#### WCSD General Music Curriculum

### **3rd Grade Music Overview**



3rd Grade Music Progress Report Statements

3rd Grade Music KUD

#### **Elementary Music Philosophy Statement**

Waukee students will explore music through diverse and collaborative experiences to foster growth of their own understanding and to express their creative ideas. Students will connect their musical experiences with their classmates, school, local, and global communities.

National Coalition of Core Arts Standards

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# 3rd Grade Music Description

Waukee 3rd Grade students will participate in a music setting that builds appreciation and understanding through creating, performing, responding, and connecting with a varied musical repertoire. Students will have formal performance opportunities to celebrate their skills and talents with the community. Primary units of focus may include time signatures, more advanced rhythmic notation, and expressive elements of music.

## Students will...

- Sing in unison
- Perform on instruments
- Build music literacy skills
- Create and share individual musical ideas

# 3rd Grade Music Essential Content

- 1) Listening Unit (Peer Gynt)
- 2) Unison Singing
- 3) Improvisation
- 4) Time Signatures
- 5) Rhythmic Notation
- 6) Performance Etiquette
- 7) Expressive Elements of Music