



Beecroft Public School Band

Gold Award (Percussion)

Name: _____

Class: _____

Rudiment Work

- Rudiments to be played *f, mf, mp, p*
 - Scales Play the first five flam-based rudiments
 - Play the first five Drag-based rudiments
 - A Major Scale - one octave ascending and descending
 - Eb Major Scale - one octave ascending and descending F#
 - Harmonic Minor Scale - one octave ascending and descending C
 - Harmonic Minor Scale - one octave ascending and descending
 - Chromatic Scale starting any of the 5 #/b notes - one octave ascending and descending
- *All Scales to be played from memory*

Prepared Pieces Students are to prepare three pieces from the current AMEB Grade 3 (or higher). These pieces must be played on three different percussion instruments. **CHOOSE:** snare drum & timpani & glockenspiel/xylophone OR drum kit & timpani & glockenspiel/xylophone.

Band Piece Students are to prepare a Band piece from the current Band Repertoire. The chosen piece must include Rhythmic variety or the main Melody. Bars rest should also be minimal to the flow of Rhythm.

General Knowledge Students must show an understanding of all terms and signs involved in their set pieces

Attendance Students must attend at least 80% of all rehearsals and performances to acquire award.

Completion Section

Technical Work Completed (Please date) _____

Signed _____ Tutor to Sign

Prepared Piece/s Completed (Please date) _____

Signed _____ Tutor to Sign Band

Piece Completed (Please date) _____

Signed _____ Conductor to Sign General

Knowledge Completed (Please date) _____

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Beecroft Public School Band

Gold Award (Bass Guitar)

Name: _____

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Technical Work:

*All scales are only to be played one octave **using right hand alternating rest stroke (i,m)***

Major Scales *(to be played from memory)*

E_b major (starting in 1st position with shift into 5th position on G string)

Moveable Major Scale fingering starting with G major in 2nd position.

Harmonic Minor Scales *(can be played from music)*

Moveable Harmonic Minor Scale fingering starting with G minor in **3rd position**

G Minor Pentatonic Scale shape (in 3rd position) *(to be played from memory)*

Prepared Pieces Students to prepare the following pieces:

a) **Groove Bass line to "You Can Leave Your Hat On" (Joe Cocker)**

Band Piece Students are to prepare a Band piece.

General Knowledge Students must show an understanding of all terms and signs involved in their set pieces.

Attendance Students must attend at least 80% of all rehearsals and performances to acquire award.

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