

Warren T. Eich Middle School

Guitar

Student Application

Guitar class is a performance based class that will teach the basic playing skills necessary to perform solo and group songs on the classical/acoustic guitar. Students will learn standard note reading as well as how to read chord charts and tab. The curriculum will begin with simple American Folksongs and will progress into contemporary rock/pop as student's skills progress.

No previous experience is necessary to take this class. However, for students who are more advanced, a second year curriculum will be available. All students will be issued a school guitar and method book.

Students will be required to perform in groups and individually through playing quizzes, informal in-class performances, and formal evening concerts. There will be two evening concert performances required for the year.

This is a yearlong course. Students are placed in this class with instructor approval.

To apply for this course students will be required to complete the following:

1) Student Application for Guitar:

Students need to answer the questions on the back of this document. This form needs to be returned to Mrs. Aldridge, or the office, by **Friday, April 12, 2019**.

2) Teacher Recommendation Form for Yearlong Electives for VAPA Courses:

This form can be obtained from Mrs. Aldridge, or the office. The teacher recommendation needs to be completed electronically by **Friday, April 12, 2019**.

Application Deadline: Friday, April 12, 2019

If you have any questions, please contact Jenn Aldridge at jaldridge@rcsdk8.org

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Print Name : _____

Please answer the following questions as honestly, and thoroughly as possible. You may either print your answers below or type your responses on a separate piece of paper (staple it to this sheet).

1) What previous experience do you have in music?

2) Why do you want to learn to play guitar?

3) Who is your favorite musician or band?

4) What choice is Guitar Class? (Circle one)

First

Second

Third