Collegiate School of Medicine and Bioscience High School Music Class

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**Music Class Syllabus**

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**Course Description:** Students will learn the basic skills of musicianship. Areas of study will include but are not limited to, music theory, music composition, rhythm practice, note reading/sight reading skills, ear development and training, music listening skills and performance training. During virtual learning, CSMB music class will be focusing on the Create, Respond and Connect aspects of music defined in the Missouri State Music Standards.

**Create:** Students will be able to describe and demonstrate the basic aspects of music composition. Students will be given the opportunity to express their creativity in using these skills to create their own compositions and arrangements.

**Respond/Connect:** Students will be given opportunities to respond to music during music class. Class will begin with a music journal writing exercise where students will learn to connect their inner self with the sound of music and explore the emotions and energy that music evokes. Students will be able to develop musical listening skills as well as the practice of articulating through writing or speaking what they hear and perceive in the music.

**Perform:** Students will participate both in performing and in giving critique during the online studio class. The online studio class focuses on individual mastery of assigned instrument(s) as well as the musicality of performing.

**Grading:** *(All grading will be on Tyler SIS)*

Assessments: 20%

Classwork: 20%

Homework: 30%

Participation: 30%