

# **K-3 Music Syllabus**

## **Mrs. Hatch**

### **Course Description and Objectives**

Students will experience activities that will help them to prepare for the development of accurate rhythmic skills, accurate singing skills, and sensitivity to the expressive qualities in music. Students will perform basic rhythmic patterns as well as demonstrate basic functional skills on a variety of accompanying instruments. Students will also explore music through movement and other hands on activities. Lastly, students will sing a variety of songs and perform in two concerts.

### **Materials**

Students will be provided with the materials needed for this course unless asked otherwise.

### **Class Rules**

In music class, we follow the following rules:

**Make good choices**

**Use equipment properly**

**Speak when the time is right**

**Involve yourself in all activities**

**Cooperate with others**

### **Discipline**

Students are expected to follow the rules and be respectful at all times. Students are issued warnings by flipping colors on the behavior chart (yellow, orange, red).

Students on red will be asked to sit out of certain activities for the remainder of the class.

### **Concerts**

All students will perform in both concerts as performing is an essential element in music education. Students are required to attend unless a note is provided with a valid excuse. Students will be expected to practice songs at home.

### **Concert Dates:**

### **Grading Policy**

Participation: 65%

Quiz: 20%

Classwork: 15%

### **Communication**

For any questions or concerns, please e-mail me at: [ehatch@energysmartschool.org](mailto:ehatch@energysmartschool.org).  
I will be sure to communicate with any concerns throughout the year.  
Also, feel free to check my website regularly for updates on what is going on in the  
classroom: [www.mrshatchmusicart.weebly.com](http://www.mrshatchmusicart.weebly.com).

Looking forward to a great, musical year!

Parent/Guardian Signature\_\_\_\_\_ Date\_\_\_\_\_