COURSE DESCRIPTION
Welcome to the world of musical discovery! This Music Appreciation class will focus on music history and the basic components of music theory.

COURSE OUTLINE FOR MUSIC APPRECIATION

Music Theory
- Elements of Music
- Rhythm/Note Values
- Treble Clef Notation
- Composition

Music History/Culture may be selected from the following:
- Opera
- Spirituals
- African Music
- Gospel
- Blues
- Composers
- Musicals
- Latin American Music
- Jazz/Ragtime/Swing

Required Classroom Materials
- 2 Pencils (Daily). Your work must be completed in pencil.
- Folder w/ pockets
- Notebook Paper (for daily journals and note taking)

Class Expectations
Students are expected to follow the rules outlined below:
- Listen carefully and raise your hand to speak.
- Remain in your seat at all times
- Obey all school rules and follow the APS Code of Conduct.
- Participate in all classroom activities.
- Be on time to class with necessary materials (pencil, agenda, and notebook).
- Be courteous and show respect to others.
- No food, candy, drinks, or gum in the classroom.
- Seating order will be assigned during the first week of school. Seating will be done according to teacher choice and can be changed at any time. Students must sit in their assigned seat at all times.

Consequences:
1st Offense: Warning
2nd Offense: Lunch Detention/Phone Call Home
3rd Offense: After School Detention/Phone Call Home
4th Offense: Student Behavioral Referral (Failure to attend Detention will also result in an office referral.)
Music Appreciation Syllabus
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Grading Policy
The grading scales of this class are:

- A 100-90
- B 89-80
- C 79-70
- F 69 and below

The student's grade will be determined by the following:

- 30% Daily Class Participation
- 25% Classwork/Homework
- 35% Test/ Major Projects
- 10% Assessments

Extra Credit: Students will have the opportunity to earn extra credit throughout the school year by attending professional music concerts.

I am very excited about teaching your son/daughter this year and look forward to having him/her in class. Please feel free to email me at: stanner.atlanta.k12.ga.us for any questions or concerns!!

Student's Signature ___________________________ Date ________________

Parent's Signature ___________________________ Date ________________