SmartMusic Grade-book information and parent permission form

Another feature of SmartMusic is the on-line assignment and grade-book. The grade-book is a web-based service that allows a teacher with an educator subscription to post, grade, and give feedback to the student.

Every student will enroll in the grade-book. It is free and the student does not need to have a SmartMusic subscription to enroll. They <u>will</u> need a SmartMusic subscription to work on assignments from home. If a student does not have SmartMusic at home they will have access to the 5 practice room computers at Ferguson that include a subscription.

When a student is enrolled in the grade-book they can log-in to receive assignments and announcements. Upon completing the assignment or reading the announcement, they can electronically submit the assignment directly to the teacher for review. At that point the teacher receives the assignment and can send feedback to the student regarding their performance.

If a student enrolls using an actual email address (theirs and/or yours) then they will receive reminders about assignments and feedback about assignments from their teacher. If they do not use an actual email address they will need to remember to log-in to check assignments and receive feedback.

The grade-book has room for 2 email addresses. If your child has an email address they use they can enter that as the student email or it could be a family email address or a parent's email address. We would suggest that whichever email you enter it is one that can be checked from home and be one that is checked frequently. This email address will also be used as the student's log-in name to the grade-book. The second email address could be a parent at work or another home email address. These email addresses will only be used by music department staff to communicate with students and parents and will not be used by SmartMusic for advertising purposes.

Please list below the email addresses you would like used. If you would prefer not to use an email address we will create a fake email address to use instead. Please check here if you prefer we not use a real email address.

Email #1 - primary email address - preferably one the student will have access to.

Email #2 – secondary email address (not necessary)

Please sign below to give us permission to register your child with the SmartMusic grade-book. If you have any questions please contact your school's music teacher.

Parent signature