



Shakopee Area Catholic School
Music Standards and Benchmarks
Grade Level: Grade 7

▶ Rhythm

- Sing and play in 5/4 and 7/8 meter and mixed meter
- Notate simple rhythms.

▶ Pitch

- Play and recognize I, IV, V chords.
- Read and write C major scale.
- Play low C to high E on the recorder, add F.
- Construct a major scale

▶ Texture/Harmony

- Sing and play ensemble pieces; 2 and 3 parts

▶ Timbre

- Categorize and distinguish instrumental groups.

▶ Form

- Perform and recognize 12 bar blues.

▶ Expressive elements

- Create and perform elements.

▶ History/Culture/Style

- Discuss and explore the history of American popular music.