

ORCHESTRA



1st Period

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November 11, 2024

Announcements

- Winter Concert December 4 (2 weeks)
- Major Quiz Coming in November!

Class To Do

>TUNING

FOCUS:

1. *Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques*

>Warmup

2. *Correct Finger Patterns*

- D Major scale
- Bow precision -matching bow lengths and bow speed)
- Violin/Bass: E-string page 38
- Tomorrow: Have String Basics Book

>Music

- **March** (articulation)
- **Snow Day** (cleanup)
- **Rite Stonehenge**

Velocity Quiz Spots

- *Vln 1: mm. 43-53*
- *Vln 2: mm. 37-50*
- *Viola: mm. 37-45, 49-52*
- *Cello/Bass: mm. 38-51*

2nd Period

ORCHESTRA

November 11, 2024

Announcements Winter Concert December 4 (2 weeks)

Morning Rehearsals: 7:45AM-8:40AM

>Wednesday-November 13, 20

>Tuesday-December 3

Class To Do

>TUNING *FOCUS:*

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Warmup **Habits of a Successful Musician**

- **Bow Techniques, pages 2-3**
- **(C, D, G) A, F, Bb, and Eb Major Scales with arpeggios**

>Music

- **Canzona** (mm. 77 and mm. 66)
- **We Need a Little Christmas** (bow and articulation precision)
- **Have yourself a Merry Little...**

4th Period

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>Wednesday-November 13, 20

>Tuesday-December 3

>RTMS Winter Concert: December 4

8th Grade Orchestra Night: December 12

Class To Do

FOCUS:

>TUNING

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*

- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Warmup

>Music Rehearsal Performance Quizzes on Canzona (Practice/Minor) coming soon!!!

- **Canzona** (mm. 66 cleanup, playthrough)

- **Have Yourself...**

- **We Need a Little**

- **Sleigh Ride**

5th Period

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Announcements RTMS Winter Concert: December 4

8th Grade Orchestra Night: December 12

Class To Do

FOCUS:

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensembl FOCUS:*

>TUNING

>Warmup

>Music

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

• Music Rehearsal

- **Medieval Wars** (opening, transition mm. 31-43)
- **Sleigh Ride** (mm. 1-44)
- **Somewhere on My Memory**

Performance Quizzes (Practice/Minor) coming soon!!!

6th Grade

ORCHESTRA

November 11, 2024

Announcements

WINTER CONCERT! *December 4*

Upcoming Minor Playing Quiz: #100, D major scale with the bow

Class To Do

>Tuning/Warmup

- Shadow Bow Technique
- Long Bows Following the Conductor
- #100 D Major Scale (minor quiz coming soon)

FOCUS:

- 1. Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques*
- 2. Intonation!*

>Rehearsal

String Basics (focus for Nov.-Dec)

#100, 107, 111

Bow Grip Checklist

- Finger angle
- Index Finger
- Fingers curved
- Bow Thumb

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November 12, 2024

Announcements

- Winter Concert December 4 (2 weeks)
- Velocity Quiz: (Next Week: Wed-Thursday)

Class To Do

>TUNING

FOCUS:

1. Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques
2. Correct Finger Patterns

>Warmup

- **String Basics Book**

>Music

- **Snow Day** (cleanup)
- **Rite Stonehenge**

Velocity Quiz Spots

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2nd Period

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All-State Final Round , January 18

Class To Do

>TUNING

FOCUS:

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Warmup

Habits of a Successful Musician

- **Bow Techniques, pages 2-3**
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>Music

- **We Need a Little Christmas** (bow and articulation precision)
- **Have yourself a Merry Little...**
- **Rhosymedre**

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>All-State Final Round , January 18

Class To Do

FOCUS:

>TUNING • *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
• *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Warmup

>Music Rehearsal Performance Quizzes on Canzona (Practice/Minor) coming soon!!!

- **Canzona** (mm. 66 cleanup, playthrough)
- **Sleigh Ride**
- **Rhosymedre**

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FOCUS:

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensembl FOCUS:*

>TUNING

>Warmup

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Music

- **Music Rehearsal**

- **Medieval Wars** (play-through)
- **Sleigh Ride** (mm. 1-44)
- **Somewhere on My Memory**

Performance Quizzes (Practice/Minor) coming soon!!!

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>Tuning/Warmup

- Shadow Bow Technique
- Long Bows Following the Conductor
- #100 D Major Scale (minor quiz coming soon)

FOCUS:

- 1. Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques*
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Chamber Rehearsal #1

>TUNING

>Warmup

>Music Rehearsal

• Canzona

8th Grade: Sit in original seat placement

7th Grade Violin.Viola start sitting on row 4

>Have pencils out to mark music!

CANZONA FOCUS:

- Ensemble Bow Precision (length and speed)
- Balance
- Dynamics



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 - Velocity Quiz:

Next Week: Wed-Thursday, Team C will go first

Class To Do

- >TUNING *FOCUS:*
- >Warmup
1. Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques
 2. Correct Finger Patterns

- String Basics Book

>Music

- Snow Day (finish cleanup)
- Rite Stonehenge

Velocity Quiz Spots

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>Warmup

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- **Canzona**
- **Rhosymedre**

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- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>TUNING

>Warmup

>Music

- **Music Rehearsal**

- **Sleigh Ride** (mm. 1-62, 119-end)

- **Somewhere on My Memory**

Performance Quizzes (Minor) coming soon!!!

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Announcements

WINTER CONCERT! December 4

Upcoming Minor Playing Quiz: #100

Class To Do

>Tuning/Warmup

- Shadow Bow Technique
- Long Bows Following the Conductor
- #100 D Major Scale (minor quiz coming soon)

FOCUS:

- 1. Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques***
- 2. Intonation!***

>Rehearsal

String Basics

#100, 107, 119

Playing Quiz/Test Categories

- Intonation
- Steady Tempo
- Left Hand Wrist
- Tshape Bow
- Bow Length

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Class To Do

>TUNING

FOCUS:

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>Warmup

2. *Correct Finger Patterns*

• **String Basics Book**

>Music

• **Rite Stonehenge** (cleanup- play through)

• **Snow Day** (play through)

• **March**

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FOCUS:

>TUNING

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*

>Warmup

- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>Music Rehearsal

- **Canzona** (mm. 66 cleanup, playthrough)
- **Sleigh Ride**
- **Rhosymedre** (minor quiz opening section next week)

5th Period

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RTMS Winter Concert: December 4

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Class To Do

FOCUS:

- *Ensemble Bow styles/articulation*
- *Ensemble Bow Precision*

>TUNING

>Warmup

>Music

- **Music Rehearsal**
 - **Medieval Wars** (playthrough)
 - **Somewhere on My Memory**
- Performance Quizzes (Minor) coming soon!!!
- **Bell Carol** (playthrough)

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Upcoming Minor Playing Quiz: #100

Class To Do

>Tuning/Warmup

- Shadow Bow Technique
- Long Bows Following the Conductor
- #100 D Major Scale (minor quiz coming soon)

FOCUS:

1. *Ensemble Bow Precision and Bow Techniques*
2. *Intonation!*

>Rehearsal

String Basics

#100, 107, **119**

Playing Quiz/Test Categories

- Intonation
- Steady Tempo
- Left Hand Wrist
- Tshape Bow
- Bow Length