literacy by singing and discussing American folk songs and songs with patriotic texts.			
4.	sing and discuss Appalachian, global, and holiday songs.			
5.	compare singing games from various global cultures.			
6.	discuss how music is used in daily life, e.g., television, radio, Internet, etc.			
7.	discuss the roles of musicians in society.			
8.	identify instruments unique to various global cultures.			
9.	discuss Italian origin of music terminology.			