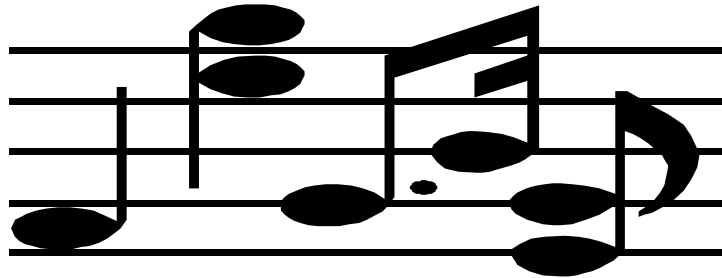


MUSIC

The music curriculum covers basic elements of music theory and focuses on music of the Romantic era.



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- ◆ Instruments of the orchestra
- ◆ All instruments prominent in Academic Decathlon pieces
- ◆ Vocal range for male and female voices
- ◆ Musical definitions: absolute music, programmatic music
- ◆ Tone: pitch, duration, volume and tone
- ◆ Elements of music: rhythm, melody, texture, tone-color, form
- ◆ Rhythms specific to Academic Decathlon Pieces

2011-2012 General Outline:

- I. Elements of Music Literacy
- II. The Nineteenth Century and Programmatic Music
- III. Nationalism in Music

Full outline can be downloaded from USAD® website:

http://www.usad.org/students/outlines_2011_2012/MusicOutline2011_12.pdf