## **VOCAL TECHNIQUES IV** 130343001

COMPONENT	OBJECTIVES	COMPETENCY
I Music Literacy	<ol> <li>Demonstrate aural and visual recognition of rhythmic patterns, including syncopation and sixteenth notes.         (MU.D.1.4.1)</li> <li>Identify intervals in the major and minor scales.         (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Read and write rhythmic patterns, including dotted rhythms and syncopation.         (MU.A.3.4.1) (MU.A.3.4.2) (MU.A.3.4.3)</li> <li>Write a dictated melodic example that includes accidentals.         (MU.D.1)</li> <li>Aurally identify major and minor chords and scales.         (MU.D.1)</li> <li>Aurally identify diminished and augmented chords.         (MU.D.1)</li> <li>Define and discriminate simple, compound and mixed times signatures.         (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Identify all major and minor key signatures.         (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Read accidentals.         (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Identify discrepancies between printed notation and aural performance.         (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>Develop music reading independence.         (MU.A.3.4.1) (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>A. The student can sight sing a simple melody that includes accidentals, syncopation and dotted rhythms. (MU.A.3.4.1) (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>B. The student can group notes and rests into measures in a variety of time signatures. (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>C. The student can identify tonal patterns, rhythmic patterns, and intervals in the literature performed. (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>D. The student can write tonal patterns and rhythmic patterns that are played or sung. (MU.A.3.4.3)</li> <li>E. The student can correctly perform literature for purposes of evaluation. (MU.A.3.4.1) (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> </ul>
II Expressive and Stylistic Characteristics	<ol> <li>Identify and execute a simple phrase at a specific tempo.         (MU.D.1.4.3)</li> <li>Identify and execute expressive markings in the literature performed.         (MU.D.1.4.3)</li> <li>Express the meaning of a text.         (MU.D.1.4.3)</li> <li>Define musical terms and expression found in literature performed.         (MU.D1.4.3)</li> <li>Demonstrate varied dynamic levels.         (MU.D1.4.3)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>A. The student can analyze and stylistically perform a vocal selection in a concert setting with attention to phrasing, tempo, and dynamics. (MU.C.1.4.1) (MU.D.1.4.3)</li> <li>B. The student can analyze lyrics with regard to expression. (MU.D.1.4.3)</li> </ul>

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	<ul> <li>6. Demonstrate varied vowel shapes for style and blend. (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>7. Relate music to its historical and cultural context. (MU.C.1.4.1) (MU.C.1.4.3)</li> <li>8. Classify literature according to its stylistic elements in the score. (MU.C.1.4.1)</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>C. The student can adjust individual dynamic level and modify vowel color for balance and blend. (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>D. The student can apply knowledge of historical and cultural context to performance. (MU.C.1.4.1) (MU.C.1.4.3)</li> <li>E. The student can verbally and in writing identify cultural and stylistic characteristics of a variety of literature. (MU.C.1.4.1) (MU.C.1.4.3)</li> </ul>
III Forms and Structures	<ol> <li>Recognize and describe the singing voice classifications. (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Explain the organization of any vocal score. (MU.A.3.4.2)</li> <li>Demonstrate ability to track any voice part throughout a vocal score. (MU.D.1.4.1)</li> <li>Identify the principal melodic line as it appears in the voicing of a score. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>Identify form and organizational structure of the literature performed. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>Distinguish between contrasting forms and styles of music performed. (MU.C.1.4.1)</li> <li>Visually analyze and identify potential rhythmic problems prior to performance. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>Visually analyze and identify potential melodic problems prior to performance. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>Aurally and visually identify cadences, chord inversions and suspensions. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>A. The student can analyze a vocal score with regard to organization, voicing, form and potential performance problems. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>B. The student can aurally and visually distinguish between unison and harmony in vocal literature. (MU.D.1.4.1)</li> <li>C. The student can aurally and visually identify suspensions, cadences and chord inversions. (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> <li>D. The student can identify and describe different forms of literature. (MU.C.1.4.1) (MU.D.1.4.2)</li> </ul>

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	10. Describe characteristics of contrasting forms and structures. (MU.D.1.4.2)	
IV Technique	<ol> <li>Consistently sing with proper posture and breath control. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Consistently execute vertical vowels. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Demonstrate appropriate use of vocal registers. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Recognize and execute pure vowel sounds. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Identify component vowel sounds in a diphthong and indicate which is stressed. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Identify and classify voiced and unvoiced consonants. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Classify components of text with regard to proper diction. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Sing with a focused tone. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Recognize and correct pitch discrepancies in a high/low ensemble performance. (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>Recognize poor intonation and analyze with regard to cause. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Demonstrate the ability to sing in 3 and 4 part harmony, with and without accompaniment. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Characterize a singing performance with regard to proper vocal technique. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>Distinguish and produce characteristics vocal timbres of a variety of choral styles. (MU.A.1.4.2)</li> <li>Demonstrate basic conducting patterns and respond to conducting gestures in an ensemble setting. (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>A. The student can sing independently solo literature with an acceptable singing tone. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>B. The student can evaluate vocal performances of oneself and peers with regard to technical issues (breath support, vowel and consonant production, placement, articulation, etc.,). (MU.D.2.4.1) (MU.D.2.4.2)</li> <li>C. The student can analyze a vocal text in more than one language to identify component vowel and consonant sounds. (MU.A.1.4.2)</li> <li>D. The student can successfully perform both accompanied and a cappella choral literature. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> <li>E. The student can conduct a simple song using basic conducting patterns. (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>F. The student can consistently apply choral performance techniques to various styles of choral literature. (MU.A.1.4.2)</li> </ul>



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	<ul> <li>15. Sing with proper diction in languages other than English. (MU.A.1.4.2)</li> <li>16. Demonstrate integration of high/low vocal registers. (MU.A.1.4.1)</li> </ul>	
V Personal/Social Musical Development and Life Long Learning	<ol> <li>Participate in music activities.         (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>Demonstrate behaviors that reflect a positive contribution to a group effort.         (MU.A.1.4.3) (MU.A.2.3.3)</li> <li>Explain the importance of punctuality for both rehearsals and performances.         (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>Follow rehearsal instructions quickly for maintaining rehearsal momentum.         (MU.A.2.3.2) (MU.A.2.3.3)</li> <li>Demonstrate performance poise.         (MU.A.1.4.3)</li> <li>Demonstrate appropriate audience behavior.         (MU.D.2.4.1)</li> <li>Develop a criteria for evaluating music preference.         (MU.E.2.4.2)</li> <li>Describe applications for processing music using technology (computers, synthesizers, and sequences).         (MU.E.2.3.1)</li> <li>Evaluate performance of self and others.         (MU.D.2.4.1) (MU.D.2.4.2)</li> <li>List factors to be considered in choosing a career in music.         (MU.E.2.3.1)</li> <li>Analyze the discipline, knowledge, and skills required for career preparation in music.         (MU.E.2.3.3)</li> <li>Explain the function of the music union, (AFM) agents, placement services, copyright applications, and contracts.         (MU.E.2.3.1)</li> <li>Prepare a budget for a concert.         (MU.E.2.3.3)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>A. The student can evaluate musical performance of self and others using established criteria and appropriate music terminology. (MU.D.2.4.1) (MU.D.2.4.2)</li> <li>B. The student can participate in musical performances, both as a performer and as a member of the audience. (MU.D.2.4.1)</li> <li>C. The student can justify personal musical preferences using established criteria. (MU.E.2.4.2)</li> <li>D. The student can describe how to apply technology to process music. (MU.E.2.3.1)</li> <li>E. The students can discuss the requirements for a career in music. (MU.E.2.3.1)</li> <li>F. The student can complete a research project about his/her music career interest. (MU.E.2.3.3)</li> <li>G. The student can complete a budget for a concert event. (MU.E.2.3.3)</li> </ul>