

Classroom Management Plan General Music

Rules:

1. Enter room correctly
2. Always Participate
3. Follow All Directions
4. Do Not Interrupt Our Learning

Consequences:

First Offense: Verbal Warning

Second Offense: Name on the board, sit out five minutes of recess

Third Offense: Check by name, sit out ten minutes of recess

Fourth Offense: Two Checks by name, sit out entire recess

*At any point a child may also be asked to sit out during a certain activity during music class if they are having trouble following the directions during the activity. (i.e. lose the privilege of playing a certain instrument for that day, etc.)

*A Student's classroom teacher, parent, or principal may be involved (in that order) if behavior during music class becomes a continual issue.

Rewards/Group Behavior for Grades 1-5:

- Every class begins each class period with five points.
- Points may be taken away for loud talking and rowdiness of the entire class.
- Points are kept by the group effort of the entire to class to follow the rules.
- Grades 1-3 compete with each other and Grades 4 and 5 compete with each other.
- At the end of each month the 2 classes with the most points earn a certificate (one class from grades 1-3 and one class from grades 4 and 5).
- At the end of the year, the 2 classes with the most certificates earn a class party.

Procedures:

Grades PK-2: "Give Me Four"

When the teacher says, "Give Me Four" or silently holds up four fingers, the students will

1. Freeze
2. Close their mouths
3. Look
4. Listen

They will show their understanding of the procedure by holding up four fingers while doing the four actions.

Grades 3-5: Clapping Patterns

When the teacher claps a four beat rhythm pattern, the students will echo it back and give their full attention to the teacher