PRESCOTT UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

District Instructional Guide 2015/2016 School Year

Grade Level: 4th Grade	Subject: Music	Quarter/Semester: 1-4	Core Text: _ by Silver Burdett.		
	Unit / Theme	Content (Nouns)	Skills (Verbs)	Standards Focus	Assessments / Benchmarks
	Rhythm & Mathematics	Whole Note Fractions	Quarter 1-4: <u>Identify, Read and Play</u> using whole notes, half notes, quarter notes, and eighth note pairs. Quarter 4: <u>Explain/Apply</u> relationship between note values and mathematics (fractions).	1a, b. 2a,b. 4c.	summative assessment: worksheets quizzes formative assessment: observation of students during class activities
	Melody/Harmony	Pitch (letter) names Melodic movement Treble clef Lines Spaces Partner Songs	Quarter 1-4: Read, Sing, Play using correct pitch and rhythm. Quarter 1-4: Identify letter names of lines and spaces up to one ledger line above and below the staff. Quarter 1: Describe melodic movement in a song. Quarter 2: Identify scale degrees 1,3, and 5 in the scale.	1a,b. 2a,b. 4c.	summative assessment: worksheets quizzes formative assessment: observation of students during class activities

Instruments & Timbre	Band, orchestra, and classroom instruments	Quarter 1-4: <u>Play</u> classroom instruments from various cultures. Quarter 3: <u>Categorize</u> instrument families and identify families aurally.	7a,b. 8a. 9a. 10a.	worksheets
Performing Folk Dance Expressive Qualities	Preference Mood Genre/Style	Quarter 2: Explain the musical characteristics that make music appropriate for different events or functions. Quarter 4: Describe how music relates to one's culture. Quarter 3: Distinguish like vs dislike	3a,b. 4a,b,d. 5a, b. 7a,b	video recordings of performances student writings about music
		from good vs not good. Quarter 1-4: <u>Dance/Sing</u> to songs from various cultures. Quarter 1-2: <u>Perform</u> music appropriately and with expression.	9a. 10a,b. 11 a,b. 4.RL.2 4.W.3	