

Musicianship Goal	Action Plan	
What will you accomplish? (Goal statement)	In general terms, I would like to learn the basics of piano. I would like to learn how to read sheet music and be able to play my significant song, Prince of Heaven, on the piano fluidly by March 26.	
What does it look like when you've accomplished your goal? i.e. How will you know you have achieved your goal? What are the indicators of success or progress? (Assessment – how will I know what you learned and how well you learned it? How will you demonstrate your learning? What are your criteria?)	I am able to fluidly play Prince of Heaven on the piano with minimal to no hesitations or stops. I display proper hand positioning and tempo, and both hands line up and flow together. I am also able to read and understand sheet music from both Prince of Heaven and other songs. I will use videos to show my progress and final product.	Timeline: (By when?) Feb. 27 – Midterm I will be able to play the right hand fluidly. Mar. 26 – Final I will be able to play both the right and left hands fluidly and together.
Rationale: Why is it important?	This assignment is important because as educators within a province that incorporates music into its curriculum, we must have some knowledge about the basics of music so that we can adequately teach this subject. Schools do not always have designated and specialized music teachers and therefore, we need to be prepared to potentially take on this role in the classroom. Furthermore, people connect well to music and allowing students to express themselves through music in all subjects is very likely to increase engagement. If we as teachers are knowledgeable on the subject and are having fun with the material, then our students are more likely to be have fun and engage with the coursework. Finally, the song I chose to learn is very special to me; I would love to be able to play it and unpack it more through a musical instrument rather than simply listening to the audio version of the song.	
	Assets	Liabilities
	1. I know a couple piano chords. 2. I know the location of C major and the letters corresponding to most keys on the piano.	1. I don't have much understanding of sheet music. 2. I'm not confident in my capabilities to play both hands at once. 3. I don't have access to a piano at home.

	<p>3. I have friends with lots of knowledge on the topic of music.</p> <p>4. I have long fingers which will make playing piano easier.</p>	<p>4. Working takes up most of my free time which will get in the way of practicing.</p>
<p>Action plan: How will you accomplish your goal? What will you do? By when?</p>	<p>Actions/steps to be taken (What will you do?):</p> <p>1. I will set aside practice sessions which will occur three times per week for the duration of an hour.</p> <p>2. I will begin with my right hand and get to know it well. Then, learn the left and combine the two hands together.</p> <p>3. I will practice the whole song with both hands.</p>	<p>Timeline (specific dates):</p> <p>1. Learn right hand by February 7.</p> <p>2. Practice and perfect right hand by February 14.</p> <p>3. Film video by February 15.</p> <p>4. Learn left hand by March 6.</p> <p>5. Fluidly incorporate both hands by March 20.</p> <p>6. Film video by March 24.</p>

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