Introduction

In 2014, the Shelby County Schools Board of Education adopted a set of ambitious, yet attainable goals for school and student performance. The District is committed to these goals, as further described in our strategic plan, Destination 2025.

By 2025,

- 80% of our students will graduate from high school college or career ready
- 90% of students will graduate on time
- 100% of our students who graduate college or career ready will enroll in a post-secondary opportunity.

In order to achieve these ambitious goals, we must collectively work to provide our students with high-quality, College and Career Ready standardsaligned instruction. Designed with the teacher in mind, the Performing Arts Education Curriculum Maps focus on teaching and learning correspond to the 2018 Tennessee Department of Education Revised Standards for Arts Education.

A high quality arts education is essential to the social, emotional, and intellectual growth of every student. Therefore, SCS will provide a broad range of innovative, inspiring, and relevant arts education offerings so <u>all students</u> learn to express their unique voice and shape a thriving Memphis/Shelby County community. Shelby County Schools will foster collaboration, creativity, and self-expression through equitable, high quality, and sequential K-12 arts experiences, empowering all young people to strive for artistic and scholastic excellence. This map presents a framework for organizing instruction around the TN State Standards so that every student meets or exceeds requirements for college and career readiness. The standards define what to teach at specific grade levels, and the SCS Arts Education curriculum maps provide guidelines and research-based approaches for implementing instruction to ensure students achieve their highest potentials.

The SCS Arts Education curriculum maps are designed to create artistically/musically literate students by engaging them both individually and collaboratively in creative practices of envisioning, investigating, constructing, and reflecting. To achieve these goals the curriculum maps were developed by expert arts teachers to reflect the conceptual framework of the four artistic processes: perform, create, respond, and connect.

How to Use the Arts Education Curriculum Maps

The SCS Arts Education curriculum maps are designed to help teachers make effective decisions about what content to teach and how to teach it so that, ultimately, our students can reach Destination 2025. Across all arts disciplines, this is generally reflected in the following quarterly framework:

Knowledge and Skills- This column reflects the anchor standards and essential tasks associated with grade level mastery of each discipline.

<u>Activities and Outcomes</u>- Generally phrased similar to "I Can" statements, this portion identifies the specific performance indicators that are expected for students at a given time within the quarters/semester.

<u>Assessments</u>- This section of the quarterly maps focuses on the formative and summative methods of gauging student mastery of the student performance indicators listed in the activities/outcomes section.

<u>Resources And Interdisciplinary Connections</u>- In this column, teachers will find rich bodies of instructional resources/materials/links to help students efficiently and effectively learn the content. Additionally, there are significant resources to engage alignment with the Comprehensive Literacy Improvement Plan (CLIP) that are designed to strengthen authentic development of aural/visual literacy in the arts content areas as well as support larger district goals for improvement in literacy.

Throughout this curriculum map, you will see high-quality works of art/music literature that students should be experiencing deeply, as well as some resources and tasks to support you in ensuring that students are able to reach the demands of the standards in your classroom. In addition to the resources embedded in the map, there are some high-leverage resources available for teacher use.

COURSE: General Music

GRADE LEVEL(s): Grade 6-12

PURPOSE:

The purpose of all music courses in the Shelby County Schools is to develop comprehensive musicianship, in partnership with other core disciplines, with a focus of musical literacy. We believe all students have tremendous potential to learn and enjoy music. While research shows that music helps students develop higher-order skills and increase desire to learn, our driving goal is to empower students to use their minds more creatively by inspiring them to broaden their experiences and enrich their lives.

The 6th – 12th grade General Music program allows students to transfer prior knowledge and skills and to explore and develop their musicianship through various courses of study. These include but are not limited to studies based in the Spotlight on Music textbook and support materials, TMA Keyboard, Guitar, World Drumming, and the series Music, It's Role and Importance in Our Lives.

All 6th-12th General Music classes are elective curricular courses that meet during the school day. Grades 6-8 general music courses are 90-day courses, and High School general music is a 180-day course. For grading purposes, all music students are required to produce and present quality work in one or more of the following formats:

- Public performances
- Visual displays such as poster boards and tri-folds
- Audio and/or video recordings (CD, mp3, DVD)
- · Web-based presentations such as blog entries and web site content

GRADE SPECIFIC BENCHMARKS

GRADE 6 - General Music/General Music 90-Day

Elective Course

Prerequisite: None

Knowledge and Skills Activities/Outcomes Assessments Resources/Literacy Connections				
	Knowledge and Skills	Activities/Outcomes	Assessments	Resources/Literacy Connections

This guide provides resources and strategies for expectations towards State Standards. Autonomy to exceed pacing and content is assumed provided student performance indicators are met.

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Knowledge and Skills	Activities/Outcomes	Assessments	Resources/Literacy Connections
QUARTER 1			
This guide provides resources	and strategies for expectations towards Str	ato Standarda Autonomy to avoad po	acing and content is assumed Shelby County Schools 2016/2017

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Knowledge and Skills	Activities/Outcomes	Assessments	Resources/Literacy Connections
2018 Standards			
6.GM.P1.B Explain how understand	criteria for selecting music to perform for a ing the structure and the elements of music e of music, demonstrating how interpretation	c are used in music selected for p	and explain why each was chosen. performance. the expressive qualities (such as dynamics, tempo, timbre,
Foundation P2 Develop and refine artistic technic 6.GM.P2.A Identify and apply teach when a piece is ready to perform.	•	etation of notation, technical acc	uracy, originality, and interest) to rehearse, refine, and determine
6.GM.P3.A Perform music with tech	ough the performance of artistic work. nical accuracy to convey the creator's inter ce decorum (such as stage presence, attire		iquette appropriate for venue and purpose.
CREATE Foundation Cr1 Generate and conceptualize artist 6.GM.Cr1.A Generate simple rhythm	t ic ideas and work. nic, melodic, and harmonic phrases within <i>i</i>	AB and ABA forms that convey e	xpressive intent.
middle, and ending, and convey exp	ruct, and document personal musical ideas pressive intent.		ons within AB or ABA form that demonstrate an effective beginning, thmic phrases, melodic phrases, and two- chord harmonic musical
Foundation Cr3 Refine and complete artistic work 6.GM.Cr3.A Self-evaluate one's wor	k, applying teacher-provided criteria such a	as application of selected elemer	nts of music and use of sound sources.

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6.GM.Cr3.C Present the final version	6.GM.Cr3.B Describe the rationale for making revisions to music, based on evaluation criteria and feedback from a teacher. 6.GM.Cr3.C Present the final version of a documented personal composition or arrangement, using craftsmanship and originality to demonstrate an effective beginning, middle, and ending, and convey expressive intent.						
	k. to listen to, and explain the connections ents of music and expressive qualities re		a specific purpose.				
	nusic from a variety of genres, cultures, a	and historical periods.					
Interpret intent and meaning in a 6.GM.R2.A Describe a personal inte	Foundation R2 Interpret intent and meaning in artistic work. 6.GM.R2.A Describe a personal interpretation of how creators' and performers' application of the elements of music and expressive qualities, within genres and cultural and historical context, convey expressive intent.						
Foundation R3 Apply criteria to evaluate artistic work. 6.GM.R3.A Apply teacher-provided criteria to evaluate musical works or performances.							
CONNECT Foundation Cn1 Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to artistic endeavors. 6.GM.Cn1.A Demonstrate how interests, knowledge, and skills relate to personal choices and intent when creating, performing, and responding to music.							
Foundation Cn2 Relate artistic ideas and works with societal, cultural, and historical context. 6.GM.Cn2.A Demonstrate understanding of relationships between music and the other arts, other disciplines, varied contexts, and daily life.							

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Singing	Demonstrate the ability to sing alone	Visual/Aural Observation	TP – Lessons 1-8
	selected musical examples. (1.1)	(audio recording, peer	SOM – Concepts, Unit 1, Lessons 1-4
		evaluation/self assessment) (V/A)	Teacher-generated sight reading charts, unison and two-part exercises
			SOM – Concepts, Unit 2
	Demonstrate the ability to sing in an	Scoring Rubric (P/P-A)	The Practice Room - online sight reading resource
	ensemble selected musical		(http://thepracticeroom.net/practice-now-for-free/)
	examples. (1.2)		RubiStar rubric creator
		Self Assessment (P/P-A)	(http://rubistar.4teachers.org/)
			Practice Sight Reading.com - online sight reading resource
			(www.practicesightreading.com)
		Selected Response (Matching,	
	Demonstrate the chility to norferre	Multiple Choice, T/F) (P/P-A)	theoria.com - theory tutorials and activities
	Demonstrate the ability to perform		http://www.teoria.com/index.html
	appropriate instrumental musical examples alone. (2.1)		The Practice Room.net - online sight reading/sight singing
			resource
			http://thepracticeroom.net/
	Demonstrate the ability to perform		
	an appropriate instrumental part in		CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.5
	an ensemble. (2.2)		Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word
			relationships, and nuances in word meanings.
	Demonstrate skills in interpreting		
	notated musical examples that		CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.3
	include rhythm, melody, harmony,		Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for
	and symbols of musical expression. (5.1)		meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading
	(5.1)		or listening.
			CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.1
			Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of
			conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building
			on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and
		7	persuasively.
			CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.10
			Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts

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			independently and proficiently.
Respond: Listen/Evaluate			
Identify	Listen to a varied repertoire of music representing diverse genres and cultures. (6.1) Analyze aural examples of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse genres and cultures. (6.2) Describe listening examples using music vocabulary. (6.3)	Short Answer and Sentence Completion (P/P-A) Class Discussion/Group Critique (V/A, P/P-A) Student- and teacher-generated evaluation documents and "journal" writing (critical thinking)	ITP – Lessons 1-8 SOM – Concepts, Unit 2 ITP – Lesson 6 Music Theory.net http://www.musictheory.net/lessons/15 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.6 Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2 Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media
			and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.5</u> Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.

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Evaluate	The student will be able to establish criteria for evaluating music and justify personal preferences, verbally and non-verbally.	Evaluate the quality and effectiveness of works of music. (7.1) Explore the relationship between music and other art disciplines. (8.1) Explore the relationship between music and other academic disciplines (language arts). (8.2) Explore the use of technology in today's music. (8.3)	Primer Performance 1 • Reading Music pg. 5 • 5-note /rhythmic variation pg. 11 • Rhythm Composition pg. 13 #29 <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2</u> Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally.
Create: Arrange, Compose, Improvise, and Notate			

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Improvise	Improvise a simple melody. (3.1) Demonstrate the ability to perform appropriate instrumental musical examples alone. (2.1) Demonstrate skills in notating musical examples using standard notation that include rhythm, melody and symbols of musical expression. (5.2) Compose simple pieces of music. (4.1) Demonstrate skills in notating musical examples using standard notation that include rhythm, melody and symbols of musical expression. (5.2)	 On-Demand Performance (V/A, P/P-A) Scoring Rubric (P/P-A) Visual/Aural Observation (audio recording, video recording, peer evaluation/self assessment) (V/A) 	ITP – Lessons 1 and 5 SOM – Concepts, Unit 1, Lesson 6 Music Theory.net http://www.musictheory.net/lessons/15 MuseScore.org http://musescore.org/ RubiStar rubric creator (http://rubistar.4teachers.org/) Aviary Roc - online music creator http://www.aviary.com/online/music-creator/ CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.7 Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words. ¹ CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.W.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.10 Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.6 Adapt speech to a variety of contexts and communicative tasks, demonstrating command of formal English when indicated or appropriate.

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Connect: Relate and Apply			
Identify	Explore the relationship between music and other art disciplines. (8.1)	Small Group Response (V/A, P/P-A)	ITP – Lessons 1-3 SOM – Concepts, Unit 1, Lesson 1
	Explore the relationship between music and other academic disciplines. (8.2)	Scoring Rubric (P/P-A)	CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.3 Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening.

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Demonstrate	Explore the characteristics of music genres and styles within their historical and cultural settings. (9.1)	Visual Observation (V/A, P/P-A) (peer evaluation/self assessment)	ITP – Lesson 5 SOM – Teacher to incorporate into Concepts, Unit 4, Lesson 7 ITP – To be incorporated into lesson 4 by teacher
	Examine the role of music in world cultures. (9.3)	Formative, Structured Experienced (V/A, P/P-A)	RubiStar rubric creator (<u>http://rubistar.4teachers.org</u> /)
	Compare the function music serves, roles of musicians, and conditions under which music is typically performed in several world cultures. (9.3)	Class Discussion/ Group Critique (V/A, P/P-A)	CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2 Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.7 Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words. ¹
	Explore the relationship between music and other art disciplines. (8.1)		
QUARTER 2			

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Knowledge and Skills	Activities/Outcomes	Assessments	Resources/Literacy Connections
Knowledge and Skills Perform	 Demonstrate the ability to perform appropriate instrumental musical examples alone. (2.1) Demonstrate skills in interpreting notated musical examples that include rhythm, melody, and symbols of musical expression. (5.1) Demonstrate the ability to perform an appropriate instrumental part in an ensemble. (2.2) Demonstrate skills in interpreting notated musical examples that include rhythm, melody, and symbols of musical examples that include rhythm, melody, and symbols of musical examples that include rhythm, melody, and symbols of musical expression. (5.1) Distinguish characteristics of representative music genres and styles from a variety of historical periods and cultures. (9.1) 	Assessments Checklist/Rating Form (P/P-A) Peer Group Assessment (V/A, P/P-A) Small Group Response (V/A, P/P-A) Visual/Aural Observation (audio recording, video recording, peer evaluation/self assessment) (V/A) Scoring Rubric (P/P-A)	ITP – Lessons 2-8 SOM – Music Reading, Unit 1 SOM – Performance, Themes 1, 2 ITP – Lessons 1-8 SOM – Concepts, Unit 3 The Practice Room - online sight reading resource (http://thepracticeroom.net/practice-now-for-free/) RubiStar rubric creator (http://rubistar.4teachers.org/) Practice Sight Reading.com - online sight reading resource (www.practicesightreading.com) theoria.com - theory tutorials and activities http://www.teoria.com/index.html CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.7 Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words.1 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word
	Analyze aural examples of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse genres and cultures. (6.2) Explore the relationship between music and other art disciplines. (8.1)		Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.10</u> Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts independently and proficiently. <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.3</u> Apply knowledge of language to understand how language functions in different contexts, to make effective choices for

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Knowledge and Skills Technical Vocabulary	Activities/Outcomes I can: Describe musical examples using appropriate vocabulary/terminology. 6.1.1 Describe, verbally, or through writing/drawing/mapping, the main events within a musical example using appropriate vocabulary/terminology. ocabulary/terminology. 6.2.2	 Assessments The students will create a musical vocabulary list inclusive of all dynamics, tempi, and stylistic and stylistic terms. Students will create a simple concert march format inclusive of: Introduction, 1st Strain, 2nd Strain, Trio, 1st Endings and 2nd Endings. 	 meaning or style, and to comprehend more fully when reading or listening. Premier Performance 1 Music Dictionary pg. 48 Arts Infusion - Language Arts: Musical Terms and additional diacritical markings Math: Rhythmic meter, notational values, counting beats per measure Social Studies: Analyzing and describing musical literature of varied styles, diverse cultures and genres. Science: Intonation, sound waves CCSS.Math.Content.6.RP.A.2 CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RI.6.4
Respond: Listen/Evaluate			<u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.6</u> Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.

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Identify	Demonstrate skills in interpreting notated musical examples that include rhythm, melody, harmony, and symbols of musical expression. (5.1) Analyze aural examples of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse genres and cultures. (6.2) Describe listening examples using music vocabulary. (6.3)	Rhythm and Notation Test – Written and Aural (V/A, P/P-A) Critical Listening as Evidenced by Written Reflection (P/P-A) Small Group Response (V/A, P/P-A)	ITP – Lessons 1-8 SOM – Music Reading, Units 1, 2 ITP – Lesson 6 SOM – Concepts, Unit 5 RubiStar rubric creator
			(http://rubistar.4teachers.org/) CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.6 Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.7 Integrate and evaluate content presented in diverse media and formats, including visually and quantitatively, as well as in words. ¹ CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings.

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Analyze	Compose simple pieces of music within specified guidelines. (4.1)	Time Signatures Test (P/P-A)	ITP – Lessons 1-8
	Demonstrate skills in interpreting notated musical examples that include rhythm, melody, and symbols of musical expression. (5.1)	Checklist/Rating Form (P/P-A) Scoring Rubric (P/P-A)	SOM – Music Reading, Unit 5 Music Theory.net <u>http://www.musictheory.net/lessons/15</u>
	Demonstrate skills in notating musical examples using standard notation that include rhythm, melody and symbols of musical expression. (5.2)		CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.5 Demonstrate understanding of figurative language, word relationships, and nuances in word meanings. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.W.4 Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
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Notate	Demonstrate skills in notating musical examples using standard notation that include rhythm, melody and symbols of musical expression. (5.2)	Visual/Aural Observation (audio recording, video recording, peer evaluation/self assessment) (V/A)	MuseScore.org http://musescore.org/ RubiStar rubric creator (http://rubistar.4teachers.org/)
	Compose simple pieces of music. (4.1) Demonstrate the ability to perform appropriate instrumental musical examples alone. (2.1)		CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.1 Prepare for and participate effectively in a range of conversations and collaborations with diverse partners, building on others' ideas and expressing their own clearly and persuasively. CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.R.10 Read and comprehend complex literary and informational texts
	Demonstrate the ability to perform an appropriate instrumental part in an ensemble. (2.2)		independently and proficiently. <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.W.4</u> Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.

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Compose	Compose simple pieces of music. (4.1) Demonstrate skills in notating musical examples using standard notation that include rhythm, melody and symbols of musical	Small Group Response (V/A, P/P-A) Peer Group Assessment (V/A, P/P-A)	Aviary Roc - online music creator <u>http://www.aviary.com/online/music-creator/</u> <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.W.4</u> Produce clear and coherent writing in which the development, organization, and style are appropriate to task, purpose, and audience.
	expression. (5.2) Demonstrate the ability to perform appropriate instrumental musical examples alone. (2.1)		
	Demonstrate the ability to perform an appropriate instrumental part in an ensemble. (2.2) Explore the relationship between music and other academic disciplines. (8.2)		
Connect: Relate and Apply			

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Compare	Distinguish characteristics of representative music genres and styles from a variety of historical periods and cultures. (9.1) Analyze aural examples of a varied repertoire of music representing diverse genres and cultures. (6.2) Examine the role of music in world cultures. (9.3)	Critical Listening as Evidenced by Written Reflection (P/P-A) Short Answer/Sentence Completion (P/P-A)	ITP – Lessons 1-8 SOM – Music Reading, Unit 5 SOM – Concepts, Units 1-6 <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.2</u> Integrate and evaluate information presented in diverse media and formats, including visually, quantitatively, and orally Describe listening examples using music vocabulary. (6.3) <u>CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.L.6</u> Acquire and use accurately a range of general academic and domain-specific words and phrases sufficient for reading, writing, speaking, and listening at the college and career readiness level; demonstrate independence in gathering vocabulary knowledge when encountering an unknown term important to comprehension or expression.
Describe	Demonstrate an understanding of the role of technology in creating, producing and listening to music. (8.3)	Audio/Video Recording (V/A) Portfolio/Project (V/A, P/P-A) Small Group Response (V/A, P/P-A) Peer Group Assessment	RubiStar rubric creator (http://rubistar.4teachers.org/) CCSS.ELA-Literacy.CCRA.SL.5 Make strategic use of digital media and visual displays of data to express information and enhance understanding of presentations.