



Holly Springs High School Golden Hawks Band

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WIND ENSEMBLE HONORS CREDIT RESEARCH PROJECT

The following assignment is due by June 1, 2011. All Wind Ensemble students wishing to receive Honors Credit for the Spring Semester must complete the following:

- Complete a written project on one of the following areas. Seniors may not use the same topic they did in their junior year.
 1. The relationship between a selected piece of music and one other art form from the same culture/time period.
 2. Instrument of choice
 3. One of the composers we've played music of this year or was influenced by including: Gustav Holst, Dmitri Shostakovich, Edward Elgar, Leroy Anderson, O.R. Farrar, John Williams, Philip Sparke, Brian Balmages, Frank Tichelli, Yo Goto, Jack Stamp.
 4. Compare and contrast the styles of major composers from various time periods in music history. Example: Copeland/Shoenburg, Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert/Schuman.
- Paper must include the following:
 1. Title Page
 2. Outline/Table of Contents
 3. 3-5 pages typed (double spaced/Time Roman font 12 point)
 4. Internal Documentation
 5. Visual Aid
 6. Bibliography/Works Cited – at least one of each
 - 1 online source
 - 1 encyclopedia
 - 1 wikipedia
 - 1 periodical

****Make sure this is your own work.** I do check your sources. If it is copied word for word, and/or not properly notated, the paper will receive an automatic 0.

- Grading Scale
 - 35 Points – Content
 - 20 Points – Grammar/Punctuation
 - 20 Points – Correct Format
 - 25 Points – Works Cited/Internal Documentation/Paraphrased

****In lieu of a paper, you may present this project in podcast form.**

*****You may also choose to overhaul and update the band website.** Looking for a fresh site that is eye-popping. This will require a lot of creativity, and out of class work. See the director if interested.

