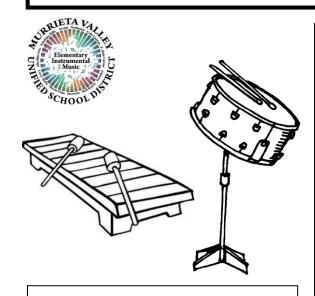
Directed Practice Guide -

The lessons below are used with "Essential Elements". Check off the box when you finish each item below. Your goal is to practice 2 hours each week.

Name



Basics

- ☐ Get Essential Elements Book 1
- ☐ Get Black Binder
- Get Instrument Accessories
- ☐ Read "The Basics" pages 2 and 3
- ☐ Demonstrate Proper Hand Position
- Demonstrate Proper Stick Placement
- Read "History of Percussion" on p.1

Performance

- All Music for December Concert
- Attend December Concert
- ☐ All Music for March Concert
- ☐ Attend March Concert
- ☐ All Music for District Concert
- ☐ Attend District Concert
- Successfully Completed ALL Lessons! Turn in the completed DPG to receive your certificate.

Bells Technique

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- ☐ F ☐ Eb ☐ D
- ☐ Quarter Note/Rest
- Alternate Sticking
- Double Sticking
- ☐ All Songs

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- □ C □ Bb
- ☐ Repeat Sign
- ☐ Time Signature
- ☐ Review the 5 notes
- All Songs
- ☐ Reading notes without writing them in

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- ☐ Half Note/Rest
- ☐ Breath Marks
- Combination Sticking
- ☐ All Songs

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- ☐ Whole Note/Rest
- ☐ Key Signature
- ☐ All Songs

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- ☐ High G
- ☐ Fermata
- ☐ All Songs

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- ☐ Low A
- Pick-up Notes
- Dynamics
- ☐ All Songs

Drum Technique

- ☐ All Songs (p.4-B)
- **☐** Bass Drum (p.5-B)
- ☐ All Songs (p.5-B)
- ☐ Alternate Sticking (p.6-A)
- ☐ All Songs (p.6-A/B)
- ☐ Multiple Bounce (p.7-A)
- ☐ All Songs (p.7-A/B)
- **☐** Flams (p.8-A)
- ☐ Triangle (p.8-B)
- ☐ All Songs (p.8-A/B)
- ☐ Eighth Notes/Rests (p.9-A)
- □ Double Sticking (p.9-A)
- ☐ Paradiddle (p.9-A)
- ☐ All Songs (p.9-A/B)
- ☐ Mltp. Bounce 8th (p.10-A)
- ☐ Suspended Cymbal (p.10-A)
- **☐** Wood Block (p.10-B)
- ☐ Crash Cymbals (p.10-B)
- ☐ All Songs (p.10-A/B)
- ☐ Flam Tap (p.11-A)
- **☐ Tambourine** (p.11-B)
- ☐ Sus. Cymb. Roll (p.11-B)
- ☐ All Songs (p.11-A/B)
- ☐ Ties (p.14-A)
- Dotted Half Note (p.14-A)
- ☐ ¾ Time Signature (p.15-A)
- ☐ Double Paradiddle (p.15-A)
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- ☐ Accent Markings (p.15-B)
- ☐ Flam Accent (p.15-A)
- ☐ Rim Shot (p.15-B)