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Course Standards

Course Code: 500912

Course Name: Music- Music History/Appreciation

Grade Level: 9-12



Upon course completion students should be able to:

HS Proficient	HS Accomplished	HS Advanced
MU:Pr4.1.E.I	MU:Pr4.1.E.II	MU:Pr4.1.E.III
Explain the criteria used to	Develop and apply criteria to	Develop and apply criteria to
select a varied repertoire to	select a varied repertoire to	select varied programs to
study based on an	study and perform based on	study and perform based on
understanding of theoretical	an understanding of	an understanding of
and structural characteristics	theoretical and structural	theoretical and structural
of the music, the technical	characteristics and expressive	characteristics and expressive
skill of the individual or	challenges in the music, the	challenges in the music, the
ensemble, and the purpose or	technical skill of the	technical skill of the
context of the performance.	individual or ensemble, and	individual or ensemble, and
	the purpose and context of the	the purpose and context of the
	performance.	performance.
MU:Re7.1.E.I	MU:Re7.1.E.II	MU:Re7.1.E.III
Apply criteria to select music	Apply criteria to select music	Apply criteria to select music
for specified purposes,	for a variety of purposes,	for a variety of purposes,
supporting choices by citing	justifying choices citing	justifying choices citing
characteristics found in the	knowledge of the music and	knowledge of the music and
music and connections to	the specified purpose and	the specified purpose and
interest, purpose, and context.	context.	context.
MU:Re7.2.E.I	MU:Re7.2.E.II	MU:Re7.2.E.III
Explain how the analysis of	Explain how the analysis of	Demonstrate and justify how
passages and understanding	structures and contexts	the analysis of structures,
the way the elements of	inform the response to music.	contexts, and performance
music are manipulated inform		decisions inform the response
the response to music.		to music.
MU:Re8.1.E.I	MU:Re8.1.E.II	MU:Re8.1.E.III
Explain and support	Support interpretations of the	Justify interpretations of the
interpretations of the	expressive intent and	expressive intent and
expressive intent and	meaning of musical works	meaning of musical works by
meaning of musical works,	citing as evidence the	comparing and synthesizing
citing as evidence the	treatment of the elements of	varied researched sources,
treatment of the elements of	music, contexts, (when	including reference to other
music, contexts, (when	appropriate) the setting of the	art forms.
appropriate) the setting of the	text, and varied researched	
text, and personal research.	sources.	
MU:Re9.1.E.I	MU:Re9.1.E.II	MU:Re9.1.E.III
Evaluate works and performances based on	Evaluate works and performances based on	Develop and justify evaluations of music,

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personally or collaboratively	research as well as personally	programs of music, and
developed criteria, including	and collaboratively developed	performances based on
analysis of the structure and	criteria, including analysis	criteria, personal decision
context.	and interpretation of the	making, research, and
	structure and context.	understanding of contexts.
MU:Cn10.1.E.I	MU:Cn10.1.E.II	MU:Cn10.1.E.III
Demonstrate how interests,	Demonstrate how interests,	Demonstrate how interests,
knowledge, and skills relate	knowledge, and skills relate	knowledge, and skills relate
to personal choices and intent	to personal choices and intent	to personal choices and intent
when creating, performing,	when creating, performing,	when creating, performing,
and responding to music.	and responding to music.	and responding to music.
MU:Cn11.1.E.I	MU:Cn11.1.E.II	MU:Cn11.1.E.III
Demonstrate understanding	Demonstrate understanding	Demonstrate understanding
of relationships between	of relationships between	of relationships between
music and the other arts,	music and the other arts,	music and the other arts,
other disciplines, varied	other disciplines, varied	other disciplines, varied
contexts, and daily life.	contexts, and daily life.	contexts, and daily life.