

SmartMusic 10/Impact – Documenting Student Progress

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Coming Soon - SmartMusic 10.0

Band, orchestra and choir titles, plus SmartMusic Impact™

Exciting New Features to help teachers motivate, guide, and inspire students:

***Band, orchestra, and choir music with on-screen notation**

Professional audio recordings of popular titles are built right in to SmartMusic 10.0. Students can practice their part with this accompaniment in a fun, interactive environment, hearing how their part fits in the piece.

***Educator-approved SmartMusic assignments help all students improve quickly**

Now it's easy for music teachers to give students graded homework assignments. Band, orchestra, and choir titles in version 10.0 include pre-authored practice assignments for all parts, so you can guide how, and what, students practice – even at home.

***Create assignments with audio-quality accompaniment for any concert selection**

SmartMusic supports any piece of music you choose! Simply upload the audio file and distribute sheet music, then students can practice their part with accompaniment in SmartMusic. As a result, they come to each rehearsal better prepared to play with the group.

***Easily manage, grade, and document assignments for all your students**

Subscriptions now include SmartMusic Impact – the free, web-based course management tool that automates administrative tasks to save you time.

Easily Manage Assignments for an Entire Band, Orchestra, or Choir with SmartMusic Impact

SmartMusic Impact is an effective, web-based grade book that makes it easy for teachers to manage, grade, and document assignments for all their students. This valuable service is yours free when you subscribe to SmartMusic. PLUS, teachers can build a personal library of SmartMusic assignments for all repertoire.

SmartMusic Impact automatically:

- *Distributes teacher-selected, instrument-specific assignments to all students
- *Tracks all returned and late assignments
- *Calculates grades for assignments based on the teacher's grading criteria
- *Collects audio recordings of student assignments for teachers to evaluate artistic elements such as phrasing and expression
- *Shows teachers how each student is progressing
- *Documents proof of student achievement, making it easier to comply with stricter assessment standards and expectations

Imagine the difference you'll make with the SmartMusic solution! You'll have documented proof of each student's progress, and your entire band, orchestra, or choir will sound terrific.

SmartMusic 10.0 - continued

These features will be available in SmartMusic 10.0 which is expected to ship in early 2007. All current subscribers will be able to download SmartMusic 10.0 for free, or request that a CD be sent to them. (Shipping charges may apply). Current school subscribers in the U.S. will be mailed a SmartMusic 10.0 CD free of charge. SmartMusic Impact is included with SmartMusic 10.0 and will be available to all current educator subscribers. All students with SmartMusic 10.0 will be able to complete assignments distributed by their teacher via SmartMusic Impact.

Resources

SmartMusic – www.smartmusic.com - (teacher, parent & student resources)

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Educators Technology Central – SmartMusic lesson plans

www.nottelmanmusic.com/educatorstechnologycentral.html

Regional SmartMusic Workshops

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