UNIT OF STUDY

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VOCABULARY

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TERM	SYMBOL	DEFINITION
Slur		
Pick up note		

ONGOING SKILLS

NOTES

- * Play all of the correct notes
- * Apply key signature correctly

RHYTHM

- * Play all of the correct rhythms;
- * Count and clap aloud while tapping your foot

PERCUSSION ONLY

- * Grip mallets & sticks correctly
- * Play with even stick height
- * Play w/correct wrist movement

POSTURE

- * Feet flat on floor
- * Back straight
- * Hold instrument at the correct angle

ARTICULATION

- * Tongue correctly
- * Slur as marked

MAJOR SCALES & mini scales

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(low)						

BOOK SONGS & PLAYING EXAM

DIRECTIONS: Play the following songs for your teacher and check off the songs you have mastered. You will be asked to perform one of these songs as a playing exam with SmartMusic. Earn a score of 70% or better and you will pass this Unit of Study!

- □ 56 Warm-Up
- ☐ 57 Theme from "Symphony No. 1"
- ☐ 58 Erie Canal Capers
- \square 59 Laughing Song (ROUND)
- ☐ 60 Star Search [Compose missing notes]
- ☐ 61 Go For Excellence!

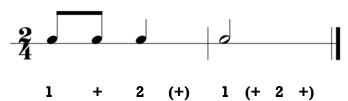


RHYTHM COUNTING

DIRECTIONS:

- ✓ Use the number system 1 + 2 + 3 + 4 + 4 to write in the counting for the rhythms above.
- ✓ Use parenthesis to show where you are not clapping, but still counting.

For example:



- ✓ Say and clap the entire rhythm line with at least 70% accuracy.
- Reinforce your skills by playing these rhythms on your instrument using "Concert Bb" or any note you like.

GRADING

/40 PLAYING EXAM

/47 RHYTHM COUNTING

/112 OVERALL GRADE