**Previous Unit Next Unit**

Instruments of the Orchestra String Instruments – Carnival of the Animals

**Integrated Units**

Science – Cycles in Nature, Seasonal Cycles

**Core Knowledge Content** (Knowledge)

1. Composers and Their Music
   1. Antonio Vivaldi
   2. The Four Seasons
   3. Concerto
2. Vocabulary
   1. Baroque
   2. Concerto

**Colorado State Standards (1st Grade)**

1. Expression of Music

1. Expressively perform simple songs in small groups or independently

2. Perform simple rhythmic, melodic, and harmonic patterns

2. Creation of Music

1. Create musical phrases in the form of simple questions and answers alone and in small groups 2. Identify rhythmic and melodic notation patterns

3. Theory of Music

1. Comprehension and use of appropriate vocabulary for dynamics, tempo, meter and articulation

2. Comprehension of beginning notational elements and form in music

3. Comprehension of vocal and instrumental tone colors

4. Comprehension of beginning melodic and rhythmic patterns

4. Aesthetic Valuation of Music

1. Demonstrate respect for individual, group, and self-contributions in a musical setting

2. Articulate reactions to the elements and aesthetic qualities of musical performances using musical terminology and movement

3. Demonstrate increased awareness of music in daily life or special events

**Common Core Standards**

* Describe characters, settings, and major events in

a story, using key details.

* Ask for clarification and further explanation as needed about the topics and texts under discussion.
* Ask and answer questions about what a speaker says in order to clarify comprehension, gather additional information, or deepen understanding of a topic or issue.

**Standards for Achievement and Performance**

Students will-

-Identify Antonio Vivaldi and what time period he was a part of

-Understand what a concerto is and what instrument is used in the Four Seaons

-Correctly name which season is being played

**Types of Assessments**

Students will-

-Listen and identify different seasons in the concerto

-Complete a worksheet that shows their comprehension of Antonio Vivaldi and his concerto