



Instrumental Music (keyboard) 2026-2027 Grade 8, 9, 10 & 11

Required Materials

Keyboard provided by FACE only if the student does not have one at home (with parental permission)

Method and sheet music:

- Grade 8 and grade 3 to 5 BEGINNERS: **AARON Elementary METHOD** provided by FACE
- Grade 8 to 11: Repertoire (photocopied sheets) provided by FACE

Binder ½ inch

Pencil and eraser

Program Content

✓ Key Features of Competency **Performs musical works**

- Becomes familiar with the musical content of the work (musical language, structure and the graphic representation: pitch, duration, intensity, form)
- Read notes in bass clef and treble clef
- Applies elements of instrumental technique (posture, hand position, articulation, fingering, scales, arpeggios, chords)
- Becomes familiar with the expressive nature of the piece of music (tempo, style, dynamics, phrasing and articulations)
- Shares his/her musical performance experience

✓ Key Features of Competency **Creates musical works**

- Uses ideas to create a musical work
- Uses sound sources (instrument), elements of musical language and elements of technique
- Organizes his/her musical creation
- Shares his/her creative musical experience



✓ Key Features of Competency **Appreciates musical works**

- Analyzes a work or production
- Interprets the meaning of the work or production
- Makes a critical and aesthetic judgment
- Shares his/her appreciation experience

Evaluation

Competencies to perform and to create: 70%

Competency to appreciate: 30%

Competency to perform: terms 1, 2 and 3

Competency to create: terms 2 and 3

Competency to appreciate: terms 2 and 3

The report card mark is based on the following criteria:

- a) Observation in classe.
- b) Instrumental exams; students must be ready to be evaluated at any time on material learned in class.
- c) Work in appreciation, creation and theory.
- d) Practice journal and listening journal.

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