

MUSIC STUDIO

Sound Instruction at Your Fingertips

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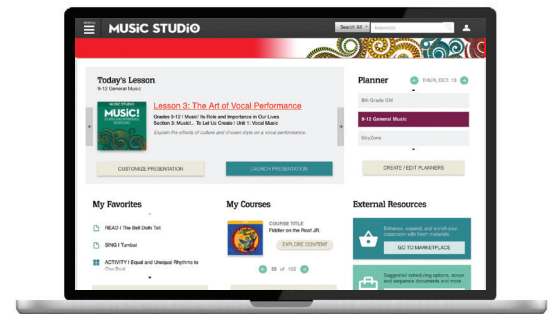
MUSIC!
ITS ROLE AND IMPORTANCE
IN OUR LIVES

General Music



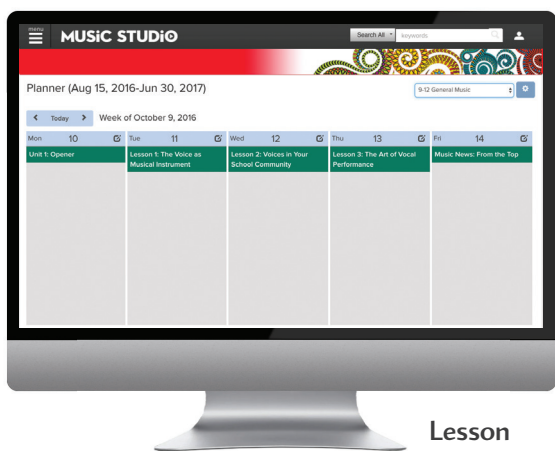
3 Programs. 1 Platform. Infinite Possibilities.

Music Studio is the intuitive digital platform that houses three unique and inspiring products serving PreK-12:



Teacher Homepage

Music Studio places sound instruction at your fingertips and offers customizable programs built on quality literature.



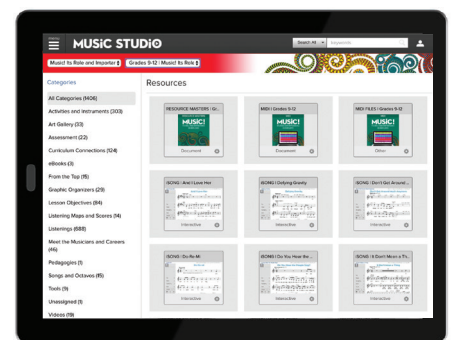
Lesson
Planner

Sounds Like a Plan

With Music Studio, all your materials are accessible in one place. Plan inspiring lessons anywhere, on any device, and keep them organized without missing a beat. The Lesson Planning Wizard helps you set up the click-and-go lessons for immediate use over your week, semester, or even year. Make your curriculum happen.

Explore More

Access any of the hundreds of Interactive Songs within a lesson, or filter and search by category and tag on the Resources Page. With Music Studio each and every resource is only a click away and ready to go when you are!



Resources Page

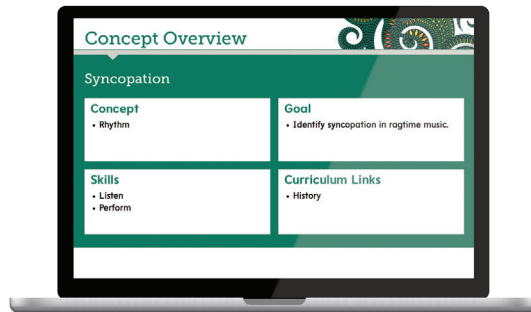


Easy as 1, 2, 3

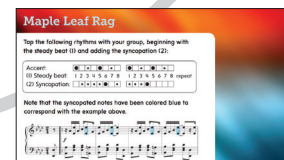
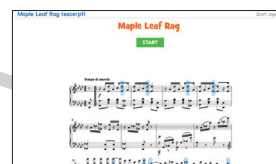
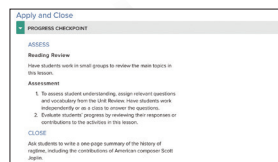
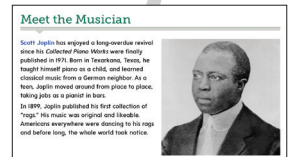
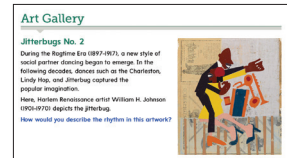
With Music Studio, all audio and video is streamed, the content lives in the cloud, and there are no downloads or updates to manage.

Ready-Made Presentations

Each lesson within Music Studio centers around the lesson presentation slides. Whether you use the Planning Wizard or search for a lesson using the online Table of Contents, you can easily launch the pre-made presentations, or customize a presentation with your own content to meet both student and teacher needs. The slides are infused with interactivity, engaging images, and assessments to help you keep the energy high and the learning fun.



Presentation Slides



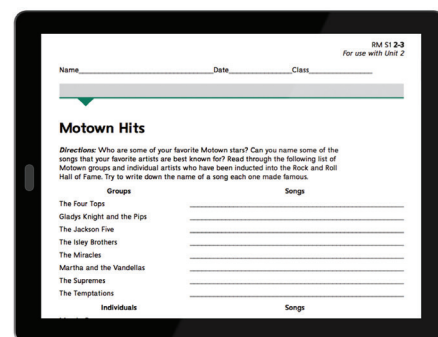
Find Your Digital Groove

All presentation slides and resources work on interactive whiteboards and can be annotated using the whiteboard tool set.

Connect Without a Connection

Worry less about a working connection!

Music Studio gives you the tools to teach no matter what obstacles come up. With the ConnectED App you can access the Resource Masters eBook to access worksheets and assessments without an Internet connection.



eBook Accessed Through
the ConnectED App

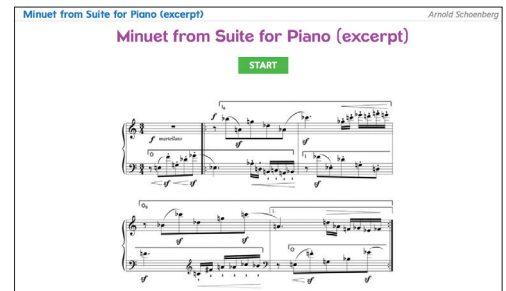




Reimagined

Music! Its Role and Importance in Our Lives brings the world to your classroom with interactivity, videos, artist interviews, authentic recordings, and more—all housed within a carefully designed curriculum focused on the many ways music enriches our lives.

The program encourages students to view music in a social context and supports elements such as melody, rhythm, form, and tone color. It presents music as a natural and essential ingredient of one's own life in all cultures.



Interactive Score

At Your Fingertips

- ✓ Online Teacher and Student Centers
- ✓ Resources Page
- ✓ Streaming Audio and Video Libraries
- ✓ Resource Masters eBook
- ✓ Interactive Songs, Virtual Instruments, Presentation Slides
- ✓ Online Assessment Tools
- ✓ Planning Wizard
- ✓ Class Management Tools
- ✓ Standards Correlations

An Inspired Approach

Music! Its Role and Importance in Our Lives helps students focus on the question: how is music woven into our culture and, ultimately, our lives? The sections focus on the ways we interact with, share, and relate to music.

Engage your students with activities designed to help them connect with the cultural and historical context of the music they are learning about. Travel through time and space to learn about the gamelan, the connection between *Rent* and *La Bohème*, and minimalism without leaving your seat.



Unit Opener

Student	Class Grade					
	Category	Assignments	Unit 5 Final Exam	Test Review Worksheet	Quiz 1	Composers (Essay)
	Points	8 / 21 / 15	7 / 31 / 15	7 / 31 / 15	7 / 22 / 15	7 / 21 / 15
Jessie Duffy	86% B	100	20	10	75	15
MaryCarol Ghidin	91% A	90	10	5	100	15
Cynthia Gomez	94% A	90	20			15
Trevor Strader	91% A	100	18		75	15
Juliet Thomas	85% B					15
Nate Wada	97% A	100				10
Average	90.7%	95 / 100	16 / 20	8 / 10	83 / 100	14 / 15

Gradebook

Assessment

Easily conduct formal and informal assessments using

- ✓ Presentation slides
- ✓ End of Unit and Mid-Unit Assessments
- ✓ Worksheets from the Resource Masters eBook
- ✓ Quizzes built with the Online Assessment Engine

The Online Assessment Engine gives you the tools to design, build, and assign assessments which are graded and reported on immediately. The Gradebook gives you insight into how your students are doing.

We've Partnered With the Best

Our unique partnerships with Music Theatre International, From the Top, and Hal Leonard are what make Music! Its Role and Importance in Our Lives stand out.



From the Top

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Deeper Understanding

Beautiful recordings and representations of culturally authentic music help students understand how music functions in their lives.

A Few of the Notable Artists and Composers Featured in Music! Its Role and Importance in Our Lives

Benny Goodman

Celine Dion

Charlotte Church

The Chieftains

Christopher O'Riley

Dolly Parton

Ella Fitzgerald

Flaco Jiménez

Sir James Galway

Jose Carreras

Judy Collins

Leonard Bernstein

Marin Alsop

Metropolitan Opera and Chorus

New York Philharmonic

Nickel Creek

Pete Seeger

Selena Quintanilla-Pérez

Wynton Marsalis

Queen



Listening

Many
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19
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60+
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12
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300+
Listening
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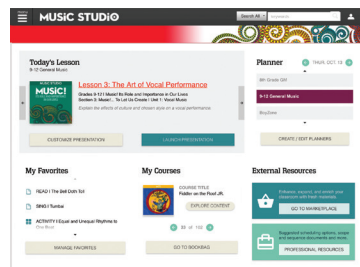
60+
Musician
Profiles



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Your Teaching Command Center

- ✓ Use the Lesson Planning Wizard to populate your Homepage with lessons
- ✓ Quickly launch any lesson you've planned to teach
- ✓ Easily launch key resources
- ✓ Print any lesson plan



Teacher Homepage

MAIN MENU

LAUNCH PRESENTATION

RESOURCE

TEACHER TEXT

STUDENT TEXT

VOCABULARY

LESSON SEQUENCE

Music! Its Role and Importance in Our Lives

Overview

Motivate

INTRODUCTION

Develop

WORLD INFLUENCES

MEET THE MUSICIAN | Angélique Kidjo

LISTEN | Analyze Music

LISTEN AND PERFORM | Can You Hear a Clave Pattern?

LISTEN | Identify the Clave Pattern by Finding Beat 1

LISTEN AND SING | Identify the Starting Pitch of D

TECHNOLOGY AND THE FUTURE OF MUSIC

Apply and Close

PROGRESS CHECKPOINT

How students look at the image of the claves. Ask: What type of sound does this instrument produce? Descriptions may include tapping, clicking, dull thumps, and so on, depending on what the claves are hitting.

ACTIVITY: The Claves

Music in the World

Ghana, in Africa, became an independent nation in 1957; the country was once a colony of Great Britain, the music of Ghana often reflects British influences, yet still retains a flavor all its own. What examples of African music are you familiar with?

Answers will vary.

LOCATOR MAP | GHANA

STUDENT TEXT

The Global Appeal of Clave

Clave patterns can be heard in music everywhere. They often serve as a recurring rhythm in Latin jazz, rhythm and blues, and other African American musical styles. Consider the international appeal of salsa and other Latin-based music. The magnetic attraction of the rhythms can be seen on dance floors throughout the world.

Ask students: To what West African pattern is the Diddley's "Yambou" rhythm related? (West African clave)

STUDENT TEXT

The European Influence On World Music

It is no mystery why much of the music of the United States reflects European influences. A large part of today's American population has ancestral European roots. Many people can trace their family's heritage to specific countries on the European continent. Germany and Austria have had a particularly profound influence on musical culture. These countries have contributed traditional folk songs, hymns, and works by the great classical masters. One of these composers is Johann Pachelbel (1653–1706) of Germany. Pachelbel is credited with one of the Western world's best-known melodies: the famous Canon in D. A melody which requires you to find beat 1, Pachelbel's Canon invites you to hear its specific starting pitch. **Pitch** is the highness or lowness of sound determined by its frequency of vibration. In this case, we call that pitch D or D2. Sometimes, influences can be found in seemingly unrelated music. Many people, for example, would not think that similarities exist between Western classical music and Jamaican reggae music. Yet, such unexpected connections can be found, allowing to the cross-cultural musical influences that occur worldwide.

See the Music Theory Handbook to review notation and

Take It Outside

Students can now continue exploring outside of the classroom. After logging in through ConnectED, students can access presentation slides and grade-appropriate text.

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3 PROGRAMS
1 PLATFORM

OUR TRUSTED
PARTNERS



log in, play on