3rd Grade Music Curriculum, Assessments, and Resource Pacing Chart

K-5 Music Goals:

Note: Effective elementary music teaching is cyclical, like a musical "workout." While the focus may be on one area, it is necessary that the various musical aspects are covered throughout the year.

3rd Grade Michigan Standards for Music Education found at:

https://www.michigan.gov/documents/mde/Complete VPAA Expectations June 2011 356110 7 458390 7.pdf - pages 40 - 42.

Weeks	KCE Curriculum	Resources & Assessment	Additional Resources:	Standards / Learning Targets	Vocabulary (III.7)
7		Performing & reading: pulse, quarter note/half note/dotted half note/whole note/tied notes, sixteenth notes; question & answer technique; Conduct in 2 & 3 Teacher Listening & Observation. Exposure to Question & Answer.	Artie Almeida, GamePlan 3, Unpitched Percussion Parade, 3rd grade rhythm cards (GP)	I can demonstrate macro	macro beat, micro beat, question/answer, 2/4, 3 / 4, 4/4, meter, notation, conduct time signature
7	Melody	Read & notate SMLRD notation, Label high Do, Pre & post test on treble clef note names (lines & spaces)	GamePlan 3, Get America Singing Again;	I can sing a melody with confidence in a large group (I.3) I can sing expressively (I.3) I can identify & label the treble clef line notes on the staff. (I.10) I can identify & label the treble	Treble clef, Major / minor, ostinato, solfege, hand signals, pentatonic,

^{*}Demonstrate musical expression through speaking, singing, playing, and moving.

^{*}Develop a repertoire of songs: folk, seasonal, multi-cultural, patriotic.

^{*}Experience performing in a concert, grades K-5. 3rd grade students perform in a 'Harvest of Thanks' concert early each November.

^{*}To be Tuneful (to have melodies in the head & learn to coordinate the voice to sing those melodies), Beatful (to feel the pulse & how it is grouped in 2s or 3s), and Artful (music elicits feelings). "We sing, say, dance, and play, in a tuneful, beatful, artful way."

				clef space notes on staff (I.10) I can identify & draw the treble clef (III.2) I can create a musical accompaniment. (II.1) I can label SML (RD) (I.10) I can sing the whole major scale using hand signs. (I.10)	
4	Harmony	Spoken & instrumental ostinato, explore chord/broken/crossover bordun on barred instruments, experience vocal harmonies in 3 ways: ostinato, round/canon, partner song	(Almeida),	I can sing an ostinato while others are playing (II.1) I can play a broken bordun on a barred instrument. (II.1, II.6) I can demonstrate a crossover bordun (II.6) I can sing a round or canon. (III.1) I can create an accompaniment for a familiar song (II.3) I can create an accompaniment using a crossover bordun (II.1)	Ostinato, chord bordun, broken bordun, crossover bordun, crescendo, decrescendo, dynamics
6	Form / Movement	Review Phrase then extended Form: AB, Prepare Rondo, ABC	Kids Can Move," Gagne Listening Resource Kit, "I'm Growing Up" (Amidon), Weikert "Teaching Folk Dance"	I can add a physical response to the music I hear. (II.6) I can describe how the music sounds (III.3) I can identify Rondo form. (III.7, III.3) I can show the form of the music through a folk dance. (II.1, I.1)	Phrase, extended form, coda, ABA, Rondo, constrasting styles, folk dance, interlude, introduction, coda
6	Timbre	Vocal - loft voice, Instrumental - mallet	Percussion Parade (Almeida),	I can play a barred instrument correctly. (I.8)	instrument exploration, drums, mallet & hand drum

		technique, hand drum technique	GamePlan 3	I can play my part on a barred instrument while others sing. (I.8) I can improvise using UPP & other instruments. (II.5) I can define and demonstrate accent (I.3) I can label a fermata & use it while singing. (III.4)	technique, accents, mallets, instrument families, fermata,
4	Musical Expression	Accelerando, Forte / Piano, Fast / Slow through songs, movement, instruments, & chants, unit of the month, which features music history or musical styles		I can demonstrate audience appropriate behavior. (IV.3) I can evaluate a musical performance. (V.3) I can identify and perform with crescendo & decrescendo (III.4) I can sing with expression & match dynamic levels. (I.3) I can perform music with various tempos. (I.11) I can label & demonstrate forte, mezzo forte, mezzo piano, and piano. (I.5)	accelerando, composer, arranger, improvisation, evaluation, dynamics, forte, mezzo forte, mezzo piano, piano