Glenn Hills High School

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1st Period Ethnic Music Studies Class Syllabus

# Course Information

Instructor- Mr. Kirby Thompson

Location- Band/Canvas (Virtual)

Class Time- 1st Period 7:20am-8:10am

Office Time- 10:05am-10:55am

## Course Overview

This course is centered around ethnomusicology and world music. Students will learn about world music and how it relates to what we hear today.

## Course Goals

1. For students to have a full understanding of world music and to be able to compare music from different countries.
2. For students to identify composers based on their composition style.
3. For students to be able to create their own compositions using a style from another country.

## Course Expectations

1. Bring laptops every day to class.
2. For students to put 100% into each task given in-person or virtual.
3. For students to not give-up on any task given.
4. For students to be on-time for each class and to submit/complete all assignments on time.
5. For students to be always respectful.

**No Cell Phones During Instructional Time: Students cannot use cell phones, smartwatches, headphones, or other electronic communication devices during the instructional day. This includes class periods, changes, study halls, and other structured or non-structured instructional activities.**

## Grade Weights

Minor Grades: 60%

Major Grades: 40%

Grade Policy (Need to verify)

90%-100%=A 80%-89%=B 70%-79%=C 69%-Below=F