Scope and Sequence Curriculum Guide Based On TEKS For Grade 6

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6.1.1 PERCEPTION: The student describes musical sound & demonstrates musical artistry.	Demonstrates characteristic sound with resonance, purity, & accuracy using correct posture & breath control within one octave for brass & oboe and two octaves for woodwinds & percussion	Use standard terminology in explaining intervals, music notation, musical instruments, & musical performances.  • Use a system for writing/reading the diatonic scales  • Use rhythm syllables and/or counting system  • Identify the components of printed music including staff, clef, key, and time signatures  • Identify the components of tempo, dynamics, articulation & style markings  • Composer/arranger listings  • Instrument parts or groupings  • Label unison, whole steps, half steps, octaves	Identify music forms aurally & through notation.  Identify musical forms (theme and variations, AB, ABA, etc.)  Identify phrase forms (same & different, questions & answer, melodic sequence, etc.)	
6.2.1 CREATIVE PERFORMANCE & EXPRESSION: The student describes & analyzes musical sound & demonstrates musical artistry	Perform independently with accurate intonation, good fundamental skills, and basic performance techniques.  • Demonstrate correct posture at all times: sit or stand tall with head erect, shoulders back but relaxed, & both feet flat on the floor  • Maintain correct hand position & orientation of the instrument to the body  • Use diaphragmatic breathing as a habitual part of playing  • Set & maintain the proper embouchure when playing  • Recognize "in tune" & "out of tune" in playing and be able to adjust appropriately  • Perform standard articulation & legato articulation using proper tongue placement  • Demonstrate rhythmic accuracy & internalized pulse	Perform expressively from memory and notation, a varied repertoire representing styles from diverse cultures.  • Perform music of various styles & diverse cultures using appropriate stylistic techniques (not & phrase length/stress) & expression (dynamic contrast)	Demonstrate appropriate small & large ensemble performance techniques during formal & informal concerts.  • Demonstrate balance, blend, & intonation within section & between sections.  • Perform with note/pitch accuracy, rhythmic accuracy & stability, appropriate style, accurate phrasing, with dynamic contrast.  • Play or sing independent part within the ensemble  • Respond to the conductor's gestures  • Dress appropriately & demonstrate proper stage etiquette in concert settings.	
6.2.2 CREATIVE PERFORMANCE & EXPRESSION: The student reads and writes music	Sight-read simple music in appropriate clef in a variety of keys and meters Sight-read unison & ensemble literature using appropriate clefs in the concert keys of C, F, Bb, Eb, & Ab in 4/4, 2/4, 3/4, cut time, and 6/8 meters.	Use standard symbols to notate meter, rhythm, pitch, & dynamics (manuscript or computer generated).  - Notate simple melodies & rhythms using known music symbols from 6.2.2 & 6.2.3	Identify music symbols & terms referring to dynamics, temp, & articulation & interpret them appropriately when performing.  • Identify & interpret music symbols & terms  • Dynamics: crescendo, decrescendo, & pp — ff  • Tempo: presto, allegro, moderato, andante, adagio, largo  • Tempo modifications: ritard, accelerando, fermata  • Articulation: staccato, legato, slur, marcato	
6.2.3 CREATIVE PERFORMANCE & EXPRESSION: The student creates & arranges music within specified	Create rhythmic and melodic phrases.  • Write or improvise simple four-measure melodies using eighth, quarter, half, & whole notes with corresponding rests starting and ending on tonic	Arrange rhythmic and melodic phrases.  • Arrange simple fourmeasure melodies using eighth, quarter, half, & whole notes & rests starting and ending on tonic.		
guidelines 6.3.1 HISTORICAL/ CULTURAL: The student relates music to history, to society, & to culture	Describe aurally-presented music representing diverse styles, periods, & cultures.  • Compare & contrast music of at least two diverse styles, periods, & cultures	Describe music related vocations & avocations.  • Describe amateur & professional music vocations & avocations including music educator, singer, instrumentalist, composer, conductor, audio & video engineer, marketing & public relations, & other music careers	Perform music representative of diverse cultures, including American & Texas heritage.  • Perform music from various historical periods &/or cultures.  • Explore & discuss the significance & background of that music	Relate the other fine arts to music concepts. Identify common themes or concepts between music & other arts disciplines using a variety of media.