

SGS Unit Timeline Matrix

Grade: 7th & 8th Grade

Subject Area: VOCAL MUSIC

Month	Standard(s)	Unit	Benchmark(s)	Examples of Skills (Activities):
Example ~ Math 2nd Grade	7A	Currency/Money	7.A.1.c	*Add/Subtract using currency *Make change from \$1.00
Aug./Sept./ October/ November	25, 26	Preparation for Winter Concerts	25.A.3c, 26.A.3d, 27.B.3	*Review of pitch note reading *Review of Rhythm Patterns *Meter/Conducting Patterns *Review of terms & symbols used in music (_____) - done throughout year *Vocal Health (Unit is taught every other year) *Vocal Technique - Breathing, phrasing, diction, vowel production (done throughout year) *History - Composers (as it relates to pieces throughout year) *Part singing - accompanied & acapella *Proper stage presence, drama, motions to pieces
December	25, 26	Winter Concert Nursing Home Performance		*Performance for school & public *Community service & singing in a different acoustical area
January/ February	25, 26	Preparation for Spring Concert Preparation for Contest		
March	25, 26, 27	Solo & Ensemble Contest		*Individual Solo and/or Ensemble singing
April/May/ June	25, 26	Spring Concert Prepare Graduation Pieces Graduation Performance		