

# Music: Beginning Women's Chorus

Adopted 2018

## Creating

- 1 Generate and conceptualize musical ideas and works.** HSBWC.CR.1
  - a Improvise rhythmic patterns in duple meter and melodic patterns in major tonality. HSBWC.CR.1.A
  - b Create basic rhythmic and melodic accompaniments to support other elements of musical performance (e.g. ostinato, bass lines). HSBWC.CR.1.B
  - c Create movement for warm-ups and repertoire to distinguish various musical ideas. HSBWC.CR.1.C
  - d Set short poetic phrases and texts to music. HSBWC.CR.1.D
  - e Compose 4 measure melodies in major and minor tonalities, duple and triple meters, within the range of an octave, incorporating intervals of a third, beginning and ending on tonic. HSBWC.CR.1.E

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- 2 Organize, develop, and revise musical ideas and works.** HSBWC.CR.2
  - a Share improvised, composed, or arranged pieces. HSBWC.CR.2.A
  - b Use teacher-created criteria to refine improvised or composed pieces. HSBWC.CR.2.B

## Performing

- 1 Analyze, interpret, and select musical works for presentation.** HSBWC.PR.1
  - a Utilize a rhythmic and melodic system to read and sing music appropriate to ability. HSBWC.PR.1.A
  - b. Identify and describe music vocabulary and symbols representing tempo, meter, dynamics, articulation, and phrasing. HSBWC.PR.1.B
  - c Notate rhythms and melodies from aural examples utilizing a dictation method. HSBWC.PR.1.C
  - d Read and notate music using available technology. HSBWC.PR.1.D

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**2 Develop and refine musical techniques and works for presentation.** HSBWC.PR.2

- a Identify vocal anatomy and employ breathing techniques to support a clear and free tone using accurate intonation. HSBWC.PR.2.A
- b Identify aspects of vocal registers, as reflected in physiological changes, and vocal health affecting range and tone. HSBWC.PR.2.B
- c Demonstrate pure vowel sounds and articulate voiced and unvoiced consonants. HSBWC.PR.2.C
- d Utilize aural skills to match pitch, improve intonation, and sing with attention to ensemble balance and blend, in one or more vocal parts. HSBWC.PR.2.D

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**3 Convey meaning through the presentation of musical works.** HSBWC.PR.3

- a Demonstrate technical accuracy and expressive qualities in performance, of a varied repertoire of music representing a diversity of cultures and styles. HSBWC.PR.3.A
- b Demonstrate and respond to conducting patterns and gestures representing tempo, expression and vocal technique. HSBWC.PR.3.B
- c Sing selected music from memory for public performance at least twice per year. HSBWC.PR.3.C
- d Exhibit appropriate rehearsal and performance etiquette. HSBWC.PR.3.D

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**Responding**

**1 Perceive, analyze, and interpret meaning in musical works.** HSBWC.RE.1

- a Identify and describe a musical score in terms of rhythm, melody, and form. HSBWC.RE.1.A
- b Listen to and analyze the elements of a musical performance including form, voicing, and dynamic contrast. HSBWC.RE.1.B
- c Describe the emotions and thoughts that music conveys. HSBWC.RE.1.C
- d Discuss how the basic elements of music, including mood, tempo, contrast, and repetition in selected examples (e.g. aural, written, performed) are important to a performance. HSBWC.RE.1.D

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**2 Apply criteria to evaluate musical works.** HSBWC.RE.2

- a Using self-reflection and peer feedback, listen to and evaluate group music performances with attention to vocal technique, accuracy of pitch and rhythm, diction, and dynamics. HSBWC.RE.2.A
  - b Reflect on the nature of rehearsal and performance in music through discussion and writing. HSBWC.RE.2.B
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## Connecting

### **1 Synthesize and relate knowledge and personal experiences to make music.** HSBWC.CN.1

- a Discuss how music relates to personal development and enjoyment of life. HSBWC.CN.1.A
  - b Describe how a musician's interests, knowledge, and skills determine how they create, perform and respond to music. HSBWC.CN.1.B
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### **2 Relate musical ideas and works with societal, cultural, and historical context to deepen understanding.** HSBWC.CN.2

- a Identify historical and cultural characteristics of a varied repertoire including world music. HSBWC.CN.2.A
- b Describe and demonstrate stylistic characteristics of a varied repertoire including world music through vocal performance. HSBWC.CN.2.B
- c Identify the historical period, composer, culture and style of music presented in class. HSBWC.CN.2.C
- d Discuss and apply appropriate audience etiquette and active listening in selected musical settings. HSBWC.CN.2.D