Formative Assessment Packet

For each musical concept, there are three formative assessments, one corresponding rubric, and one teacher record sheet. Concepts addressed in the formative assessments include seven musical elements: rhythm and meter, form and design, dynamics, tempo, articulation, pitch, and performing. Select formative assessments also include Student Worksheets.

Using the Formative Assessments

The Formative Assessments have been designed so that each includes the following:

- Performing, responding, and creating tasks
- Solo, small-group, and whole-group work
- Varied modalities for different learning styles
- A scaffold of each musical concept to its Summative Assessment task

Please note: In order for these assessments to be formative, teachers should facilitate each task in a way that gives students both task performance feedback **and** the opportunity for revision.

Scope of Musical Concepts in the Grade 2 Formative Assessments

Rhythm and	Form and Design	Expressive Qualities			71. 1	
Meter		Dynamics	Tempo	Articulation	Pitch	Performing
Simple Meters (2/4, 3/4, 4/4) Compund Meters (6/8)	Phrases and Patterns Bar Lines and Double Bar Lines	Crescendo	Accelerando Ritardando	Accent	Melodic Contour	Singing in Tune







Singing in Tune

A	В	C	Summative Assessment
Solo/Small Group Performing Task: Students take turns singing in tune, solo or in small groups, using a known echo song.	Solo Performing Task: Students take turns singing in tune on target patterns of so-mi and do-re-mi within a known song. Example songs are provided on the Teacher Worksheet.	Solo Creating and Performing Task: Students use singing voices to take turns improvising • with a known song in which a specific lyric is changed, or • by creating spontaneous phrases on a given theme.	Task 1 Demonstrate Singing in Tune Students take turns singing phrases of a known song a cappella to demonstrate singing voices and intonation.





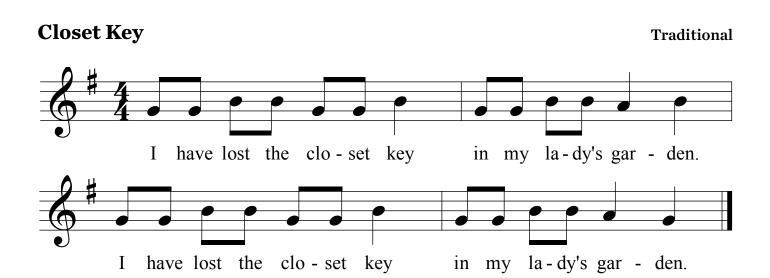
Rubric Standing Ovation		3 Stage Ready	2 Practice, Practice, Practice	l Try Again
Create or Perform using In-Tune Singing Voice	Performs using singing voice that is clear and in tune.	Performs using singing voice that is mostly clear and/or in tune.	Performs melody but does not use a singing voice or is not in tune.	Does not perform.

Class: Student Name	A	В	C	Notes





Sample Song



Old Mister Rabbit

Traditional



Ol' Mis-ter Rab-bit, you've got a might-y hab-it of



jump-ing my gar - den and eat - ing all my cab-bage! in

> (car-rots) (to-ma-toes) (corn)





Sample Song



Dog-gie dog-gie where's your bone? Some-one stole it from your home.

