

WEST LOS ANGELES COLLEGE

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Music 213 (2 units, UC:CSU)

Course Objective: This is a continuation of the in-depth study of the aural aspect of music in Major and minor keys. Work with chromaticisms and altered chords is begun.

Syllabus:

Week Subject

- 1 Weekly study and practice is devoted to developing melodic, rhythmic and harmonic skills in the Modernistic mode as studied in Music 203.
Dictation in melodic, rhythmic and harmonic utilized weekly
Sight singing shall be done every session of class
- 16 FINAL

Institutional Learning Outcomes:

B. Communication: Effectively communicate thought in a clear, well-organized manner, to persuade, inform, and convey ideas in academic work, family and community settings.

C. Quantitative Reasoning: Identify, analyze, and solve problems that are quantitative in nature.

Divisional Student Learning Outcomes

Secure Technique

Practice and develop creative routine

Learn self-assessment for personal fulfillment and growth

Course Learning Outcomes: The student shall be able to sight read (sing) a complicated melodic line of music and take dictation of chromatic music. The student shall be able to comprehend multiple, compound rhythms and take dictation thereof. The student shall be able to differentiate between keys and appraise chromatic harmony and take dictation of chromatic and altered chords.

Textbook: Music for Ear Training by Horvit, Koozin and Nelson
Oxford Sight Singing Series, books 3 and 4

Attendance: Regular and prompt attendance is expected and required. The Schedule of classes states, "The student is expected to attend every meeting of all classes for which he or she is registered. Violation of this regulation MAY result in exclusion from class."

Exams: There shall be daily dictation of melodic, harmonic and rhythmic nature as well as sight singing of musical compositions. There may be essay question/s each week to summarize the week's work. The grade of C is considered to be satisfactory; the grade of B is very good or above average; the grade of A is outstanding and achieved by a consistently high level of performance.

College Regulations: No smoking, food or drink is allowed in the classrooms. Only those enrolled in the class may attend the class. WLAC Standards of Student Conduct, as written in the Schedule of Classes shall be enforced.

