First Grade Music
Overview for Parents

Teacher: Roxanna Zampieri

Content Goals:
- Reinforcing the beat/pulse
- Understanding high/low and slow/fast
- Matching pitch (sol, mi, la)
- Rhythmic reading (quarter notes, rests, and eighth notes)
- Continuing to work on listening skills by playing instruments
- Listening to various types of music (specific units: Peter and the Wolf, Louis Armstrong, and the opera Hansel and Gretel)
- Identifying the instrument families
- Developing repertoire in sync with Core Knowledge and Core Virtue curriculum
- Structured and creative movement
- Singing in unison
- Introduction and developing ensemble through use of classroom instruments. (xylophones, hand drums)
- Developing healthy singing habits and technique (breath support)
- Practicing good audience etiquette
- Integrating awareness of other art forms (dance, visual)

Expectations for Students:
- Knowing and Understanding
- Developing Skills
- Thinking Creatively
- Responding Positively

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