Applied Music

Course Guide

2018-2019

Applied Music is a course which enhances the performance opportunities of musical students as well as the betterment of individual skills needed for performance. To fulfil the Course Requirements set by UIL, Local Policy, and TEKS, each student enrolled in Applied Music MUST:

1. Audition for the ATSSB All-Region Bands or TMEA All-Region Bands

2. Prepare and perform a solo from the UIL Prescribed Music List

3. Demonstrate Mastery of his or her instrument appropriate to grade level along with individual abilities

4. Students will be graded based on fulfilling performance requirements as well as individual playing tests, written work, and other performance opportunities as assigned.

Prerequisite: A student enrolling in Applied Music <u>MUST</u> also be enrolled in band. This prerequisite can only be altered under very unique circumstances and must be approved by both the head band director as well as the high school principal.

Tests will be given weekly based on all the material learned for All-Region and Solos. Students will also be tested on Music Theory as well as other aspects of Music.

Grading Policy

Tests: 60%

Participation: 40%