

## Music Appreciation Disclosure Document

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**Objective:** The objective of this course is to teach students how to listen to and value culturally significant music of all genres. We will cover the basics of music theory, and an overview of the history of western music.

### **Expectations:**

- Listen and participate during class discussions
- Turn in work on time
- Respect all people and property i.e. please refrain from playing instruments in the room that do not belong to you
- Observance of the LHS Electronic Devices Policy
- Approach new music with an open mind

**Materials:** Music Appreciation Packet and a pencil for taking notes

### **Grading:**

- Unit Tests: 100 points each
- Listening Reports: 50 points each unit
- Concert Reports: 200 points (1 per term @ 100 points each)
- Final Project: 200 points (2<sup>nd</sup> term)

**Extra Credit** (max 50 points per term)

- Option 1: Complete an extra Concert Report
- Option 2: Write a four-page paper on a classical or jazz musician not covered in class.

All reports must be typed. Extra credit **will not** be accepted during the last week of a term.

### **Grade Scale**

90% = A-

80% = B-

70% = C-

60% = D-

Below 59% = F

# Music Appreciation Acceptance of Policies

Your signature on this document signifies that you have read and understand the policies and expectations set forth in the Disclosure Document, and that you agree to abide by the terms outlined.

Print Student Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Print Parent Name \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**This sheet is worth 20 points, and is to be turned in by the second week of class.**