

Theme: Guitar

Setting: General Music Lesson for 8th Grade

Subject Analysis: This lesson includes ensemble playing introducing lead sheet reading and beginning guitar chords.

Objectives:

<u>Experimental:</u>	Students will play lead sheets Students will play a D7 chord Students will play a Dm chord
<u>Behavioral:</u>	By the end of the grading period, students will name the parts of the guitar

Materials:

- Lead sheets for each student
- Pages from guitar workbook for each student
- Class set of guitars

Methods:

1. Opening

1. Review parts of the guitar
2. Review Easy Chords
 - a) C, G, F, G7, Am, Em
3. Review Its My Life

2. New Chord

1. Teach easy D7 starting with Am and adding the third finger
2. Teach easy Dm
3. Call out chord names and have students play those chords

3. Playing

1. Begin working through new lead sheets
 - a) America the Beautiful (D7 practice)
 - b) Behind these Hazel Eyes (Dm practice)

4. Review

1. Quickly review easy Dm and easy D7

Evaluation:

Were the students able to play D7? Were the students able to play Dm? Could students sing a song and play the chord progressions presented in the lead sheet?

Concepts:

<u>Melody</u>	Form
<u>Harmony</u>	Timbre
Rhythm	Expression <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tempo • Dynamics • Articulation

National Standards

Sing/Chant	Play	Improvise	Compose/Arrange	Read	Listen & Analyze	Evaluate & Express	Integrate	History/Culture
<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	3	4	<u>5</u>	<u>6</u>	7	8	9