

## Music Exploratory Final Project: Perform a Piece of Music

For this project, you will **choose a piece of music to practice and perform.**

- **Work by yourself, or with others**, but the more performers you have in your group, the more difficult it is. You will need a leader, if you have a large group.
- **Work on a piece of music that you have already started learning, or something else.** Be realistic about what you can learn in the time you have. I can help you find music that will work with the people and time you have.
- **Sing, play an instrument which you have been learning in this course** (percussion, piano or ukulele), or **play an instrument, which you already play**, but there won't be time to learn an instrument which you've never played before.
- **Perform your piece**, either in front of the class, or a small group, or just in front of Ms. McDonell, whichever you are most comfortable with.

### Evaluation

	<b>Emerging</b>	<b>Developing</b>	<b>Proficient</b>	<b>Extending</b>
<b>Practice and Rehearsal Skills</b>	You did not use the time productively for this project. You needed to make decisions and solve problems faster, and to persist more diligently with practicing the music. You needed a lot of reminders and direction to keep working productively.	You may have faced challenges with making decisions, problem solving, and using the time productively. You were sometimes or mostly productive, but not as prepared for the performance as you could have been.	You chose the piece of music on the first day of the project and started practicing right away. You practiced productively for every class, made decisions, and solved problems as they arose. By performance time, you were ready.	You managed the rehearsal time exceptionally well, which led to an outstanding performance.
<b>Performance</b>	You were not ready to perform the piece.	You may have made some mistakes that impacted the overall effectiveness of the performance.	The performance was strong. You prepared carefully and were able to execute an effective performance.	The performance was exceptionally well-prepared, and creative.