P.S. 84 Lions

MUSIC NEWSLETTER

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Happy New Year!



Music at PS 84!

2019 ended with a bang with our annual Holiday Sing Along and ROARY awards featuring the PS84 Drumline and Choir, and we can't wait to keep the fun flowing with great things ahead in 2020!

Pre-K students practice rhythm cards every week to learn how to read rhythms in music using quarter notes, eighth notes, half notes, whole notes, and rests. Of course, we are moving our bodies to a steady beat every day and continue to explore our voices by matching pitch and lyrics to a variety of classroom songs.

Kindergarten students continue their piano studies by learning letter names in the Bass Clef (A, B, C) and Treble Clef (C, D, and E) while using half notes, whole notes, and quarter notes moving in steps and skips.

Students in grades three and four are moving on to the Building Blocks of the Music and the Brain curriculum by learning subdivision in triple meter, song forms and repetition, further expansion of intervals at the piano, and an introduction to Italian tempo markings. Follow us on instagram at **ps84music** to keep up to speed!

