

ISD 15 Music Program

Core Values & Mission Outcomes

ISD 15 Mission Statement: Our mission is to equip all students with the knowledge and the skills to empower them to achieve their dreams and full potential while becoming responsible citizens in a dynamic world.

Core Values:

We Believe That Music Education...

- Is an essential part of every student's development.
- Is a lifelong skill that enriches learning.
- Provides opportunities for healthy emotional development.
- Provides a safe environment for creativity and exploration.
- Builds the crucial life skills of leadership, communication, cooperation, and problem solving.
- Is an integral part of our culture and strengthens community.
- Provides opportunities for interdisciplinary learning.
- Fosters respect and responsibility.
- Connects students with diverse cultures and develops competent global citizens.

K-12 Mission Outcomes:

All ISD 15 Music Students Will...

- Experience music at the highest level possible as a result of active participation, discipline, engagement, focus, and performance.
- Demonstrate an understanding of musical notation, vocabulary, and symbols.
- Demonstrate techniques necessary to produce characteristic sounds with the voice and instruments.
- Critique and analyze a variety of music through active listening.
- Develop a lifelong appreciation and understanding of music.
- Develop proper habits that strengthen healthy bodies, minds, and spirits.
- Develop an understanding of how music is tied to world culture and history.
- Develop a deeper awareness of our ever-changing and dynamic world.