## **Grades 8 Chorus Competencies**

**Competency #1:** <u>Music Literacy</u>: Students will demonstrate the understanding that music literacy consists of skills involving reading, creating, critical listening and interpretation of the expressive characteristics of music.

## Performance Indicators- I can statements

I can demonstrate the skills involved in reading music.

I can demonstrate the skills involved in critically listening to music.

**Competency #2:** <u>Technical Skills</u>: Students will demonstrate the skills required to allow them to be an active participant in music either now, or in the future.

## Performance Indicators- I can statements

I can demonstrate the ability to independently perform an assigned part.

I can demonstrate proper posture to promote healthy singing.

**Competency #3:** <u>Lifelong Learning:</u> Students will demonstrate the ability to apply the skills required in the study of music will benefit personally and socially now in the future.

## Performance Indicators- I can statements

I can utilize musical skills that contribute a positive commitment to a polished final product.

I can demonstrate a commitment to civic engagement and social responsibility through performance.