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 Grade Level _____

Score ____/120 Percentage ____%
 Rating _____

Singing Test Rubric

Singing Skills				
	ADVANCED 15 pts	PROFICIENT 13 pts	BASIC 11 pts	
Pitch Accuracy	ADVANCED You sang with accurate pitches throughout the piece in both the low and high parts of your vocal range. You were very aware of your intonation.	PROFICIENT There were only one or two pitch inaccuracies, but overall, you sang all pitches very well.	BASIC There were many pitch problems in your presentation. You must put a lot of attention in trying to match pitch accurately during class.	
Rhythm Accuracy	ADVANCED Your rhythms were sung properly both on and off the beat. You have an expert awareness of this skill.	PROFICIENT There were only one or two rhythmic inaccuracies, but overall, you did very well.	BASIC There were several rhythmic inaccuracies. You must give more attention to singing in time.	
Energy	ADVANCED You sang with passion and enthusiasm. I could tell that you were enjoying what you were singing!	PROFICIENT Your energy level was okay, but I could use more enthusiasm in some aspects of your singing.	BASIC Only occasionally did you sing with energy. Most of the time you sang unenthusiastically.	
Projection	ADVANCED You sang with purpose and confidence. I had no problems at all hearing your voice.	PROFICIENT You sang well, but you need to work on projecting your voice and singing with confidence. You did a great job, but just sing out a little more!	BASIC Your voice was not projected. If I can't hear you, it is difficult to assess your progress as a singer.	
Diction and articulation	ADVANCED You sang with words that were understandable; your vocal line was articulated clearly; final consonants and tall vowels were in evidence.	PROFICIENT I could understand almost every word, but there were a few times when final consonants and tall vowels could have been sung more carefully.	BASIC Not only did I not understand your words, but I also thought did not know some of them. Make sure you are taking care to learn the proper words and pronunciations.	
Tone quality/Blend	ADVANCED You sang with a beautiful tone that was pleasing and properly supported. You are a true role model for your peers. You have an outstanding voice!	PROFICIENT You did a fine job. You need to be aware that although you have a wonderful voice, there are a few times when your voice tends to not blend with those around you.	BASIC Your voice is not bad, but there were several times when your vocal tone was just a bit edgy, making it stand out and blend less than it could. Try listening more to those around you than trying to sing loudly.	
Breath Support	ADVANCED It is clear that you are using full, relaxed breaths while you are singing. This gives your voice energy and support.	PROFICIENT Make sure you are always taking tall, deep breaths when singing. Your energy comes from your breath!! Fill up with air at all times!	BASIC Your breathing is inconsistent and shallow. You cannot sing properly if you do not have air to work with. Try to take taller, deeper breaths and fill up with air!	
Sight-Singing	ADVANCED You have great skill in being able to see music on a page and bring it to life! Your pitches and rhythms were accurate. There were only very minor issues, if any at all!	PROFICIENT You are making great progress with your sight-singing! You have a good understanding of the basics and are only having slight difficulties with pitch or rhythm.	BASIC You are having difficulties with singing accurate pitches and rhythms based on the notes from the page. Try to make more of an effort during class to learn this skill!	