

Music – Grade 4

(4.1) Perception. The student describes and analyzes musical sound and demonstrates musical and theatrical artistry.

(A) Recognize sounds of several common instruments

(B) Identify common instruments used during Mass.

(C) Use music and liturgical terminology to identify individual and group singing in class and during liturgies

(D) Identify different uses of voice; distinguish between adult and child

(E) Relate sensory and emotional responses to music and theatre

(F) Develop body awareness and spatial perceptions, using rhythmic and expressive movements

(F) identify high/low, loud/soft, fast/slow, same/different in music

(G) Identify forms presented aurally such as AB, ABA

(4.2) The student performs a varied repertoire of music.

(A) Demonstrate safe use of voice and movement

(B) Sing a variety of simple songs

(C) Sing Mass responses and common prayers from memory

(D) sing and/or play simple classroom instruments individually and in groups.

(E) Respond to music, sound, images, and written word using creative movement

(F) Identify use of signing, instruments and movement as it relates to liturgical celebrations; class; and daily life

(G) Create or recreate stories feelings, or experiences through music and dramatic representations

(H) improvise simple accompaniment to songs and stories.

(4.3) Creative expression/performance. The student reads, writes music notation; creates and arranges music within specified guidelines

(A) Identify theory including notation, dynamics, articulation

(B) read simple melodies using music notation

(C) write simple melodies paired with words from stories, poems, prayers

(E) incorporate basic rhythmic patterns in music compositions in compositions in simple meters including melody, ostinato, accompaniment

(F) Identify music symbols and terms referring to dynamics, tempo, and articulation and interpret them appropriately when performing

(G) Improvise simple accompaniment to songs and stories

(H) Express emotions and ideas using music and interpretive movements

(I) Dramatize in unison, pairs, or groups: songs, poems, stories, feelings or personal experiences through music and dramatic representations

(4.4) Historical/cultural heritage. The student relates music to history, to society, and to culture.

(A) Sing songs and play musical and dramatic games from different cultures

(B) Identify relationships between music and other subjects

(C) Identify music from various cultures and periods of history

(4.5) Response/evaluation. The student responds to and evaluates music and musical performance.

(A) Cooperate with others in musical and dramatic play

(B) play instruments, move to steady beat

(C) sing, play instruments, move in formal and informal performances

(D) Identify and practice appropriate audience behavior during live performances.

(E) Recognize use of music, creative movement, and visual components in dramatic play and dramatic play and worship settings

(F) Describe differences between steady beat and rhythm

(G) Identify and begin to apply criteria for evaluating musical performances.