

PIANO PROFICIENCY EVALUATION

Date(s) of Evaluation: _____ Adjudicators: _____

1.	SCALES (tested in class) Fluency correct notes correct fingerings	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___
2.	SATB score reading accurate notes accurate rhythms steady tempo	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No
3.	ACCOMPANIMENT: _____ accurate notes accurate rhythms fluency ensemble cohesion	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No
4.	HARMONIZATION PREPARED (employs secondary chords) correct chords "interesting" accompaniment (patterned or complex harmony) fluency AT SIGHT correct rhythms appropriate chord choice minor errors self-corrected	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No
5.	IMPROVISATION (inspire movement in various meters; use a variety of keys) WALTZ 16-bar length; 4-bar phrase structure correct meter, clear metric pulse appropriate rhythmic patterns; coherent chordal progression MARCH 16-bar length; 4-bar phrase structure correct meter, clear metric pulse appropriate rhythmic patterns; coherent chordal progression SKIPPING 16-bar length; 4-bar phrase structure correct meter, clear metric pulse appropriate rhythmic patterns; coherent chordal progression RUNNING 16-bar length; 4-bar phrase structure correct meter, clear metric pulse appropriate rhythmic patterns; coherent chordal progression	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No
6.	PATRIOTIC SONGS (written; approved level of difficulty) note accuracy adequate to lead group singing rhythmic accuracy adequate to lead group singing fluency adequate to lead group singing	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No
7.	PLAY AND SING (must use at least I, IV, and V7) 1. <i>Happy Birthday</i> : melody +accompaniment fluency adequate to lead group singing melodic accuracy adequate to lead group singing rhythmic accuracy adequate to lead group singing correct harmonies 2. <i>Common Song</i> (i.e., folk, children or patriotic) sing and strum fluency adequate to lead group singing melodic accuracy adequate to lead group singing rhythmic accuracy adequate to lead group singing correct harmonies	CATEGORY PASS ___ RETAKE ___ Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No Yes No