**Music 9 and 10
Guitar**

**Objectives**

By the end of the class, you should be able to:

Level 1

1. Identify the strings on the guitar using numbers and letters.
2. Demonstrate proper posture and hand positioning.
3. Tune your guitar using a tuner or tuning app.
4. Demonstrate proper care of your guitar.
5. Demonstrate and play the chords G, Em, C, and D in that order.
6. Transition between chords G, Em, C, and D
7. Play strum patterns 1, 2, and 3 while maintaining a consistent tempo.
8. Play strum patterns 1, 2, and 3 while playing the G, Em, C, D chord progression
9. Play along with 1 song from the book using the chords G, Em, C, and D (the order does not matter).

Level 2

1. Play picking patterns 1, 2, and 3.
2. Play picking patterns 1, 2, and 3 using the chords G, Em, C, and D
3. Play picking patterns 1, 2, and 3 using the chord progression G, Em, C, and D
4. Play “Ode to Joy” from traditional notation.
5. Play “Happy Birthday” or “O Canada” from tab notation.

Level 3

1. Demonstrate and play the chords A, Am, E, and F
2. Play all chords with strum patterns 1, 2, and 3
3. Add one strumming pattern at a time as you master each.
4. Learn and play one song from the book that uses at least 5 different chords.