



Music Tech II

Insert Teacher Name

Insert Room Number

Semester

Insert Period

Insert Email Address

COURSE DESCRIPTION

Open to all students in grades 9 -12 who have successfully completed Music Technology I, this course is designed for those seeking further knowledge and experience in Audio and Recording technology. Topics covered include: digital recording and midi sequencing; audio engineering and editing; effects processing and microphone technique; music business and commercial production. Connecting music and technology, students will use digital audio workstations, a variety of recording studio equipment and Protools music production software. This is a one-semester class that meets twice per 4 day rotation.

Prerequisite: successful completion of Music Technology I

COURSE OBJECTIVES

Students will:

- Create a musical project using midi sequencing
- Record and edit music using multitrack digital audio workstation (DAW).
- Analyze acoustic properties.
- Engineer and design sound reinforcement.
- Troubleshoot and resolve signal flow audio connections.
- Design and create a commercial audio production
- Identify connections between music and music technology to related commercial industries and careers.

UNITS OF STUDY

- Introduction to Protools 3 - 4 weeks
- Step Sequencing and MIDI in Protools 4 – 5 weeks
- Audio Editing in Protools 4 - 5 weeks
- Audio Production in Protools 6 weeks

COURSE POLICIES AND REQUIREMENTS

GRADING

Cumulative/In-Progress Grade:

- 10% of the grade will be based on formative assessments, homework completion, or behavior (see FPS BOE [Policy 6154AR](#))
- 90% will be based on summative assessments based on a minimum of four assessments (see FPS BOE Policy 6146AR)

End-of-the-Year Grade:

- 80% of the overall course grade will reflect the student's mastery of course content and skills during the school year through the Cumulative/In-Progress Grade.
- 10% of the End-of-the-Year course grade will be based on the Mid-Year Assessment
- 10% of the End-of-the-Year course grade will be based on the Final Assessment.

Grade Reporting

- All grades will be communicated through Infinite Campus
- Summative assessment results will be reported back to the student within ten school days from the date of submission or the due date.

Guidelines for Late Work (see FPS BOE Policy 6146AR):

- Late work will be accepted for both summative and formative tasks within a defined timeline agreed upon between the student and the teacher
- The total points may be reduced as a penalty for late work

MATERIALS:

Insert Course Materials Here (ie. Textbook, Binder, Calculator, Highlighters)

EXPECTATIONS OF STUDENTS:

EXTRA HELP:

Insert Course Expectations Here