GSEs for Grades K-2 (grade 4-E)	GSEs for Grades 3-4 (grade 4-P)	GSEs for Grades 5-6 (grade 8-2)	GSEs for Grades 7-8 (Grade 8 -3)	GSEs for HS Proficiency (HS- 3)	GSEs for HS Extended Learning (HS- 4)
Mus P1 (K-2) Students begin to	Mus P1 (3-4) Students will	Mus P1 (5-6) Students will	Mus P1 (7-8) Students will	Mus P1 (9-10) Students will	Mus P1 (11-12) Students will
demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by	demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by	demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by	demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by	demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by	demonstrate their ability to perform music alone and with others by
P1.1 Singing and playing a varied selection of music while beginning to show appropriate expression and technique	P1.1 Singing and playing a varied selection of music with appropriate expression and technique	P1.1 Performing with some evidence of: accurate pitch, rhythm, tempi, style, dynamics, phrasing, expression, blend and tone. Includes evidence of: proper technique required by the performance medium (i.e. posture, breath control)	P1.1 Performing with some evidence of: accurate pitch, rhythm, tempi, style, dynamics, phrasing, expression, blend and tone. Includes evidence of: proper technique required by the performance medium (i.e. posture, breath control)	P1.1 Performing with appropriate expression and technical accuracy by demonstrating accurate pitch, rhythm, tempi, style, dynamics, phrasing, expression, blend and tone and demonstrating proper technique as required by the performance medium (i.e. posture, breath control)	P1.1 Performing with appropriate expression and technical accuracy by demonstrating accurate pitch, rhythm, tempi, style, dynamics, phrasing, expression, blend and tone and demonstrating proper technique as required by the performance medium (i.e. posture, breath control)
P1. 2 Beginning to sing and play alone and with others in a group	P1. 2 Singing and playing alone and with others in a group	P1.2 Performing with developed solo, small and large ensemble skills including at least one graded full ensemble piece and one graded chamber ensemble or solo selection	P1.2 Performing with developed solo, small and large ensemble skills at a grade level of 2 (large ensemble) and 1-2 (chamber ensemble and/or solo)	P1.2 Performing with well developed solo, small and large ensemble skills at a grade level of 4 (large ensemble) and 3 (chamber ensemble and/or solo)	P1.2 Performing with well developed solo, small and large ensemble skills at a grade level of 5 (large ensemble) and 4 (chamber ensemble and/or solo)
P2 Showing evidence	of music literacy				
GSEs for Grades K-2 (grade 4-E)	GSEs for Grades 3-4 (grade 4-P)	GSEs for Grades 5-6 (grade 8-2)	GSEs for Grades 7-8 (Grade 8 -3)	GSEs for HS Proficiency (HS- 3)	GSEs for HS Extended Learning (HS- 4)
Mus P2 (K-2) Students begin to show evidence of music literacy by	Mus P2 (3-4) Students will show evidence of music literacy by	Mus P2 (5-6) Students will show evidence of music literacy by	Mus P2 (7-8) Students will show evidence of music literacy by	Mus P2 (9-10) Students will show evidence of music literacy by	Mus P2 (11-12) Students will show evidence of music literacy by

P2. 1 Beginning to read simple rhythmic patterns in a variety of ways.	P2.1 Reading a single rhythmic phrase in a variety of ways, body percussion or on an	P2. 1 Reading and describing the musical elements contained within a familiar musical	P2. 1 Reading and describing the musical elements contained within a familiar musical	P2. 1 Reading and describing the musical elements contained within a familiar musical	P2. 1 Reading and describing the musical elements contained within a
	appropriate instrument (I.E. non-pitched	score.	score.	score.	familiar or unfamiliar
	percussion instruments)				score.
P2.2 Beginning to read a single melodic pattern on a simplified music staff	P2.2 Reading a single melodic line in the treble clef in a variety of ways, vocally or on an appropriate instrument given specific guidelines (I.E. Recorder or Pitched Instruments)	P2.2 Sight-reading a graded piece of music from beginning to end without interruption.	P2.2 Sight-reading a graded piece of ensemble/ chamber/ solo music with accuracy and expression.	P2. 2 Sight-reading a piece of music at the grade 3 level (ensemble) or grade 2 (chamber/solo) with accuracy and expression.	P2.2 Student is able to sight-read a piece of music at of the grade 4 level (ensemble), grade 3 (chamber/ solo) with consistent accuracy and expression.

C1 Improvising meloc	C1 Improvising melodies, variations, and accompaniments							
GSEs for Grades K-2 (grade 4-E)	GSEs for Grades 3-4 (grade 4-P)	GSEs for Grades 5-6 (grade 8-2)	GSEs for Grades 7-8 (Grade 8 -3)	GSEs for HS Proficiency (HS- 3)	GSEs for HS Extended Learning (HS- 4)			
Mus C1 (K-2) Students begin to show evidence of improvising by	Mus C1 (3-4) Students will show evidence of improvising by	Mus C1 (5-6) Students will show evidence of improvising by	Mus C1 (7-8) Students will show evidence of improvising by	Mus C1 (9-10) Students will show evidence of improvising by	Mus C1 (11-12) Students will show evidence of improvising by			
C1. 1 beginning to improvise rhythmic/ melodic variations over ostinato patterns	C1. 1 improvising improvise rhythmic/melodic variations over an ostinato patterns and simple chord progressions.	C1. 1 improvising melodic embellishments and simple rhythmic and/or melodic variations on pentatonic melodies and major melodies by performing selected appropriate motivic material.	C1. 1 improvising short melodies, melodic embellishments and simple rhythmic and/or melodic variations on pentatonic and major melodies.	C1. 1 improvising melodies in major, minor and pentatonic tonalities over standard chord progressions using consistent style.	C1.1 improvising melodies in four different tonalities over standard chord progressions using consistent style.			
		C1. 2 improvising simple harmonic accompaniments including at least the I-V, I-IV chord progressions.	C1. 2 Improvising simple harmonic accompaniments including at least the I-IV-V chord progression.	C1. 2 improvising simple harmonic accompaniments including at least the I-IV-V chord progression in major and minor keys.	C1. 2 improvising appropriate harmony parts to at least three different melodies from appropriate melodies in major and minor keys including I, IV, and V chords			

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Mus C2 (K-2) Students begin to show evidence of composing and arranging by	Mus C2 (3-4) Student will show evidence of composing and arranging by	Mus C2 (5-6) Student will show evidence of composing and arranging by	Mus C2 (7-8) Student will show evidence of composing and arranging by	Mus C2 (9-10) Student will show evidence of composing and arranging by	Mus C2 (11-12) Student will show evidence of composing and arranging by
C2. 1 beginning to create "sound environments" implementing a variety of sound sources for stories, poems and other literary forms	C2. 1 creating "sound environments" implementing a variety of sound sources for stories, poems and other literary forms	C2. 1 composing original melodic/ rhythmic phrases in a given tonality.	C2. 1 composing several original pieces in contrasting styles using established form and tonality.	C2. 1 composing <i>two</i> original compositions in contrasting styles using a musical form showing unity, variety and balance within an established tonality.	C2. 1 composing <i>two</i> original compositions in contrasting styles using a musical form showing unity, variety and balance within an established tonality. Compositions show use of musical elements for expressive effect.
C2. 2 beginning to recognize and use standard (traditional notation, symbols and terms) or non-standard ways to "notate" musical ideas	C2.2 using standard (traditional notation, symbols and terms) or non-standard ways to "notate" musical ideas	C2.2 arranges a melody by making musical choices altering the music elements (i.e. tempo/tonality/key/style, etc.) and writing for different instruments/ voices.	C2. 2 arranging a two- part melody by making musical choices altering the music elements (i.e. tempo/ tonality/ key/ style, etc.) and writing for different instruments/ voices and is playable/ singable.	C2. 2 Showing evidence of arranging a piece in four parts for voices or instruments other than those for which the piece was originally written and is legible and playable/singable.	C2. 2 arranging <i>two</i> pieces in contrasting styles in at least four partsfor voices or instruments other than those for which the piece was originally written and is legible and playable/singable.

R1 Listening to, analyzing, and describing music							
GSEs for Grades K-2 (grade 4-E)	GSEs for Grades 3-4 (grade 4-P)	GSEs for Grades 5-6 (grade 8-2)	GSEs for Grades 7-8 (Grade 8 -3)	GSEs for HS Proficiency (HS- 3)	GSEs for HS Extended Learning (HS- 4)		
Mus R1 (K-2) Students begin to show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R1. 1 Beginning to understand the musical elements through experiences with diverse cultures through music and purposeful movement.	Mus R1 (3-4) Student will show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R. 1 Demonstrating knowledge of specific elements of music aurally when analyzing, evaluating, responding or describing his/her own music, recorded or live performances.	Mus R1 (5-6) Student will show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R1 Using music vocabulary, analyze a musical selection identifying dynamic effects, dynamic levels, instrumentation and musical style.	Mus R1 (7-8) Student will show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R1 Using technical music vocabulary, analyze a musical selection identifying tempo and dynamic variations, commenting on balance, blend, tone color, tone quality, and basic form types (binary, ternary, rondo, theme and variations)	Mus (9-10) Student will show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R1 Using technical music vocabulary, analyze <i>two</i> musical selections, one previously studied and one unfamiliar, while identifying the function of each part (i.e. melody/ harmony /countermelody /accompaniment) and basic form types (binary/ ternary/ rondo/theme and variations)	Mus (11-12) Student will show evidence of listening to, analyzing, and describing music by R1 Using technical music vocabulary, analyze two musical selections both unfamiliar, that incorporate harmonic tonality, cadence, modulations, extended form types (i.e. sonata- allegro, fugue, ostinato)		
R1. 2 Beginning to show understanding of aesthetic qualities in music while explaining personal preferences with appropriate vocabulary.	R1. 2 responding through purposeful movement while demonstrating a knowledge of music's aesthetic qualities.						

R2 Evaluating mu	R2 Evaluating music and music performances							
GSEs for Grades	GSEs for Grades 3-	GSEs for Grades 5-6	GSEs for Grades 7-8	GSEs for HS Proficiency	GSEs for HS Extended			
K-2	4	(grade 8-2)	(Grade 8 -3)	(HS- 3)	Learning (HS- 4)			
(grade 4-E)	(grade 4-P)							
Mus R2 (K-2)	Mus R2 (3-4)	Mus R2 (5-6)	Mus R2 (7-8)	Mus R2 (9-10)	Mus R2 (11-12)			
Students begin to	Student will show	Student will show evidence						
show evidence of	evidence of	of evaluating music and						
evaluating music	evaluating music	music performances by	music performances	music performances by	music performances by			
and music	and music		by					
performances	performances							
by	by							

R2 Beginning to develop a music vocabulary in order to evaluate performances and pieces and to demonstrate knowledge of the aesthetic qualities evoked by music through purposeful movement, drawings, and dance.	R2 Developing a list of specific criteria using elements of music, principals of composition, and appropriate vocabulary for evaluating performances and compositions. Identifying aesthetic qualities in music by explaining (using a varied media) personal preferences for a specific piece of music using appropriate music vocabulary.	R2 Identifying <i>two</i> specific music elements for making critical evaluations of performances, compositions, arrangements and/or improvisations and using these elements to compare the music examples to similar or exemplary models.	R 2 Identifying <i>three</i> specific music elements for making critical evaluations of performances, compositions, arrangements and/or improvisations and using these elements to compare the music examples to similar or exemplary models.	R2 Identifying <i>five</i> specific music elements for making critical evaluations of performances, compositions, arrangements and/or improvisations and using these elements to compare the music examples to similar or exemplary models.	R2 Identifying <i>five</i> specific music elements for making critical evaluations of performances, compositions, arrangements and/or improvisations and using these elements to compare the music examples to similar or exemplary models.
R3 Understanding	g relationships betw	een music, the other arts	, and disciplines outside	the arts	
GSEs for Grades	GSEs for Grades 3-	GSEs for Grades 5-6	GSEs for Grades 7-8	GSEs for HS Proficiency	GSEs for HS Extended
K-2	4	(grade 8-2)	(Grade 8 -3)	(HS- 3)	Learning (HS- 4)
(grade 4-E) Mus R3 (K-2)	(grade 4-P) Mus R3 (3-4)	Mus R3 (5-6)	Mus R3 (7-8)	Mus R3 (9-10)	Mus R3 (11-12)
Students begin to	Student will	Using a musical example,	Using a musical example,	Student uses a musical	Using a musical example,
demonstrate an	demonstrate an	and an example from the	and an example from the	example, and examples	and examples from the
understanding of	understanding of	other arts or	other arts or	from the other arts and at	other arts and at least
relationships between and among the arts	relationships between and among the arts	disciplines outside the arts,	disciplines outside the arts,	least one discipline outside	one discipline outside the
and other disciplines	and other disciplines	comment on the following:	comment on the following:	the arts to comment on the	arts, comment on the
by	by			following:	following:
R3. 1 beginning to	R3. 1 exploring the	R3. 1 the similar and	R3. 1 the similar and	R3.1 the similar and	R3.1 the similar and
explore the commonalities within	commonalities within	distinctive use of the	distinctive use of the	distinctive use of the	distinctive use of the
the arts and identifying/	the arts and identifying/ describing what is the	elements, creative	elements, creative	elements, creative	elements, creative
describing what is the	same or different.	processes	processes	processes, and	processes, and
same or different.		and organizational	and organizational	organizational principles in	organizational principles in
		principles in the other arts.	principles in the other arts.	the various disciplines.	the various disciplines.
R3. 2 exploring the	R3. 2 exploring the			R3. 2 the comparative	R3. 2 the comparative
integration of music	integration of music			characteristics of two	characteristics of two
with areas outside of	with areas outside of			disciplines within a	disciplines within a
the arts.	the arts.			particular	particular
				historical period or style.	historical period or style.
		R3. 3 <i>one</i> way in which the	R3. 3 <i>two</i> ways in which the	R3. 3 <i>three</i> ways in which	R3. 3 <i>three</i> ways in which

	of the	matter of the	matter of various	matter of various
	disciplines within the arts or			
	outside the arts are			
	interrelated with	interrelated with	interrelated with those of	interrelated with those of
	those of music.	those of music.	music.	music.

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Mus R4 (K-2)	Mus R4 (3-4)	Mus R4 (5-6)	Mus R4 (7-8)	Mus R4 (9-10)	Mus R4 (11-12)
Students begin to demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4. 1 beginning to show evidence of relating historical events to various musical selections. Student begins to identify music suitable for specific everyday uses in life and begins to demonstrate appropriate audience behavior and response to performances.	Students will demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4.1 relating historical events to various musical selections. Student is able to identify music suitable for specific everyday uses in life and demonstrates appropriate audience behavior and response to performances	Students will demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4. 1 Classifying and explaining <i>two</i> unfamiliar aural examples of music (using at least one American work), each differing by · genre/style (i.e. march, opera, symphony) and/or · historical period or culture	Students will demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4. 1 Classifying and explaining three unfamiliar aural examples of music (using at least one American work), each differing by · genre/style (i.e. march, opera, symphony) and/or · historical period or culture	Students will demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4. 1 Classifying and explaining <i>five</i> unfamiliar aural examples of music (using at least one American work), each differing by · genre/style (i.e. march, opera, symphony) and/or · historical period or culture	Students will demonstrate their understanding of music in relation to history and culture by R4. 1 Classifying and explaining <u>six</u> unfamiliar aural examples of music (using at least one American work), each differing by · genre/style (i.e. march, opera, symphony) and/or · historical period or culture
		R4. 2 Identifying a well-known musical artist from each genre/style and describing his/her role within that style.	R4. 2 Identifying a well-known musical artist from each genre/style and describing his/her role within that style.	R4. 2 Identifying a well-known musical artist from each genre/style and describing his/her role within that style.	R4. 2 Identifying a well-known musical artist from each genre/style and describing his/her role within that style.