

# FEBRUARY Music Notes

In February, Kindergarten students will start learning some simple Folk Dances to move to the music and work together to complete the dances with their classmates.

Navigator students will continue learning about instruments in the band and orchestra, as well as recognizing, reading, and writing simple rhythms using TA (Quarter Note), ti-ti (Two Eighth Notes), and Shh (Quarter Rest), Half Note, and Whole Note.

Voyager students will also continue to learn about instruments in the band and orchestra, as well as recognizing, reading, and writing simple rhythms using Whole Note, Whole Rest, Half Note, Half Rest, Quarter Note, Quarter Rest, Eighth Notes, and Sixteenth Notes.

Explorer students will receive their recorder to begin their Recorder Unit and will each receive a book "Recorder Karate". Students may leave their instrument in the music room, or take it home with them, however they will be responsible to bring it to their music class every week. When the students are on campus, they may only play their instrument inside the music classroom when asked to do so.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me at [kyamaguchi@csaschool.org](mailto:kyamaguchi@csaschool.org) if you have any questions or concerns.

#### Classroom Donations:

- Any working electronic keyboard/piano for the students to use in music class.