

Laval Liberty Music 2013-2014

Goals of the music programme

At LLHS we hope to increase the satisfaction that students derive from music by enabling them to understand and enjoy the complexities of ensemble music through performing in a concert band. (A concert band is made up of woodwind, brass and percussion instruments). Students will develop the techniques, knowledge and discipline of a performing musician in order to better understand music and its role in our lives.

Objectives

- To be able to read sheet music
- To be able to reproduce the music on an instrument with a pleasant tone and a good sense of rhythm while demonstrating an understanding of the composer's intention
- To be able to follow the rules of ensemble playing in order to join with others to produce a musical performance
- To be able to make a musical judgement using the various elements of musical language and structure.

Evaluation

Creates Musical Works 20%

Performs Musical Works 50%

Appreciates Musical Works 30%

Evaluations will include any/all of the following :-

- Written exercises on reading and writing music
- Research project on musical styles
- Individual performance
- Group performance (School concert, sectional work in class)
- Participation in class – marks will be deducted for non justified absences (Please see school agenda)

Expectations

Each student must:

- Follow classroom rules regarding use of equipment to ensure good hygiene and orderliness
- Cooperate with the teacher and other students to perform as part of an ensemble
- Be an active learner and participant both in class and in school concerts

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Student name _____

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