



	Preschool	Kindergarten	Grade 1	Grade 2	Grade 3	Grade 4	Grade 5	Grade 6	Grade 7	Grade 8
Responds to music with movement & props	*	*	*							
Musical activities and circle games	*	*	*	*	*	*				
Uses simple percussion instruments (ex. Maracas rhythm sticks, triangles)	*	*								
Uses complex percussion instruments (ex. Castanets, rain sticks, shekere, agogo bells)			*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Uses pitched percussion Orff, melody instruments	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Playing Keyboards			*	*						
Learn to play the recorder					*	*				
					Using notes B A G	Reading notes on a staff				

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Basic guitar							*	*		
							Simple tablature	Read a chord chart		
Ensemble (ex. Percussive or melody)									*	*
Explore a variety of musical genres and styles		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Learn the musical staff					*	*				
					Using letters	Using notes				

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<b>Age-appropriate Music</b>		*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
		Verbal cues - simple words for quarter and eighth notes	Headless quarter and eighth notes	Headless quarter and eighth notes	Headless quarter, eighth and quarter rest notes	Headless and full quarter, eighth, half and quarter rest repeat and measures	Quarter, eighth, half and quarter rest repeat and simple tablature	Quarter, eighth, half and quarter rest repeat and simple tablature; chord charts	Quarter, eighth, half and quarter rest repeat and simple tablature; chord charts; read and write percussive	Quarter, eighth, half and quarter rest repeat and simple tablature; chord charts; read and write melody on musical staff

<b>Chorus opportunity</b>					*	*	*	*	*	*
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<b>Ravinia Festival</b>		*	*	*	*					
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Chicago Arts Partnerships in Education Columbia					*	*	*			
Old Town School of Folk Music Global Roots						*	*	*	*	*
Band Opportunity						*	*	*	*	*
Identify and use age-appropriate art tools	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Create and keep Fine Arts journal					*	*	*	*	*	*
Explore a variety of age-appropriate art medium & techniques	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
	Ex. Finger paints and crayons	Ex. Oil pastels, air dry clay	Ex. Temperas, scissors and glue	Ex. Paper manipulation, 3-dimensional	Ex. Colored pencils	Ex. Textiles & Ceramics	Ex. Charcoal	Ex. Acrylic paint	Ex. Mosaic tile	Ex. Wire sculpture



