January 23-28 Band Assignments

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| Existing Students |  | Beginning students |  |
| Monday, Jan 23  Class: 7:30 - 9 am  Bring instrument, TE music, notebook, pencil, computer and smile!  In class today:   * Bb, Eb, F scales * Find downbeat game * Chromatic octave * Echo exercises * Watch conductor game   Be prepared to also play bookwork assigned last week. | HOMEWORK DUE TODAY:  Lines and spaces mnemonic you make up for your clef:  EGBDF and FACE *OR*  GBDFA and ACEG  Verification due 1/23  Treble clef challenge:  <http://www.musictheory.net/exercises/note/brwyrybynyyngb>  Bass clef challenge:  <http://www.musictheory.net/exercises/note/ng1yrybynyyngb>  JUST DO THE ONE THAT  YOUR INSTRUMENT IS IN  HOMEWORK: practice solo page to demonstrate for beginners on next few days we meet  **Online:** musicracer.com try to get on top 50!!  Note identification: level A | Monday, Jan 23  Brass class: 8:05 - 8:55  Bring instrument, TE music, notebook, pencil, computer and smile! | HOMEWORK:  **Online**:DUE TODAY  Treble clef challenge:  <http://www.musictheory.net/exercises/note/beoyryyynyyngb>  Bass clef challenge:  <http://www.musictheory.net/exercises/note/neoyryyynyyngy>  JUST DO THE ONE THAT  YOUR INSTRUMENT IS IN  **Online:** musicracer.com try to get on top 50!! Note identification: level A |
| Tuesday, Jan 24 | HOMEWORK:  **15 minute practice**:   * Bb, Eb and   F concert scales: whole, half and quarter and eighth notes.   * Page 40: 1A and 2A * Chromatic exercise from class (concert Bb to F in half steps) * **Brass**: #106 and pg 39, #6 * **Flutes**: #73 and #79 and pg 38, #3 and #4 * **Clarinets**: #79 and #93, page 38, # 3 and 4   **Online: Watch John Williams conducting Star Wars Imperial March.** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQP-b30n2xo>  **Due Monday: paper** | Tuesday, Jan 24 | HOMEWORK:  **15 minute practice:**  without instrument: breath in 4, out 4  Breath in 2, out 8  Breath in 1, out 12  Fill and empty on each.  Brass Playing: mouthpiece: air only or buzzing, whichever works best for you. Think: “OH”, eeehhhmmm. Use mirror  Woodwind playing: use mirror to check embouchure with book or youtube instructions.  All: lips straight line, breathe deep, keep air steady. Play four beats, rest (don’t play 4 beats) and repeat. Try different combinations of the notes we have learned so far.  Page 4 in book: refer to fingering aids at top of page  **Online: Watch John Williams conducting Star Wars Imperial March.** <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bQP-b30n2xo>  **Due Monday: paper** |
| Wed. Jan 25  Class 7:30 - 9 am | HOMEWORK**15 minute practice**:   * Bb, Eb and   F concert scales: whole, half and quarter and eighth notes.   * Page 40: 1A, 2A, 3A * Chromatic exercise from class (concert Bb to F in half steps) * **Brass**: #106 and pg 39, #6 * **Flutes**: #73 and #79 and pg 38, #3 and #4 * **Clarinets**: #79 and #93, page 38, # 3 and 4   **Online:** 15 minutes on Music Racer website | Wednesday Jan 25  Woodwind class:  8:05 - 8:55  Bring instrument, TE music, notebook, pencil, computer and smile! | Refer to Tuesday notes, above.  **Online:** 15 minutes on Music Racer website |
| Thursday Jan 26 | HOMEWORK: Watch 3 minute trumpet video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KV9b7Vuvaw8>  And 2 minute flute video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c6SHsF1n9Qw&index=3&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  Just first 2 minutes of clarinet video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5LpSqykddUo&index=15&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  And finally, this 5 minute one with trombone:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kGgUK2s-sqA&index=25&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above | Thursday Jan 26 | HOMEWORK: Watch 3 minute trumpet video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KV9b7Vuvaw8>  And 2 minute flute video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c6SHsF1n9Qw&index=3&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  Just first 2 minutes of clarinet video:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5LpSqykddUo&index=15&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  And finally, this5 minute one with trombone:  <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kGgUK2s-sqA&index=25&list=PLXYGK-Khx-95RLw4EAPWNSOGTleNfIaYZ>  **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above |
| Friday Jan 27 | HOMEWORK: Turn in John Williams paper Monday  **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above | Friday Jan 27 | HOMEWORK: Turn in John Williams paper Monday  **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above |
| Saturday Jan 28 | **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above  **15 MINUTES ONLINE**  Musicracer.com | Saturday Jan 28 | **15 MINUTES PRACTICE** as above  **15 MINUTES ONLINE**  musicracer.com |

Due next Monday:

**Watch** John Williams conduct Imperial March.

**Write** one page which describes

1) A conductor move and what *you* think he meant to communicate

2) Any instrument playing observations (posture, playing/hand positions, how they are dressed, anything you observe)

3) Why did I want you to watch this?

**Practice:** Daily 15 minutes. There is a Band Tally sheet for this, or you can simply use a notebook sheet to record:

1) your name

2) total hours practiced during the period

3) parent signature

4) extra points (see sheet)

5) Date

**Online:** musicracer.com try to get on top 50 board: our school is: Innocademy Zeeland

Plus the instrument videos written on Thursday above. We will discuss these in class next week.

**Theory:** Lesson 1: THE STAFF