

Guitar Ensemble Syllabus

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Meeting Time: Arranged
Meeting Place: TBA
Text: Various (As needed)
Pre-requisite: None

Introduction: Guitar Ensemble meets at times to be arranged. Groups of guitarists or mixed ensembles of guitar and other instruments or voices will form each semester. The works rehearsed will be programmed on a Guitar Ensemble Concert each semester.

Attendance: Attendance is required. Unexcused absence will not be tolerated (see below).

Grading.

A weekly grade for each student will be determined based on:

ATTENDANCE AND PROFESSIONALISM

Excused absences will have no impact on your semester grade as long as the absence is made up. Otherwise, the excused absence will convert to an unexcused absence. Unexcused absences will impact your semester grade in the following manner:

- 1 unexcused absence = no penalty
- 2 unexcused absences = a grade no higher than a C for the semester
- 3 or more unexcused absences = a grade of F

Professionalism includes practice (preparing the music for performance before the first rehearsal – NO SIGHT READING!), preparing the physical parts/score for rehearsal. beginning rehearsal on time, bringing music and all necessary guitar gear to rehearsal.

Repertoire. Repertoire will be determined at the beginning of each Semester.