

FIRST GRADE

- Concept development-- recognize patterns and variations in tempo, changes in rhythm, melody and phrasing, use changes in tempo and dynamics in music being performed/sung, recognize contrasts/repetitions within a composition
- Creative expression-- respond to mood of music with creative movement, play simple melodic passages on melody/rhythm instruments, practice attentive listening skills, participate in group/assembly singing and performances
- Historical/cultural heritage-- experience multicultural, ethnic, and liturgical music
- Appreciation-- Listen to a variety of music for different occasions including classical and modern