Dear Centennial Music Families,

What a time this is! I want to let you know what you can expect from our music program during our time away from each other. This "school from home" thing... it's new for everyone. Some of you feel like you are ROCKIN' it, others are finding their GROOVE, and some of us are feeling like we have TWO LEFT FEET. I assure you – you are all doing a great job.

## Weekly Music activities and explorations:

- I will send home weekly activities or explorations with your homeroom packages.
- My website will also be updated often with new activities.

All of these activities are optional and will not be marked as per the directive from the <u>Province</u>. You can do them as a family and modify them as it works for you. They do not need to be sent to me, although <u>I do love seeing my students</u>, so please send me <u>pictures</u> and videos of their music making when you can.

## What about report cards?

- Term 3 marks will be the same as the mark your child earned on their term 2 report card.
- If your child would like to work at increasing their mark for term 3
  you can contact me and I will send them assignments that will be
  marked.

If you would like this option, please email me at khanstead@sunrisesd.ca

## Recorder Karate (grade 3-6):

- Any student wishing to continue testing for belts can contact me by email to set up a time to test. I can test using Facetime, Zoom, Skype, or Microsoft Teams.
- I will send their new belts with their homework packages.
- I have added Advanced Recorder Karate and Duets for all levels to my website.

Music is a wonderful stress reliever, can help us process our feelings, and feel connected. I encourage you to make music a part of your day during this unexpected change in routine.

If your child would like to talk to me for any reason, please email me and let me know the best way to reach them .

I miss them terribly and would love to connect.

Mrs. Hanstead khanstead@sunrisesd.ca

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# Music Activities and Explorations - April 27 – May 1

## Paper Activity

Rhythm Practice: Clap the words provided and sort them by the rhythm you hear. Add other words that fit in your category.





 $\sqrt{1}$  Ta = 1 syllable  $\sqrt{1}$  Ti-Ti = 2 syllables that are said a bit faster

\*\*If your child is enjoying these I have uploaded many more to my website that can be printed. (Harry Potter, Ice Cream, Space, holidays, etc.) www.hanstead.weebly.com

## **Digital Exploration:**

Explore the website www.incredibox.com on a COMPUTER

select "Try web version"

There will be 7 options – the top 4 are free.

\*\*\*when you open it, there will be a line of cartoon men that do not have shirts on. This always makes the kids giggle... I point out it is just like being at the beach. As they select the sounds from the bottom and drag them onto a person it adds their "outfit".

Each version features beat boxers that you can assign a sound to by dragging and dropping a symbol from the bottom. Once they are full you can delete sounds and add new ones to keep the song going. The program will mix it into a song that you can make changes to. There is a record and send feature, Students are welcome to email their finished product to me.

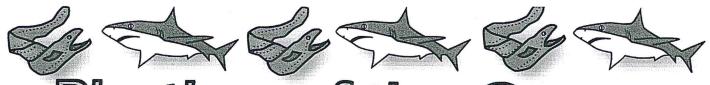
Advanced: Each version has hidden songs that you can unlock by using specific combinations. See if you can find them.

This website is FREE on the COMPUTER, you do not need to download the app.

If you have any questions, please email me at khanstead@sunrisesd.ca.

Happy Music Making!! Mrs. Hanstead

NEXT WEEK YOU WILL RECEIVE A CALENDAR OF WEEKLY ACTIVITIES FOR MAY.



# Rhythm of the Ocean

Write the name of each ocean word in the matching rhythm box!

Deep sea		
Coral reef	Coral reef	
Abalone	CO PAR TECT	
Hermit crab		
Barnacle		
Sea urchin		
Salty water		
Deep sea diver	-	
Sea horse		
Submarine	and the second second	1 1
Shipwreck		
Tidal pool		Deep sea
Sea bass		
Barracuda		
Bluebottle		
Whitecaps		
Jellyfish (		
Octopus		
Seaweed Seaweed	5	C TEOL
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