

Online Resources

Music: Grade 1

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[About Class Discussions and Debates](#) (PDF Document)

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[Spotify Playlist - CKMusic Grade 1 Music Selections](#) (Website)

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Unit 1: Elements of Music (Slide Deck 1–9)

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Lesson 3: Short and Long Sounds (Day 1)

[Smithsonian Folkways Recordings - ¡MUÉVETE!: Songs for a Healthy Mind in a Healthy Body](#)
[“La raspa” Lyrics from José-Luis Orozco](#) (PDF Document)

Lesson 4: Melody and Pitch (Day 1)

[Dallas Symphony Orchestra - Instruments](#) (Website)

Lesson 7: Sing in Unison (Day 1)

[Musixmatch - “Michael Row The Boat Ashore” Lyrics](#) (Website)

Lesson 8: Dance and Play to the Music (Day 1)

[Bow Tie Music - “The Chimes of Dunkirk”](#) (Website)

[Bow Tie Music - “Les Saluts”](#) (Website)

Lesson 9: Form (Day 2)

[Great Parks - “On Top of Spaghetti” Lyrics](#) (Blog)

Lesson 11: Call and Response (Day 1)

[The Kennedy Center - Funga Alafia: A West African Welcome Dance](#) (Video)

Lesson 14: Tempo (Day 1)

[PBS Learning Media - Fast or Slow Means Tempo | Class Notes](#) (Video)

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Unit 2: Composers and the Orchestra (Slide Deck 10–14)

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Lesson 1: Classical Music (Day 1)

[Carnegie Hall - Families of the Orchestra](#) (Video)

Lesson 3: The Orchestra (Day 1)

[PBS Learning Media - Introduction to the Story | Peter and the Wolf](#) (Video)

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Unit 3: Music Can Tell a Story (Slide Deck 15–17)

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Lesson 1: Opera Tells a Story (Day 1)

[The Metropolitan Opera - Le Nozze di Figaro: "Sull'aria" \(Video\)](#)

Lesson 3: Ballet Tells a Story

(Day 1)

[PBS - The Bolshoi Ballet: The Nutcracker \(Video\)](#)

(Day 2)

[PBS - The Nutcracker Presented by Scranton Civic Ballet Company \(Video\)](#)

Lesson 4: Jazz: An American Musical Tradition

(Day 1)

[Wynton Marsalis - Wynton Marsalis plays "When The Saints Go Marching In" - CBS This Morning \(Video\)](#)

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[Louis Armstrong House Museum Virtual Exhibits \(Website\)](#)

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