

# CMMS Music Department Mission

Music is an integral part of a complete education. **It engages students in individual and group activity; develops creativity, problem solving skills, critical thinking, and evaluative skills.** Music integrates understanding from multiple disciplines and leads to an **improved self-concept, a broader cultural awareness, and a development of life-long skills.** Music develops the total person and evokes the very essence of humanity. Through performance-based music instruction, students discover and develop their potential through varied, sequential musical experiences in listening, performing, and creating.

***Our mission in the CMMS Music Department is to provide a comprehensive music education which will allow students to develop the skills and knowledge to perform and appreciate music as lifelong participants and learners. Furthermore, we hope to instill in our students a lasting sense of pride, identity, service and connection through music.***

## Eagle “Code of Cooperation”

Our “GPS” for Success

The following are our **GPS** (Guidelines, Policies and Strategies) for **S.U.C.C.E.S.S.** If we follow this Code of Cooperation each day, there is no end to what we will accomplish!

**S-** Stay On Task

**U-** Use Your Pencil

**C-** Come Prepared

**C-** Cooperate In Rehearsal

**E-** Earn Your Wings

**S-** Silent after cutoffs

**S-** Show respect

**“WE ARE THE EAGLES**

**SO WATCH US FLY**

**WE’LL EARN OUR WINGS**

**AND TOUCH THE SKY!”**