Priority Standard: Use iconic or standard notation and/or recording technology to combine, sequence, and document personal musical ideas. (MU:Cr2A.2b)		
Learning Targets	 I can create using icons and rhythmic symbols (ties, half note/rest, whole note/rest, barlines). I can show melodic direction on a 3-line staff (do, mi, so, la; step, skip, leap). 	
Common Student Misconceptions/Mistakes	 Difficulty finding and demonstrating the beat of music Confusing the concepts of rhythm and beat Not knowing note values Not nderstanding where to place barlines Writing notation incorrectly Reading music from top to bottom (or visa versa) instead of left to right Not knowing which solfege pitches go on which line or space Difficulty differentiating between step and skip or skip and leap 	
Meeting Expectations	Approaching Expectations	Beginning to Learn
A student who has mastered this standard can consistently and independently create ways to demonstrate: • iconic and rhythmic notation • melodic direction on a 3-line staff	A student who is approaching mastery may inconsistently or with guidance create ways to demonstrate: • iconic and rhythmic notation • melodic direction on a 3-line staff	A student who is beginning to learn is starting to develop an understanding of how to create ways to demonstrate: • iconic and rhythmic notation • melodic direction on a 3-line staff
Evidence of Mastery	 Create using icons and rhythmic symbols (ties, half note/rest, whole note/rest, barlines) Show melodic direction on a 3-line staff (do, mi, so, la; step, skip, leap) 	
Previous Level what students who are struggling at a 1 might need to revisit	Reteach and modify lessons, continuing to practice the skills above, through: Teacher and student modeling	

	 Small group instruction Peer teaching Real-world connections
Next Level What students will do if they have consistently mastered the standard	 Additional teacher-provided resources for independent exploration and creation Become a peer coach

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Priority Standard: When analyzing selected music, read and perform rhythmic and melodic patterns using iconic or standard notation. (MU:Pr4B.2b)		
Learning Targets	 I can read and play rhythm patterns (tie, half note/rest, whole note/rest, barlines). I can read and play or sing notes on a 3-line staff (do, mi, so, la; step, skip, leap). 	
Common Student Misconceptions/Mistakes	 Difficulty finding and demonstrating the beat of music Confusing the concepts of rhythm and beat Confusing bar lines and stick notation Reading music from top to bottom (or visa versa) instead of left to right Not nowing which solfege pitches go on which line or space Difficulty differentiating between step and skip or skip and leap 	
Meeting Expectations	Approaching Expectations	Beginning to Learn
A student who has mastered this standard can consistently and independently perform:	A student who is approaching mastery may inconsistently or with guidance perform:	A student who is beginning to learn is starting to develop an understanding of how to perform:
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	 Peer teaching Real-world connections
Next Level What students will do if they have consistently mastered the standard	 Additional teacher-provided resources for independent exploration and creation Become a peer coach

Priority Standard: Demonstrate knowledge of music concepts and how they support creators'/performers' expressive intent. (MU:Re8A.2a)		
Learning Targets	 I can hear and show dynamic contrasts in a song. I can hear and show tempo contrasts in a song. I can identify classroom instrument categories (ex: woods, scrapers, metals, shakers, and drums). I can explain how music makes me feel. 	
Common Student Misconceptions/Mistakes	 Thinking up and down/high and low means getting louder or quieter Not understanding the sequence of dynamics Difficulty finding and demonstrating the beat of music Not knowing how to properly play classroom instruments Sorting an instrument with multiple categories Not understanding the difference between emotions, opinions, and descriptions 	
Meeting Expectations	Approaching Expectations	Beginning to Learn
A student who has mastered this standard can consistently and independently respond to: • dynamic contrasts • tempo contrasts • classroom instrument categories • the way music makes me feel	A student who is approaching mastery may inconsistently or with guidance respond to:	A student who is beginning to learn is starting to develop an understanding of how to respond to: • dynamic contrasts • tempo contrasts • classroom instrument categories • the way music makes me feel

Previous Level what students who are struggling at a 1 might need to revisit	 Reteach and modify lessons, continuing to practice the skills above, through: Teacher and student modeling Small group instruction Peer teaching Real-world connections 	
Next Level What students will do if they have consistently mastered the standard	 Additional teacher-provided resources for independent exploration and creation Become a peer coach 	