

IF YOU CAN SING JOY TO THE WORLD

CLASS TEACHING OUTLINE

• WEEK I

PAGE POWERPOINT

Joy To The World

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Sing the first line, ask students to repeat. Point at notes as they are sung.

If the students read music, begin on page 1 and teach through page 12 as this section explains what signs in modern music are not used. Otherwise for week I begin on page 2, then jump to page 12.

Note Heads, Stems, Flags

12

3

Sing, point at notes, using modern notation and then the square notes.

Sing the correct rhythm of the carol, even when singing the round black note set.

Square Notes

13

5

Chant notes are not round, but look square.

DO & Fa Clefs

18

6

The Green large C shape signs are DO Clefs.

The Green line is DO. Always find DO. Do is like home plate in baseball. When you know where home plate is, you also know where first, second and third base are. When singing chant, always find DO.

Here look at the left column, and find which line is DO.

The black note is the note we sing.

Look at the right column.

What is the name of the note we sing? (SO)

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POWERPOINT OR FLASH CARDS

Review:

DO & FA Clefs

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Look at the left column, and find which line is DO.

The black note is the note we sing. Look at the right column. What is the note we sing? (SO)

DO & FA Clefs

19-20

Where is DO on each page, what is the name of the black note that we sing?

Teach:

FA Clef

21

9

There are only two clefs to learn, DO and FA. The clef may only be on a line, never a space. When DO is on a space between the lines, FA, here in RED, is on the FA line. Look at the column on the left. See FA? Find DO. What is the green note? (DO)

FA Clef moves & Neume

22

Look at the column on the left. See FA? Now, find DO. Where is DO, on a line or a space? DO is the first space above the bottom line. What is the name of the pitch of the black note, which we call a neume. [pronounced *NEWM*]

FA Clef

23

What is the name of the pitch of the neume?

DO

DO Clef

24

12

Which line is DO?

What are the names of the pitches of the neumes?

DO TI LA

DO Clef

25

13

Which line is DO?

What are the names of the pitches of the neumes?

DO TI LA

DO Clef

26

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Which line is DO?

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DO TI LA

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Review:		
FA Clef	23	22
What is the name of the pitch of the neume? Sing, students repeat.		DO
DO Clef	24-26	12-16
Which line is DO?		
What are the names of the pitches of the neumes?		DO TI LA
Teach:		
FA & DO Clef	27-29	17
Which line is DO?		
What are the names of the pitches of the neumes?		DO TI LA
THE INTERVALS OF CHANT		
Interval - half-step*	30	18
Just like reading sentences, sing neumes from left to right.		
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO TI DO
Intervals - minor third	31	19
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO TI LA DO
Intervals - minor third	32	20
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO TI LA DO
Intervals - minor third	33	21
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO LA TI DO
Intervals - perfect fourth	34	22,23
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO TI LA SO
Intervals - perfect fourth	35	24
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO SO LA TI DO
Intervals - perfect fourth	36	25,26
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO SO LA TI DO
Intervals - perfect fifth	37	27
Name, sing and point at the notes:		DO TI LA SO FA SO

**the name of the largest interval is here for reference of the teacher only.*

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Review:

Interval - half-step 30 18

Just like reading sentences, sing neumes from left to right.

Name, sing and point at the notes here and below when you sing and they repeat. DO TI DO

Intervals - minor third 31 19 DO TI LA DO

Intervals - perfect fourth 36 24 DO SO LA TI DO

Intervals - perfect fifth 37 27 DO TI LA SO FA SO

Teach:

Intervals - minor third 38 28 DO TI LA DO LA DO LA

Intervals - perfect fourth 39 29 DO TI LA SO DO SO DO SO

Intervals - perfect fourth 40 30 DO SO LA TI LA

Intervals - major sixth 41 31 DO LA SO FA MI RE DO

Intervals - perfect fourth 42 32 DO RE MI FA MI FA MI FA

Intervals - half step 43 33 (softly: do re mi) Sing - FA MI FA

Intervals - ascending thirds 44 34 DO MI RE FA MI SO FA

Intervals - perfect fourths 45 35 35 DO FA RE SO MI LA FA

Intervals - perfect fourths 46 36 DO RE FA MI FA LA SO

Intervals - perfect fifths 47 37 DO SO RE LA MI TI FA DO

Intervals - halfstep 48 38 FA MI FA MI FA MI FA

Intervals - perfect fifth 49 39 (softly: do) TI LA SO FA MI FA SO

ICEL Holy, Holy, Holy ICEL 40

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Review:

Intervals - ascending thirds	44	34	DO MI RE FA MI SO FA
Intervals - perfect fourths	45	36	DO FA RE SO MI LA FA
Intervals - perfect fifths	47	37	DO SO RE LA MI TI FA DO
Intervals - perfect fifth	49	39	(softly: do) TI LA SO FA MI FA SO

Teach:

Flat - TI becomes TE	50	41	RE MI FA SO LA TE LA
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Punctum* (poonk-tomb)	51	42	Sing note names first: DO TI TI TI TI
DO			

One note per syllable Sing the text: The Lord is my shepherd.

THE NEUME GROUPINGS OF CHANT

Syllabic vs. Melismatic	52	43
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Teach: There can be one note per syllable - Syllabic, or more than one, Melismatic.

TWO NOTES

Podatus (poh-dah-toos)	53	44	Sing note names: SO TI
Always sing bottom to top, two notes per syllable. Sing word: Lord			

Bistropha (buy-stroh-fah)	54	45	Sing note names: DOOOO
.			Sing word: Lord
Clivis (clih-vihs)	55	46	SO TI
			Sing word: Lord

THREE NOTES

Climacus (clih-mah-coos)	56	47	Sing note names: TI LA SO
Falling notes			Sing word: Lord

Torculus (tohr-coo-loos)	57	47	LA TI LA
			Sing word: Lord

Porrectus (poh-rec-toos)	58	47	TI SO LA
Line indicates first and second note, lines and spacs in between are not sung.			

			Sing word: Lord
Tristropha (try-stroh-fah)	59	50	LA
Three connected notes on one syllable, with a bit of bounce.			Sing word: Lord

ICEL Holy, Holy, Holy	ICEL	51
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Salicus (sal-ee-koos)	60	52	
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Teach:

RHYTHMS OF CHANT

Quilisma (kwil-lis-mah)	61	53	RE MI FA
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First note is longer than the second and third notes.

Liquescent (lih-khewe-scent)	62	54	RE RE LA LA
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Close the sound on the small neume.

AT THE END OF EVERY LINE

Custos (kooh-stohs)	63	55	
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It is helpful to see what the first note is on the next line of music.

This completes the basic notes and markings of chant section.

ICEL Holy, Holy, Holy	ICEL	56	
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ICEL Lamb Of God	ICEL	60	
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Teach:

RHYTHMS OF CHANT

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Liquescent (lih-khewe-scent	62	54	RE RE LA LA
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AT THE END OF EVERY LINE

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Teach:

EXPLORING RHYTHMS

Some notes are held for emphasis.	64	58
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Four Signs of holds or lengthenings.	65, 66	59,60
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All notes are even unless marked.	67	61
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Neumes that are lengthened.	68	62
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Write dot as reminder of hold.	69	63
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Lines above or below mean to hold.	70	64
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Horizontal Episema - (ep-ih-zee-mah)	71	65
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Quilisma - Squiggle after the held note.	72	69
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(kwill-is-mah)

Mark the Quilisma.	73	70
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Recognize the rare Salicus. (sah-lee-koos)	74	71
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Mark the Salicus.	75	72
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The Ictus, a controversial marking.	76	73
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ICEL Holy, Holy, Holy	ICEL	71
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ICEL Lamb Of God	ICEL	72
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ICEL Glory To God	ICEL	73
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Review:

Write dot as reminder of hold.	69	66
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Lines above or below mean to hold.	70	67
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Horizontal Episema - E.	71	68
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Quilisma - Squiggle after the held note.	72	69
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Recognize the rare Salicus.	74	71
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The Ictus, a controversial marking.	76	73
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TEACH:

HOW TO SING CHANT

Sing soft, sing loud.	77	79
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Understanding the *	77	80
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Lines that do and do not break chant.	78	81
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Reviewing chant markings.	79	82
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Chant markings.	80	83
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STUDY AND BEGIN SINGING:

A New Command	81	84
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Chant A New Command - marked	82	85
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Best taught line by line, singing and hearing the students sing it back.

ICEL Lamb Of God	ICEL	86
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ICEL Glory To God	ICEL	87
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Review:

Lines that do and do not break chant.	78	78
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Reviewing chant markings.	79	79
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Chant markings.	80	80
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STUDY AND BEGIN SINGING:

A New Command	81	81
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Chant A New Command - marked	82	82
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TEACH:

In all of these, identify where DO is, what the first note is, what the Custos is and any rhythm groups before singing in each session.

Where Charity...	91,92	90,91
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ICEL Glory To God	ICEL	92
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ICEL Our Father	ICEL	95
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- Week X

Review:

Chant A New Command - marked	82	82
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In all of these, identify where DO is, what the first note is, what the Custos is and any rhythm groups before singing in each session.

Where Charity...	91.92	90,91
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ICEL Glory To God	ICEL	92
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ICEL Our Father	ICEL	95
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Learn:

The Children...	97	93
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Hosanna To The Son...	96	97
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- Week XI

Review:

Where Charity...	91,92	90,91
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ICEL Glory To God	ICEL	92
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ICEL Our Father	ICEL	95
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The Children...	97	93
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Hosanna To The Son...	96	97
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Learn:

This Is My Body	97	99
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- Week XII

Review:

The Children...	97	93
Hosanna To The Son...	96	97

Learn:

This Is My Body	97	99
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Learn

The Lord Spake	94	100
Glory Be	92	101

This is an Introit.

Sing it to the || and then sing the Ps. (Psalm) verse that follows.

When finished, sing the Glory Be.

Then sing the Introit up to the || and stop.

Do not repeat the Psalm Verse.

In practice, if more music is needed additional psalm verses are added, then the Glory Be is sung followed by repeating the Beginning up to the || before the psalm.

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- Week XIII

Review:

Hosanna To The Son...	96	97
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The Children...	96	98
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This Is My Body	97	99
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The Lord Spake	94:	100
Glory Be	92	101

Pick favorites of the class to sing next week.

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Sing:

Favorites of the Chant selected by students.