

3-32 Music – Lesson #1 March 20, 2020

Hello everyone!

I hope you are doing well!

This week's music lesson will focus on MUSIC LISTENING, DYNAMICS, and DANCING!

Here are your tasks for this week:

Listen to music throughout the upcoming week. Choose a favorite song that you listened to and tell me about it! Complete the attached listening guide. Draw a picture about the song and complete the writing portion at the bottom of the page.

Study the box below about Dynamics. Dynamics help us decide how LOUD or how QUIET the music is. Complete the attached spring dynamics worksheet.

____ Clean your recorder. We will resume recorder lessons next week. Take your recorder apart and soak it in hot soapy water!

_____ Freeze dance! Turn on some music and have some fun! Invite your siblings and parents to join you.

Take a picture of your completed Listening worksheet and dynamics worksheet and email it to me before your next Music class (March 27).

My email address is nkeffalas@saintjamesschool.org

Feel free to reach out to me with any questions!

Mrs. Keffalas

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DYNAMICS!

The terms used to describe dynamic levels are often in Italian:

pianissimo [pp] = (very quiet)
piano [p] = (quiet)

mezzo-piano [mp] = (moderately quiet)
mezzo-forte [mf] = (moderately loud)
forte [f] = (loud)

forte [f] = (loud) fortissimo [ff] = (very loud)

Other basic terms relating to *Dynamics* are:

Crescendo: gradually getting LOUDER

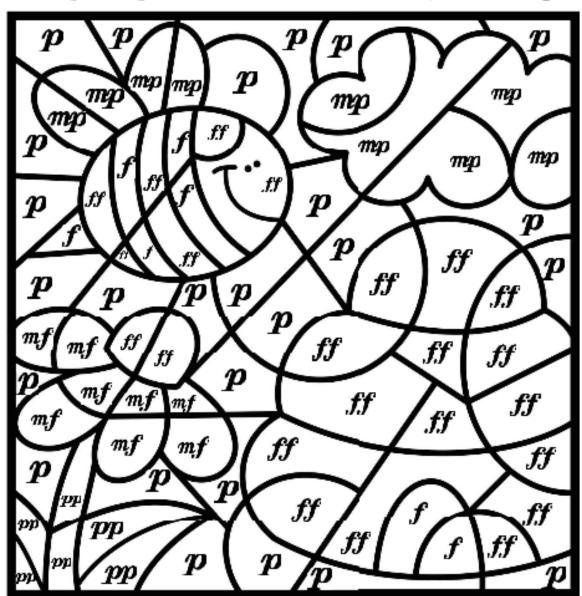
Diminuendo (or decrescendo): gradually getting QUIETER

Accent: "punching" or "leaning into" a note harder to temporarily emphasize it.

accent crescendo decrescendo (diminuendo)

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COLOR BY DYNAMICS



| (yellow) | = FORTISSIMO | while | = MEZZO PIANO |
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| black | = FORTE | blue | = PIANO |
| pink | = MEZZO FORTE | green | = PIANISSIMO |