# McDonald Elementary School: Annual Instructional Overview

### Music

## Major Curricular Focus Areas:

Grade Level	Vocal Skills	Instrument Skills	Literacy Skills	Listening
Kindergarten	Vocal Exploration	Small Percussion		Contrasts
First Grade	Unison Singing	Drums	So, Mi	Simple Forms
Second Grade	Partner Songs	Mallets and Drums	So, Mi, La	Ensembles
Third Grade	Rounds	Recorders	So, Mi, La, Do	Individual
				Instruments
Fourth Grade	Descants	Ukuleles	So, Mi,. La, Do, Re	Genre/Style
Fifth Grade	Two-Part Harmony	All of the above	Major Scale	Historical Periods

### **Exciting Events or Field Trips:**

- Fifth Grade Monster Mash—October
- Third-Fourth Grade Concert date to be determined
- Kindergarten Second Grade Holiday Concert—early December
- Auditorium Chamber Music Program (fifth grade only—date to be determined)
- Jazz in the Schools—February
- Missoula Children's Theater Workshop (date to be determined)

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