

Norwood Public Schools

Grade 9-12 Music Technology Curriculum Overview

Description:

The Music Technology class is a three credit elective offered to students at Norwood High School. The class meets three times out of the seven day cycle for 57 minutes. The primary objective of this course is to develop the skills to compose, write and or produce music with a computer and a keyboard.

Learning Experiences:

Students will develop their composition and arranging skills through by using the following software:

Garage Band: A music sequencing, arranging and composing program.

Finale: A Professional music notation program.

Content Outline:

Term 1:

Garage Band

Term 2:

Music for film. Using garage band to compose music for short films.

Term 3:

Finale: Notation Program

Term 4:

Composition Project

Resources Used:

Korg Synthesizer, I-Mac Computer, the Word Wide Web.