

Course: Brass Ensemble
Credit: 1.00
Instructor: DuPor Georges

Course Description:

This course is designed to provide students with the opportunity to develop independence as well as the ability to play together both stylistically and with sensitivity through performance in a small group.

Content Standard:

The DCPS content standards are as follows:

- #2-Performing on Instruments
- #3-Improvisation
- #5-Reading Notation
- #6-Listening ,Analyzing and Describing
- #7-Evaluation
- #9-Music,History, Heritage and Culture

Course Outline:

By course completion students will be able to:

- A. Perform various styles of brass ensemble music from different periods and cultures
- B. Perform Western and non-Western music literature
- C. Research the musical contribution of prominent musicians
- D. Discuss characteristics of musical style and form
- E. Critique performances by applying selected and established criteria
- F. Perform annual and seasonal concerts

Materials: Instruments, mouthpiece, accessories, method books

Course Requirements:

1. Daily Attendance
2. Punctual attendance
3. Class Participation
4. Mandatory concert performance
5. Written reports

Grading:

Attendance 50%
Class Participation 20%
Written Assignments 10%
Performances 20%