Music and Creative Movement Methods

Ed 442

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Required Materials: 3 Ring Binder

January 13th: Introduction / Overview

Music Basics: Orff Rhythms Ta, Ti Ti and Sh

Body Percussion

Homework: Read "Orff" and "Dance" Articles

January 20th: Play Parties and Sing Songs

Orff Rhythms Day two

Homework: Rhythmic Flash Cards (4 beat patterns)

January 27th: Music out of familiar poems

Layering Ostinati patterns

Homework: Poem with two ostinati (Not due until Feb 10th)

February 3rd: Introduction to Weikardt movement basics

Begining Dances

February 10th: Poem with two ostinati due; SHARE WITH CLASS

Continue Weikardt movement

February 17th: Sound Stories

Creative Teaching Ideas

Homework: Create a Sound Story (or Sound poem)

February 24th: Singing with Children

Famous rounds with ostinato patterns

Jump Rope songs

March 3rd: Sound Story Due; SHARE WITH CLASS

"Rhythm Stick Songs" introduction Pepsi/ Coke Challenge Lesson Plan

March 10th: Recorder Introduction

Instrument Bingo

Homework: "Rhythm Stick Song"

March 17th: Rhythm Stick Song Due; SHARE WITH CLASS

Continue Recorders

March 24th: NO CLASS SPRING BREAK!!!!!!!! :)

April 7th: Kindergarten Lesson Plans

Pre School music ideas

Homework: Design your own lesson plan for any grade level

April 14th: DAY ONE STUDENT LED ACTIVITIES

Weikardt Dances Review

April 21 st: DAY TWO STUDENT LED ACTIVITIES

Recorder Review

April 28th: DAY THREE STUDENT LED ACTIVITIES

HAND IN FOLDER with all handouts organized

May 5th: Last Day of Class

Folders Returned, question and Answer period

THERE IS NO FINAL EXAM IN THIS CLASS. YOUR FOLDER IS YOUR FINAL.

Grades are based on attendance, participation in class, your folder and your homework assignments.

If you are going to have to miss a class for any reason, I must know ahead of time. Please call me at home or at work.