

# 2023-2024 COURSE EXPECTATIONS

Course Name:

Class Piano

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#### **Course Overview:**

Piano Class is a perfect introduction to piano and music. This course provides students with individualized training in basic piano technique, musical notation, history, and culture. Students will have the opportunity to explore repertoire from different cultures and historical periods as they learn the basics of note reading and performance technique. Students need no prior experience to enroll in this course.

#### Vision of the Successful Student And Core Competencies:

The successful student will...

- demonstrate appropriate preparation to be a productive member of the class.
- demonstrate academic integrity as outlined in the Bobcat Student Handbook.
- be a collaborative individual who learns from and contributes to the classroom environment.
- exhibit appropriate behavior for the classroom, including being respectful, responsible and actively engaged.

#### Materials and Resources to Support Student Learning:

- 1-Inch 3-Ringed Binder
- Pencils (no pens)
- Students will need wired headphones that can be used with the keyboards. There will be sets
  provided if needed.

#### **Evidence of Student Learning:**

Students will play and perform in class each week either for each other, the teacher or the entire class as they prepare for their final exam performance.

The late work policy will be communicated by the teacher. With teacher permission, students will be given opportunities to retake certain assessments/assignments.

Assessment	80%	Quizzes, Tests, Concerts, Performance tasks, Projects, Verbal/Written assessments - responding to music, Evaluating music, Assessments of preparation/effort, Growth

Learner Tasks	20%	Classroom routines, Work Habits, Engagement, Homework/Practice, Progress check/exit ticket, Entrance tickets, Completion of classwork, Accountability for submitting work on time, Progress Check
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### Please refer to Bobcat Handbook for Academic Integrity Code

As part of this class, your student may be assigned a school owned instrument/equipment for use at home. This equipment /instrument is the property of the South Windsor High School Music Department. As per South Windsor High School policy, seniors with an outstanding balance will not receive a diploma until balances have been paid to the school.

By signing/acknowledging the course expectations you agree to:

- 1) Properly maintained the assigned instrument/equipment.
- 2) Return the assigned instrument/equipment when requested.
- 3) Pay for the replacement or repair of the instrument /equipment if damaged or lost due to neglect or misuse.

## STUDENT AND PARENT ACKNOWLEDGMENT

## **CLASS PIANO**

### Sign the Course Acceptance for Student & Parent/Guardian