

Learning experience

Composing Our Anthem: A Journey Through Music and Values (Summative)

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Subjects: Drama, Dance, IB Music , Music

Learning intentions

- 1. Explore the significance of national anthems in representing a country's identity and values.
- 2. Experiment with musical elements to compose lyrics that express community pride and unity.
- 3. Develop collaborative skills by working in groups to create and perform a national anthem.
- 4. Reflect on the emotional and cultural impact of music and lyrics in building a sense of community.

Learning experience description

National Anthem Lyric writing challenge: (summative)

Please chose from the following:

- 1) Use AI song writing lyrics and write out your lyrics, then find an nation anthem or music that would match it
 - 2) Write your own lyrics to an already existing national anthem and sing it
- 3) Create a Canva video presentation video brochure about your country that matches your lyrics

You can work by yourself or in groups

- Research and Inspiration: Each group researches the history and values of different countries' anthems. (choose 3 and write it on the template provided) Listen to various anthems to understand their musical styles.
- Choose one of the choices and work on it to create your own lyrics. Choose words you
 found that match what values or emotions of price you would want your country to
 have
- Music Composition: Experiment with different melodies and rhythms to set your lyrics to music. Here is where you have the choice to choose which one you want to do from above.
- **Group Rehearsals**: Practice your anthem with your group, focusing on singing with accuracy and expressing the intended emotions through your performance.
- **Performance and Feedback**: Perform your anthem for another group. After each performance, conduct a T.A.G. session where students offer constructive feedback based on musical elements and emotional impact.

• **Reflection and Discussion**: Reflect as a class on the experience. Discuss how the anthems helped to deepen understanding of community and national pride.

Submission template



Resources

- National Anthem of DanielLand example 2
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- © Candian national anthem instrumental
- Ai making music
- Best Free Al Song Lyrics Generator Songwriter Write a Song Easy

Assessment tool(s)

https://cloud.toddleapp.com/eu-west-1/p/GYZZMW/pdfgen/2024/8/12/EjeEt8n1V.pdf

Learning goals

Subject Standards

Drama, Dance, IB Music

Responding

Music

- describe the differences in music
- reflect on and communicate their reactions to music using musical vocabulary
- share performances with each other and give constructive criticism
- sing with accuracy and control focusing awareness on the musical elements