



A quick note about copyright:

*It is VERY important that you observe copyright laws when searching for sheet music online.

* "A copyright is a legal device that gives the creator of a literary, artistic, musical, or other creative work the sole right to publish and sell that work".



Watch this video for more information about how copyright works in the music world!



Public Domain

A piece of music is considered public domain if:

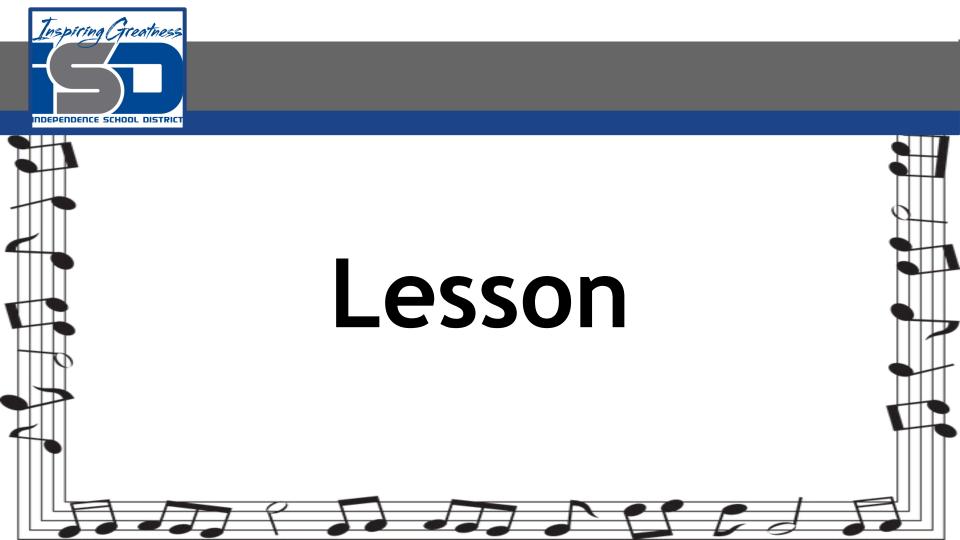
- The composer no longer has copyright OR
- The *publisher* no longer has copyright

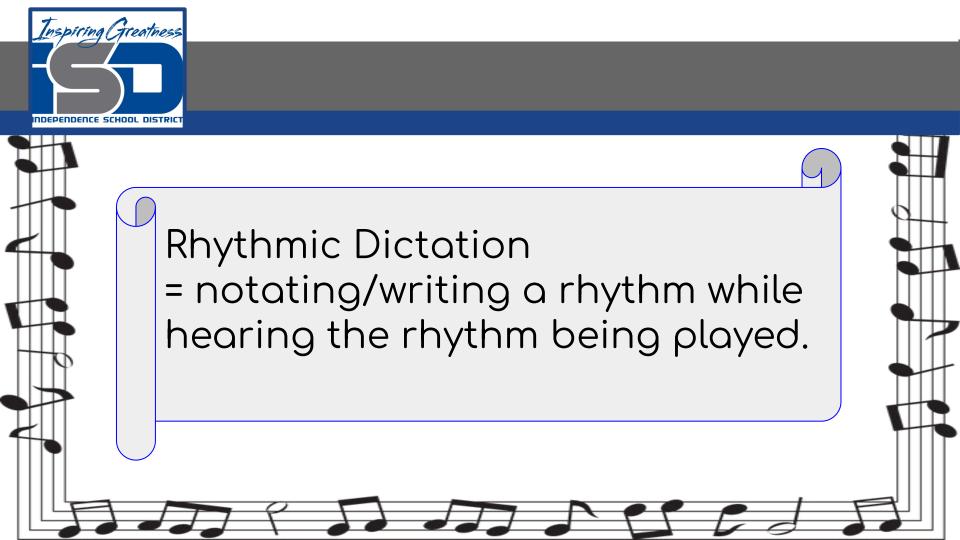
This usually happens because a work of music becomes public domain 70 years after the composer's death.

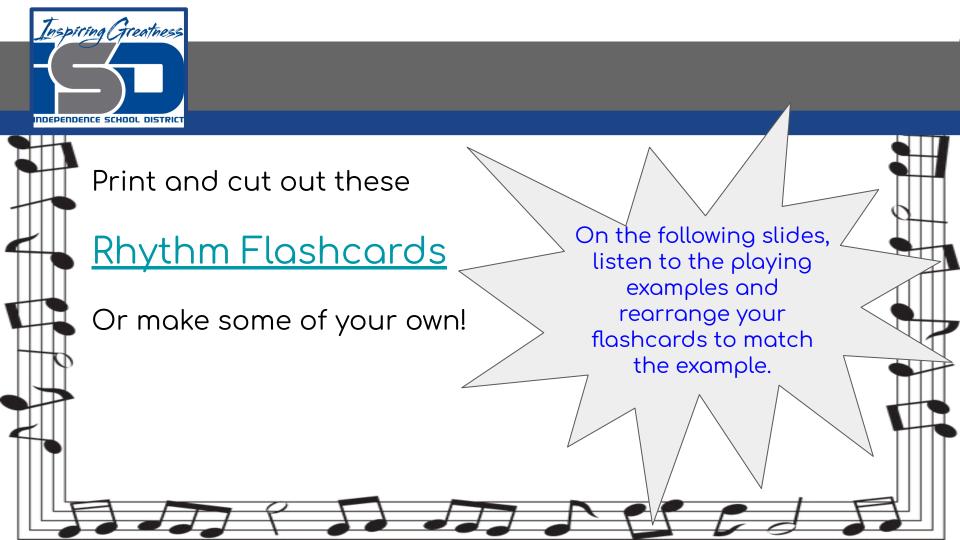
In the United States, most works published <u>before</u> 1923 are in the public domain.



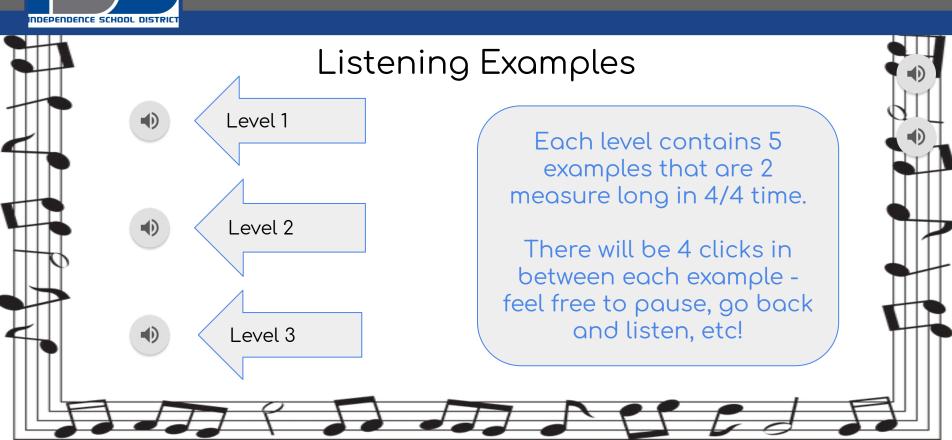














Dictation Challenge #1

Go back to the listening examples. Instead of rearranging flashcards, try to write out the rhythm as you listen to the listening examples. Use blank staff paper or a "rhythm stave" paper to write the rhythm.

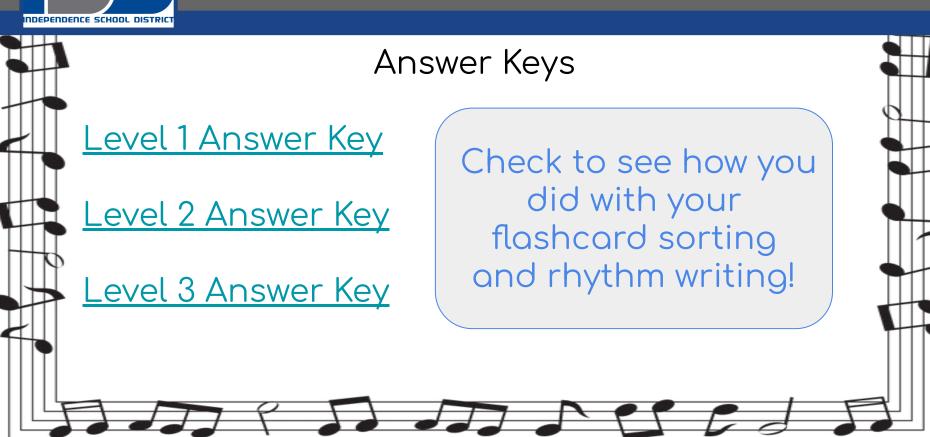
Free to print:

<u>Blank Sheet Music</u>

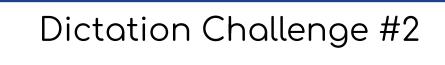
<u>Blank One Stave</u>
(Rhythm Line) Paper

This video shows a way to use a kind of "shorthand" to dictate rhythms! Try it out!



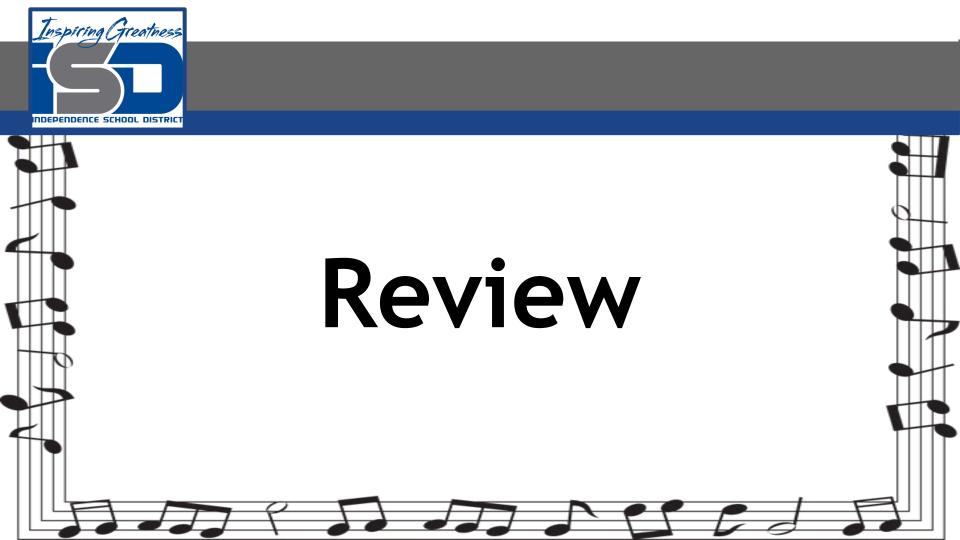


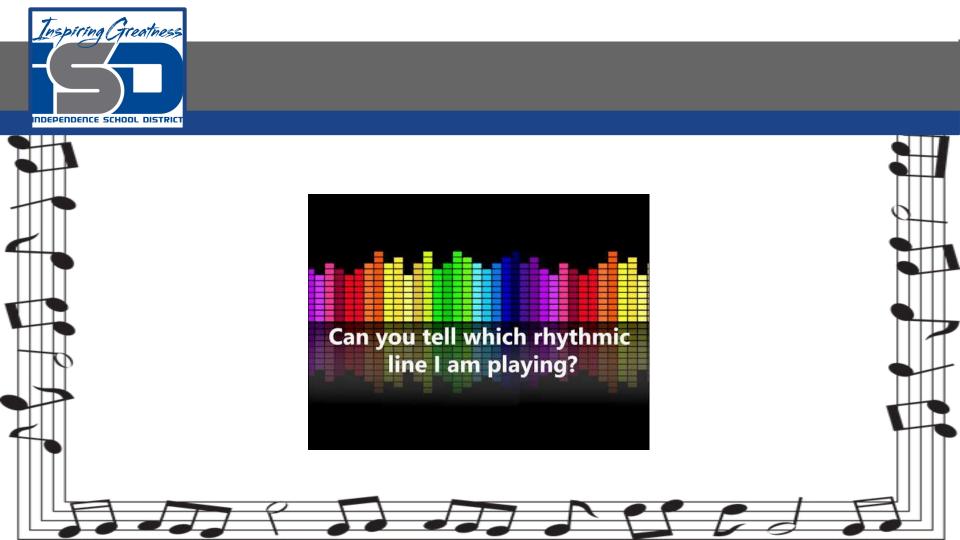


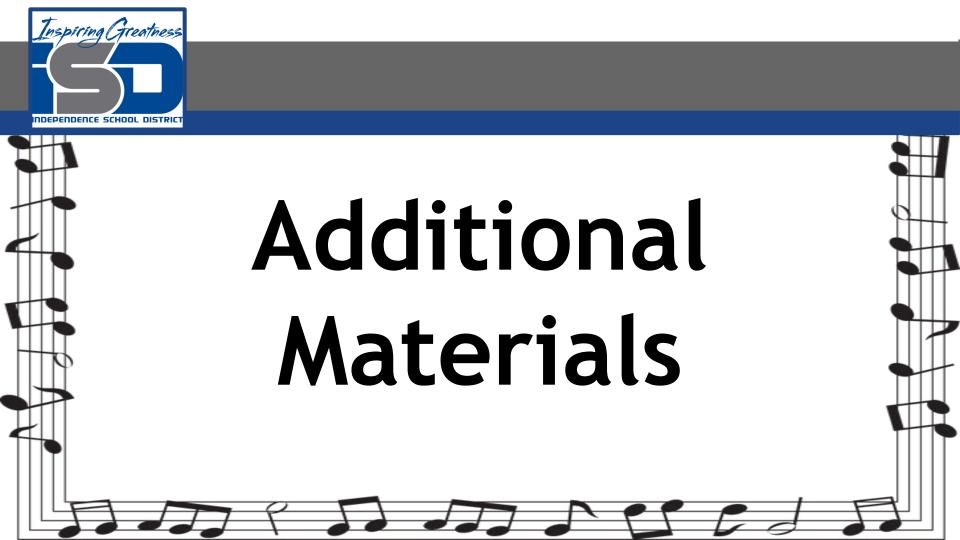


Can you <u>say</u> the rhythms? (1 and 2 and, etc.)

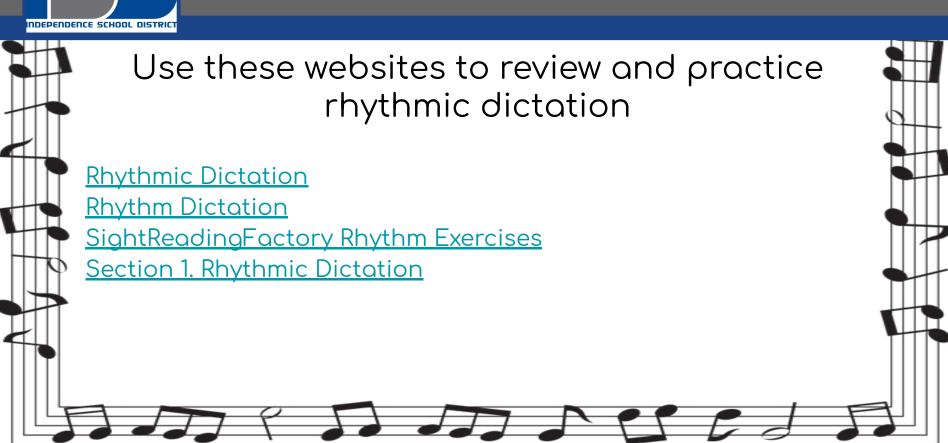
Go back to your rhythm flashcards, your written rhythms or the answer keys and practice saying the rhythms out loud or <u>playing</u> the rhythms as you say the counts!

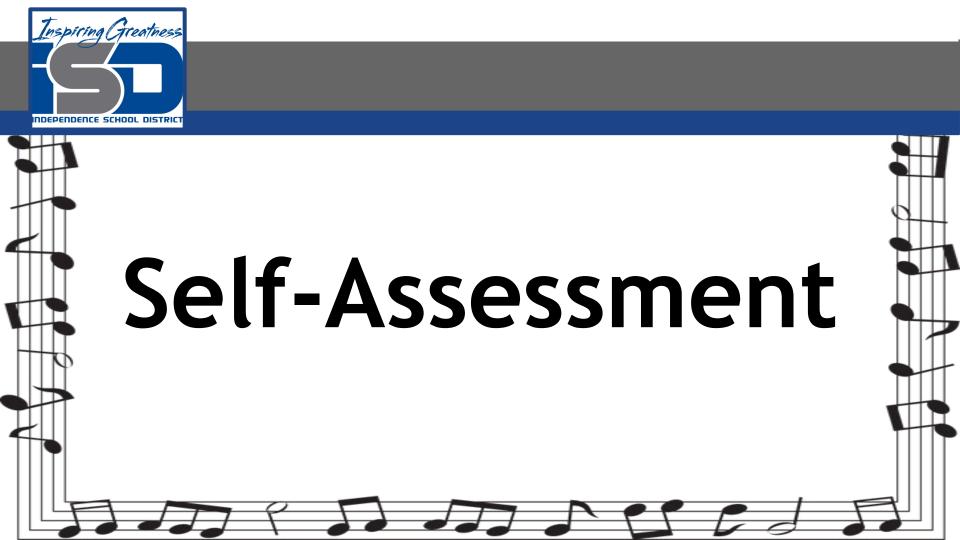














Go to www.therhythmtrainer.com

- Use <u>Mode A</u> to listen to rhythm examples and choose the correct rhythm.
- Use your flashcards as a possible resource!
- Use this website this summer to stay sharp on your rhythm skills!