6th Grade General Music Class Course Syllabus

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Course Description: 6th grade general music is designed to give students the opportunity to experience music in many different ways. This will include but not be limited to basic musical concepts, instruments of the orchestra, singing, recorder, composers, and musical theatre.

Course Objectives and Goals: We will learn about music through participation. Students will learn through singing, listening, evaluating, moving, performing, creating, and reading various kinds of musical literature.

<u>Grading:</u> Students will receive grades based upon subjects studied in class.

<u>Tests/Homework</u>-Evaluations will consist of listening, written and performance tests. Homework points will vary; points will be subtracted for work that is submitted late.

<u>Needs:</u> Pencil, somewhere to store class papers

Class Expectations/Rules
Students are expected to come to class prepared learn and participate.

Do not touch any equipment in the room unless you have been given permission.

All school rules apply, as do good manners.

If classroom rules are broken repeatedly or work is suffering, parents will be notified and extra assignments or detentions maybe given.

Topics to be Covered
Musical Theatre-4 days
Patriotic Music-2 days
Music Theory-on-going
History/Composers-5 days
Rhythm/Meter-7days
Guitar-7 days
Dance-1 day
Instruments-6 days
Computers-5 days
Singing-on-going
Musical Notation-10 days

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at the middle school by phone or email.

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