



## **Curriculum Map: Vocal Music Kindergarten**

Course: MUSIC - Subtopic: General

Grade(s): None specified

**Description:** All elementary students have the opportunity to participate in music education and performance through singing, listening and playing musical instruments. Kindergarten music classes meet thirty minutes once every other week. This academic discipline enhances logical and spatial reasoning skills, along with comprehension and listening, by incorporating and strengthening the auditory and kinesthetic learning modalities in the total experience.

Hampton's comprehensive music education program encourages students to explore music through a standards-based curriculum. Hampton's music curriculum is based on the Pennsylvania Academic Standards for the Arts and Humanities that include performance, historical and cultural contexts, and critical and aesthetic response.

### **Strand: 1.0 Melody**

**Content Strand: 1.1 Speaking, Singing, Whispering, Calling Voices**

**Content Strand: 1.2 Match Pitch in Pentatonic Scale**

**Content Strand: 1.3 High-Low, Fast-Slow**

### **Strand: 2.0 Rhythm**

**Content Strand: 2.1 Body Percussion, Gross Motor**

**Content Strand: 2.2 Rhythm Instruments as an Ensemble**

### **Strand: 3.0 Repertoire**

**Content Strand: 3.1 Loud-Soft, Fast-Slow, High-Low**

**Content Strand: 3.2 Folk Songs, Traditional Songs, Holiday Songs**