**Welcome to the 2022-2023 School Year!**

**Greetings parents and students!**

It's so good to be back at school learning and growing.  Music is always a great way to start the year!

This year, we will be singing, playing instruments and dancing. In addition, students will participate in school-wide performances where they will have an opportunity to display their talents. Lastly, students will learn about several genres of music and cultures. Grades 3-5 will concentrate on the following instruments:

* Ukuleles
* Recorders
* Xylophones
* Boom-whackers

**Classroom Rules**

Be Respectful of teacher and classmates. Be Responsible.

Be Safe. Care for all music equipment (books included).

Have fun! Be Kind.

**Homework policy**

It is the policy of the St. Louis Public Schools that the teachers regularly assign homework that enhances the educational development of students.  Each family is asked to set aside at least ninety minutes (90) a week to allow students to practice selected music skills.

**Virtual policy**

Computers and/or I-pads at Bryan Hill Elementary are to be used for assigned research, word-processing, and online activities that support music selected skills.  Unauthorized use and/or vandalism of computer hardware or peripherals will result in loss of computer and/or I-pad privileges.  Students are expected to follow the rules, regulations, and policies of the St. Louis Public School District.

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