

2025-2026 Newsom and McMains
Music: Year Long Plan

August	September	October	November	December
<p>4th Grade Elements of Music Review Dynamics Composers/Listening Surprise Symphony Performance Prep GP Day 1 GP Day 2</p> <p>3rd Grade Review Rhythms Review Solfa Dynamics Brass - William Tell GP Day 1 GP Day 2</p> <p>2nd Grade Review Musical Opposites Steady Beat Cresc/Decresc Chorus/ Verse Beethoven- Fur Elise GP Day 1 GP Day 2</p> <p>1st Grade Review Musical Opposites Steady Beat Make New Friends For He's a Jolly Good Fellow (Birthday) Funga Alafia GP Day - Mr. Sun GP Day - You are My Sunshine</p> <p>Kinder Sound and Silence Open Shut Them If You're Happy and You Know It GP Day 1 GP Day 2 Instruments Piano</p>	<p>4th Grade Elements of Music Review Rhythms (Whole, half, quarter, eighth notes/rests) Sixteenth Notes Theme and Variations Composers/Listening Mozart Variations Performance Prep GP Day 1 GP Day 2/Armed Forces</p> <p>3rd Grade Sixteenth Notes Tempo Brass - Mozart Horn Concerto America the Beautiful You're a Grand Old Flag GP Day 1 GP Day 2</p> <p>2nd Grade Whole/Half/Quarter/Eighth Notes and Rests Piano/Forte Miss Mary Mack: dance/echo Mozart Rondo Alla Turca GP Day 1 & GP Day 2</p> <p>1st Grade Humming Melody Prepare - Quarter, Eighth, Quarter Rest Steady Beat Mozart - Eine Kleine Nachtmusik There's a Hole in the Bucket GP Day 1 & GP Day 2</p> <p>Kinder Whisper/Talk/Shout/Sing Fast and Slow Steady Beat Farmer and the Dell Old MacDonald GP Day 1 GP Day 2 Instruments Guitar</p>	<p>4th Grade Elements of Music Sixteenth Notes Triplets Major/Minor Instruments Recorders Performance Prep VD - Armed Forces Medley Performance Songs #1</p> <p>3rd Grade Verse Refrain/Rondo Form Alouette Scheherazade - The Sea and Sinbad's ship.</p> <p>2nd Grade Mi/So/La Staff and Treble Clef This Land is Your Land When Johnny Comes Marching Home Bum Bum Bum Here We Come (Improv) Bach's Toccata & Fugue</p> <p>1st Grade Present Quarter Note, Eighth, Quarter Rests Music Can Tell a Story - Sorcerer's Apprentice Down By the Bay Dry Bones</p> <p>Kinder Quiet and Loud Hush Little Baby John Jacob Jingleheimer Schmidt In the Hall of the Mountain King Veteran's Day Poem Instruments Drums</p>	<p>4th Grade Elements of Music Meters Tempo Composers/Listening Taps Songs Deep in the Heart of Texas Performance Prep</p> <p>3rd Grade Meter Rounds Sousa - Stars and Stripes Forever Hey Ho, Nobody Home</p> <p>2nd Grade Do/Re/Mi Jumbo Bwana Canoe Song (simple round) Vivaldi's Fall Star Spangled Banner</p> <p>1st Grade Field Trip - Nutcracker Play Simple Rhythms Echo Short Rhythms Music Can Tell a Story - Hansel and Gretel Che Che Kule La Raspa</p> <p>Kinder Review Twinkle Twinkle Little Star Jingle Bells Instruments Review</p>	<p>4th Grade Elements of Music Voice Parts (Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass - Mezzos) Sharps/Flats D.C. al Fine Coda Composers/Listening Hallelujah Chorus Songs Auld Lang Syne Performance Prep Performance Songs #1 Performance Song #2</p> <p>3rd Grade Jingle Bells/Winter Fantasy Partner Song Alouette (1st Performance Song) You're a Grand Old Flag</p> <p>2nd Grade Fa/Ti Notes as a scale Melody Up and Down "Do Re Mi" Vivaldi's Winter This Land is Your Land Usdi Yona</p> <p>1st Grade Review Simple Rhythms Echo Simple Melodies Music Can Tell a Story - Nutcracker Suite/Ballet Frere Jacques Skip to My Lou</p> <p>Kinder Review Jingle Bells Holiday Songs Instruments Review</p>

January	February	March	April	May
<p>4th Grade</p> <p>Performance Prep</p> <p>Performance Songs (All)</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Meter</p> <p>Swan Lake</p> <p>Performance Songs (All)</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p><u>Tempo Markings (Adagio, moderato, allegro)</u></p> <p>Timber</p> <p>Home on the Range</p> <p><u>Simple Partner Songs (TBD)</u></p> <p>Chavez's Toccata for Percussion 3rd mvmt</p> <p>Review instrument families: Percussion</p> <p>Home on the Range</p> <p>Usdi Yona</p> <p>1st Grade</p> <p>Melody Moves Up and Down</p> <p>- Sol, Mi, La</p> <p>Echo Simple Melodies</p> <p>Tempo Markings (Adagio, moderato, allegro)</p> <p>She'll Be Coming Around the Mountain</p> <p>On Top of Spaghetti</p> <p>Kinder</p> <p>Long and Short</p> <p>The Wheels on the Bus</p> <p>Violin</p>	<p>4th Grade</p> <p>Composers/Listening</p> <p>Loch Lomond</p> <p>Performance Prep</p> <p>Performance Songs (All)</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Repeat Signs</p> <p>Down in the Valley</p> <p>Bicycle Built for Two</p> <p>Performance Songs (All)</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p><u>Pitch Names Spaces</u></p> <p>Swing Low Sweet Chariot</p> <p>Follow the Drinking Gourd</p> <p>Bach's Minuet in G minor</p> <p>Bach's Jesu. Joy of...</p> <p>Home on the Range</p> <p>Follow the Drinking Gourd</p> <p>1st Grade</p> <p>Sol, La, Mi</p> <p>Jazz</p> <p>- Louis Armstrong, Doin' the Suzie Q</p> <p>Oh When the Saints Go Marching In</p> <p>Elephants Have Wrinkles</p> <p>Frog in the Meadow</p> <p>Kinder</p> <p>Review</p> <p>Babes in Toyland</p> <p>London Bridges</p> <p>Trumpet</p>	<p>4th Grade</p> <p>Performance (3/5)</p> <p>Elements of Music</p> <p>Review Rhythms</p> <p>Review Solfa</p> <p>Songs</p> <p>Grandfather's Clock</p> <p>Composers/Listening</p> <p>Gregorian Chant</p> <p>Hildegard Von Bingen "O Virga Ac Diadema"</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Performance (3/12)</p> <p>Treble Clef, Staff, Bar Line, Double Bar line, Measure, Simple Gifts</p> <p>Aaron Copeland</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p><u>Pitch Names Lines</u></p> <p>Erie Canal</p> <p>Vivaldi's Spring</p> <p>Mendolsohn's Spring Song</p> <p>Erie Canal</p> <p>Railroad Sub (TBD)</p> <p>1st Grade</p> <p>Play Simple Rhythms and Phrases</p> <p>Peter and the Wolf</p> <p>- Instruments of the Orchestra</p> <p>Take Me Out to the Ball Game</p> <p>2 Performance Songs</p> <p>Kinder</p> <p>Same and Different</p> <p>In and Out the Window</p> <p>Flute</p>	<p>4th Grade</p> <p>Elements of Music</p> <p>Dotted and Tied</p> <p>I, V Chords</p> <p>Instruments</p> <p>Ukuleles (Kookaburra)</p> <p>Songs</p> <p>Waltzing Matilda</p> <p>Composers/Listening</p> <p>Magic Flute</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Elements of Music</p> <p>Treble Clef, Staff, Bar Line, Double Bar line, Measure, Recorders</p> <p>My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean</p> <p>Woodwinds - Rhapsody in Blue</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p>Performance (4/??)</p> <p><u>Pay Simple Melodies (after)</u></p> <p>Beethoven- Symphony No 6</p> <p>1st mvmt, Final mvmt</p> <p>"thunderstorm" to end</p> <p>Performance Songs (All)</p> <p>1st Grade</p> <p>Performance (4/24)</p> <p>Play Parties</p> <p>Peter and the Wolf</p> <p>Instruments of the Orchestra</p> <p>All Performance Songs</p> <p>Kinder</p> <p>Accents and Stress</p> <p>Carnival of the Animals</p> <p>Bear Went Over the Mountain</p> <p>Bear Hunt</p> <p>Continuation Songs</p> <p>Review</p>	<p>4th Grade</p> <p>Elements of Music</p> <p>Dotted and Tied</p> <p>I, V Chords</p> <p>Songs</p> <p>Deep in the Heart of Texas</p> <p>Composers/Listening</p> <p>Benjamin Britten Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra</p> <p>3rd Grade</p> <p>Elements of Music</p> <p>Play Party - Old Brass Wagon, Draw Me a Bucket of Water, Heel Toe Polka</p> <p>Ding Dong Digga Digga Dong</p> <p>Woodwind - Afternoon of a Faun</p> <p>2nd Grade</p> <p>Vivaldi's Summer</p> <p><u>Saint-Saens's Carnival</u></p> <p><u>Swan, Elephant</u></p> <p>Review Instrument Families:String</p> <p>2 GP Day Songs</p> <p>1st Grade</p> <p>Play Parties</p> <p>Reading Simple Melodies/Rhythms</p> <p>2 Performance Songs</p> <p>Kinder</p> <p>Review</p> <p>Continuation Songs</p>