



North Kingstown High School Anchor Assignment Assessment Plan

Department: Music

Name of Course: Concert Choir

"Title" of Anchor Assignment: Spring Choral Concert and Reflection

What are students asked to do/create/write/present to complete this assignment?

Students will prepare 2-3 pieces of traditional choral repertoire of intermediate-advanced level. These pieces will be performed in a public concert. Students will then analyze the performance and write a reflection based on the learning process and their individual growth as a performer in a large ensemble

GSE(s) Covered by this Assignment:

**M1 (9-12) Ext-1 M2 (9-12) -1 M2 (9-12) -1b M3 (9-12) -1a M4 (9-12) -1a M4 (9-12) -2a
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NKHS Expectation(s) for Student Learning Covered by this Assignment:

#2 Group Academic Responsibility, #3 Oral Communication, #8 Arts and Culture

Problem Solving

Depth of Knowledge (Check one)

_____ **Level 1-** Recall of Information - requires the student to write or recite simple facts. Does not include complex synthesis or analysis, but basic ideas. Level 1 requires students to demonstrate a rote response, perform a well-known algorithm, follow a set procedure (like a recipe), or perform a clearly defined series of steps.

___**X**___ **Level 2-** Basic Reasoning- requires some mental processing, connecting ideas using a simple organizational structure. At this level, students are engaged in first draft writing for a limited number of purposes and audiences; Keywords that generally distinguish a Level 2 item include "classify," "organize," "estimate," "make observations," "collect and display data," and "compare data." These actions imply more than one step.

___**X**___ **Level 3-** Complex Reasoning- requires some higher level mental processing. Students are developing multi-paragraph compositions that may include complex sentence structures or demonstrate some synthesis and analysis. The cognitive demands at Level 3 are complex and abstract. The complexity does not result from the fact that there are multiple answers, a possibility for both Levels 1 and 2, but because the task requires more demanding reasoning.

_____ **Level 4-** Extended Reasoning- Higher-level thinking is central to this level. Multi-paragraph compositions demonstrate synthesis and analysis of complex idea or themes and evidence of a deep awareness of purpose and audience. Level 4 activities include designing and conducting experiments; making connections between a finding and related concepts and phenomena; combining and synthesizing ideas into new concepts; and critiquing experimental designs.

Is proficient completion of this assignment required for the e-Portfolio? Yes No

How will this anchor assignment be graded and weighed in the overall grading?

This will comprise 40% of the 3rd quarter grade. Students will be graded by their participation in the concert and their knowledge of the music being performed.

Outline the opportunities for students to revise their work.

Students that are unable to attend the public concert will perform the selections in front of the teacher at a mutually agreed upon time. Students that need extra help learning the music can get extra help after school from the teacher or peer tutors.