

Questions?

If you have any questions at any point during this presentation or throughout the school year, please contact me via email at ashldewitt@paps.net



What do I teach?

Piano

Chorus

Recorders

General music

Grades 5-8

Clubs: theatre and chorus





Make good choices: students should be on time and prepared to participate in class. Cell phones are not permitted during class time.



Use equipment properly: the instruments and belongings in the classroom should be handled with care.

Speak and play when the time is right: we are patient and respectful while other students and teachers are speaking.

Involve yourself: all students will try their personal best in music class.



Cooperate with others: students are to be respectful to all of their classmates and teachers.



District Grading Policy

60% Assessments: tests, quizzes, performances, etc.

35% Classwork: participation, daily music listening activities and discussions, projects, exit tickets, etc.

5% Homework: virtual piano practice, etc.

Things You Should Know

Attendance: the teacher takes attendance during the first 5 minutes of class. If students enters the classroom after attendance is done, they are marked tardy.

Google Classroom: The teacher will always gave advanced notification of any upcoming assignments and homework. The students can speak to the teacher regarding completion of any late assignments, as long as it is within the marking period. Google Classroom is where students will gain access to daily music lessons, assignments, sheet music, and rubrics.

What the students will accomplish this year:

- Identification of the notes on the Treble and Bass Clef staff, key signatures, chords, articulation, tempo and dynamic markings, etc.
- Exploration of the solfège system
- Identification of letters on the piano and corresponding pitch location on the staff
- Ownership of their own musicianship skills
- And more!

Contact Ms. DeWitt 1.1

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Take a look at my teacher website: https://www.paps.net/Domain/3922



