

**St. Louis King of France
Music Program
Mrs. Melissa Brocato**



Curriculum:

Our music program is a performance-based curriculum for students in grades Pre-K 1 through the 7th grade. Music instruction begins in Little Crusaders with basic exploration of notes and rhythms and culminates in Middle School with performances and competitions. The Orff-Schülwerk Method and Kodaly Approach are utilized to create student-centered lessons that weave music literacy and performance skills, which include vocal music, world percussion and Orff instruments, soprano recorder, and basic keyboard skills. Students learn to perform liturgical, classical, contemporary, folk, Broadway, and gospel tunes while studying music history and theory.

Grading:

Students are not graded on musical talent. All students are graded on their effort, participation, conduct, and application. Students in grades 3 and above are required to bring all of their music supplies to each class. Music supplies are available for purchase throughout the year in the school office.

Communication:

Please feel free to email mbrocato@slkfschool.com

Or call (504) 833-8224 ext. 1305