

Mr. Kudera's Weekly Outline: April 9 to 13

Music

Grade One

The students will be introduced to the concept of dynamics. This week, they will learn the terms *piano* and *forte*. They will also continue to practice the songs *Wonderful World*, *Imagine*, and *Steps of the Palace*.

Grade Two

The students will learn about waltzes. They will also continue to work on the music for *Into the Woods*.

Grade Three

Theory

- Students will learn about song structures. This week, they will about verse, refrain, and bridge.

Practicum

- Students will continue to work on material from [Recorder Karate](#). Please remember to visit the [music homework](#) section to view the material students should be practicing.
- The students will practice their song for *Into the Woods*.

Grade Four

Theory

- The students will continue to look at examples of how music is used in theatre and other art forms.
- Reviewing bass clef lines and spaces

Practicum

- *March* – there will be a playing test on April 17th.
- *Rhythm Exercise No. 1*
- *Musette*
- The students will continue to practice their song for *Into the Woods*.

Grade Five

Theory

- Students will continue to practice reading ledger lines and spaces.
- Differentiating between major and minor keys.

Practicum

- *Ode to Joy*
- *Mary Ann*
- *Into the Woods*
- Students wishing to earn their next belts for *Recorder Karate* **MUST** successfully perform the exam song and one of the preparatory exercises designated for the particular belt.

Grade Six

Theory

- Unit test for *Baroque*, *Classical*, and *Romantic* eras of music on April 12.

Practicum

- *Eighth Note Study #1*
- *I Just Can't Wait To Be King - chora*
- *Down in The Valley - Instrumental*
- *Little Brown Jug - Instrumental*

Grade Seven

Theory

- The students will review the key signatures for C, G, D, A, and E major

Practicum

- *Witch's Rap*
- *Eighth Note Study #1*
- *The Flintstones*
- *The Can-Can*

Grade Eight

Theory - Music History

- Students will study the transition from *Baroque* to *Classical* eras.

Practicum

- Rhythm Exercise No. 2 – Bucket Drumming
 - *It Takes Two*
 - *Fanfare*
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Computers

Grade Three

The students will start designing greeting cards using *Microsoft Publisher*.

Grade Five

The students will learn the fundamentals of BASIC. This week, they will learn the syntax for the print command and assigning numerical variables.

Grade Six

The students will review BASIC fundamentals. They will practice entering and studying simple codes.

Grade Seven

The students will continue to work on their Python (with Turtle) geometric assignments.

Grade Eight

The students will review the syntax of the input and print command in Python. They will also assign alpha-numeric variables.

Media Arts

Grade Three

The students will continue to explore the development of the Science Fiction genre. This week, they will continue to read about sci-fi pioneer Jules Verne.

Grade Five

The students will be introduced to the concept of *Spine Poetry*.

Grade Six

The students will be introduced to the concept of *Blackout Poetry*.
