



Lesson Topics mapped to the Texas Essential Knowledge and Skills for Music (TEKS)

Lesson Topic TEKS Strand & Grades		Performing													Composing																							
		Beginner Songs	Easy Songs	Play-along Songs	Folk Songs	Christmas Solos	Choir Songs	Jazz Songs	Rock Songs	Folk Advanced	Christmas Ensembles	Orchestral Songs	Improvisation	Performance	Advanced Performance	Changing Instruments	Correcting Instruments	Selecting Instruments	Identifying Instruments	Arranging	Ensemble Arranging	Using Dynamics	Adding Chords	Ensemble Balance	Mixing	Remix	Radio Remix	Tempo	Quantizing	Editing Notes	Keyboard Editor	Audio Editing	Wavesample Editing	Sampling	Drum Loops	Composing Parts	Film Scoring	
Perception	K-5	✓	✓	✓	✓										✓	✓									✓													
	6-8			✓	✓	✓									✓	✓	✓	✓		✓				✓	✓	✓												
	9-12						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				✓	✓	✓							✓											
Creative Expression/Performance	K-5	✓	✓	✓	✓																✓						✓									✓		
	6-8			✓	✓	✓															✓	✓					✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	9-12																				✓		✓					✓		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Historical And Cultural Heritage	K-5	✓	✓	✓	✓																																	✓
	6-8			✓	✓	✓																															✓	
	9-12						✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓																							✓	✓
Response and Evaluation	K-5	✓	✓	✓	✓																																	
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Lesson Topic TEKS Strand & Grades		Publishing													Musicianship																								
		Writing Manuscript	Note Recognition	Note Spacing	Lyrics	Rhythmic Beaming	Enharmonic Notes	Chord Symbols	Instrument Ranges	Publishing Layout	Time Signatures	Anacrusis	Repeats	1 st and 2 nd Endings	DC al Fine	DS al Fine	DC al Coda	DS al Coda	Intervals Aural	Intervals Written	Chords Aural	Chords Written	Scales Aural	Scales Written	Cadences Aural	Cadences Written	Rhythmic Dictation	Melodic Dictation	Note Comparison	Transcription	Changing Tonality	Writing Counts	Writing Dynamics	Clefs	4 Part Writing	Creating Chords	Chord Inversions		
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