

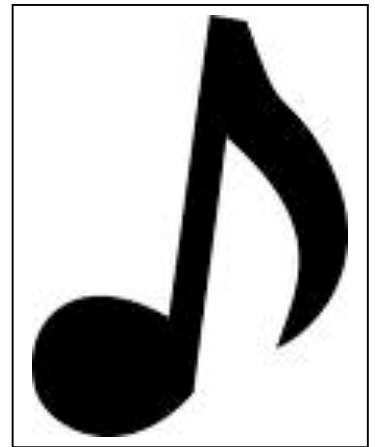
Grade 2 Music News

Rooted in Christ • Colossians 2:6-7

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QUARTER 4 MUSIC—THANK YOU FOR A GREAT YEAR IN MUSIC!

Q4 MUSIC UNITS

- Listening skills: African Children's Choir, folk music, Beethoven
- Melody: step, leap, repeat
- Composing music
- Single eighth note: "Ti"
- 2-beat patterns: Ti-TA-Ti, To-o, and Sh-sh
- Beethoven and his music: *Symphony No. 5, Fur Elise, Moonlight Sonata*
- High "Do" on the staff

Q4 SONGS

- May the Mind of Christ
- He Came Down

Q4 MUSIC GAMES

- Around the World
- Minuet
- Music Riddles
- *Beethoven Lives Upstairs* movie

Q4 GRADING

- Participation
- Saint-Saens Listening Test
- Harmony Quiz
- Circling Step, Leap, and Repeat
- Compositions
- Drawing 2-beat patterns
- Beethoven Quiz

BRINGING THE MUSIC HOME

1. Learning about Beethoven is a reminder that out of difficulty comes great art. Music is a wonderful way to put expression to our life experiences. Even at a young age your child can enjoy music as a way to express, explore, and worship. Make time this summer as a family to make and enjoy music.
2. Our last two songs from this year's theme, ROOTED IN CHRIST, focus on Colossians 2:6, 7, 19. God grows spiritual fruit in our lives! And he asks us to share what He has freely given. Sing the Q4 songs with your student. Take time to talk about the spiritual fruit in your life and how you share that with God's people.

UPCOMING SJCS EVENTS

- June 4: Jazz Night featuring the SJCS Jazz Band
- June 9: SJCS Eighth Grade Graduation
- 2010-2011 School Year: See you next year!