Music

Brunswick School Department American Music Rock and Roll

Rock and Roll	
Essential	 Change and the evolution of music is constant.
Understandings	 Changes in social, political, and economic factors are reflected in
	the music of the times, and sometimes influence that change.
	How did rock and roll evolve?
	 What groups/artists were influential in the development of rock and
Essential	roll?
Questions	 What technological advances were part of rock's historical
Questions	development?
	 Rock's roots were evolved from the blues and spirituals.
	 Country music also became the basis of early rock music.
Essential	
	 Elvis Presley and Chuck Berry helped break the racial barriers in
Knowledge	rock music.
	 The technology of early recording, amplification, radio, and TV all
	played a part in the development of rock and roll.
	• <u>Terms</u> :
Vocabulary	 rock and roll, blues, spirituals, country music, r and b,
	record, jukebox, amplification, boogie-woogie, back beat, 12
	bar blues, soul Motown, disco
	 Recognize beginning rock as a period in music history.
	 Create a timeline of the evolution of rock as it relates to major
	historical, social, and economic developments.
Essential	 Recognize and name the most important musicians in the evolution
Skills	of rock.
	 Identify types of rock music and their distinguishing characteristics.
	Name types of technology that helped advance the development of
	rock music.
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	A. Disciplinary Literacy
	A3.Listening and Describing
	Students listen to, analyze, and evaluate music using their
	understanding of pitch, rhythm, tempo, dynamics, form, timbre,
	texture, harmony, style and compound meter.
	C. Creative Problem-Solving
Related	C1.Application of Creative Processes
Maine Learning	Students apply and analyze creative problem-solving and
Results	creative thinking skills to improve or vary their own work and/or
Results	the work of others.
	D. Aesthetics and Criticism
	D1.Aesthetics and Criticism
	Students analyze an evaluate art forms.
	a. Describe, analyze, interpret, and evaluate art forms by
	applying grade span appropriate arts concepts, vocabulary,
	skills, and processes as referenced in Standard A:
	Disciplinary Literacy.
	d. Research and explain how art and artists reflect and shape
	their time and culture.

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Related Maine Learning Results	 E. Visual and Performing Arts Connection E1. The Arts and History of World Cultures Students analyze the characteristics and purposes of products of the visual/performing arts to understand history and/or world cultures. E2. The Arts and Other Disciplines Students analyze skills and concepts that are similar across disciplines. E3. Goal-Setting Students make short-term and long-term goals based on rigorous criteria and related to time management, interpersonal interactions, or skill development that will lead to success in the arts. E4. Impact of the Arts on Lifestyle and Career Students explain how their knowledge of the arts relates to school-to-school and school-to-work transitions including the recognition that the arts are a means of renewal and recreation. E5. Interpersonal Skills Students demonstrate positive interpersonal skills and reflect on the impact of interpersonal skills on personal success in the arts. a. Getting along with others. b. Respecting differences. c. Working as a team/ensemble. d. Managing conflict. e. Accepting/giving/using constructive feedback. f. Accepting responsibility for personal behavior. g. Demonstrating ethical behavior. h. Following established rules/etiquette for observing/listening to art. i. Demonstrating safe behavior.
	 Debate current artists and their importance on the development of
Sample	 rock and roll Discuss specific styles of rock and listen to examples of those
Lessons	styles
And	 Timeline activity
Activities	 Watch video segments of Ken Burn's "History of Rock and Roll"
	Watch "American Roots Music" video
Sample	Graded timeline
Classroom	 Set up a rubric for discussion of styles of rock music
Assessment	 Write a short paper on one important rock musician
Methods	

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	Videos:
Sample	 <u>History of Rock Music</u> - Ken Burns
Resources	 <u>American Roots Music</u>