



OCTOBER MUSIC NEWSLETTER

Our Musician of the Month is Danny Elfman!

	In music class, we will...
Kindergarten	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform using our 4 voices (whisper, talk, shout, sing) • Respond to musical opposites (loud/soft, fast/slow)
1st Grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform iconic rhythm notation and steady beat • Respond to musical opposites (loud/soft, fast/slow)
2nd Grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform rhythm patterns and strong/weak steady beat • Respond to strong and weak beats, dynamics (piano/forte), tempo (lento, allegro), and instrument families of the orchestra
3rd Grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform the extended pentatonic scale and rhythm patterns (sixteenth notes, whole note) • Respond to strong and weak beats, dynamics (pp, ff), and tempo (largo, presto)
4th Grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform sixteenth note rhythm patterns and the entire solfege scale • Respond to dynamics (pp, mp, mf, ff)
5th Grade	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perform chordal accompaniment (12-bar blues) • Respond to chord progressions, phrases, and instruments in blues music <p><i>STRATHMORE BLUES CONCERT ON WEDNESDAY 10/26!</i></p>