

OPA MUSIC 2020-2021

Welcome!

Hello OPA families! What a strange and unusual time we are in. I am so happy to be back with the students of OPA! There are some changes to the music class, including no singing, no sharing instruments and that music class is held in the students main classroom. I will try to have class outside so we can distance and remove our masks.



outcomes

In recognition of the Halifax School Boards dedication to success, Students in all grades will be demonstrating indicators from the following six strands.

Students will perform, listen to, create, and reflect on all six strands using voice, movement, and instruments to express feelings, ideas, and understandings.

Outcomes

1. Rhythm, meter, and tempo.
2. Melody and pitch.
3. Texture and harmony.
4. Form.
5. Elements of musical expression.
6. Diverse cultures and communities, including Acadians, African Nova Scotians, Gaels, and Mi'kmaq

We LOVE
music!



Assessment and Evaluation

Music constantly assesses and evaluates students learning. We will be using a variety of assessment tools such as self assessment, group assessment and check mark lists. Although some of the class will involve written work such as music responses or music composition, most class experience will involve performing and participating. Students in all grades will be assessed to the following measure:

WD=Well-developed.

D=Developing and

ND=Needs developing

CLASS EXPECTATIONS

- 🎵 All students will participate
- 🎵 All students will listen
- 🎵 All students will respect others

EXTRA-CURRICULAR

Due to the current situation in this global pandemic, there are many restrictions in place to help keep us all safe.

Grade 3-6 Choir: There is no in-person practices, but students can sign into my Google Choir Classroom using the code:

Guitar Club: Due to the cohorts, guitar club cannot happen yet.

Christmas Concert: As of now, there are no concerts allowed.



Communication

I welcome all feedback and communication regarding your children's experience in music class. You can email me at acroft@hrce.ca or call the school at (902) 889-4300. You can also check out my website at <http://anniecroft.weebly.com/>

Google Classroom Codes

If in the event we move to online learning, I will continue to use Google Classroom to communicate learning. For the elementary, I will not use this while in school. However, junior high uses it regularly.

P Boudreau **uhparwt**

P/1 Layne **uemihuj**

1 Desrosier **f5tlfje**

½ Courtney **46klw4v**

2 Krominga **4qrfywd**

¾ Delaney **tjqqi2e**

3 Canning **5tx5ljs**

4 Thompson **qj7qmlf**

4 Smith **7d2zlm4**

5 Smith **2amunbs**

5 Cann **zpu6v3z**

6 Cormier **w72l2as**

6 Bresnahan **icxtqpy**

Grade 6 Band **w22xrn7**

Choir **ouonzyh**