

Star levels and criteria are listed below. Participation is NOT mandatory. This program is mainly for Junior students. Senior students usually do not participate.

SUPER GOLD STAR: 20 Points

A Super Gold star is saved for something amazing. There has been an extra special effort. Something has really impressed me! (Extra theory, pieces memorized, musical playing that gives me goose bumps!) A very organized, musical and well-prepared lesson.

GOLD STAR: 15 Points

There has been a **Special effort. ALL assigned pieces are played VERY WELL.** Some may be memorized. Playing is **excellent and musical**. Theory is completed and it is **well done**. Assigned scales are played well **with correct fingering. All required practice time** is completed and noted on their chart (see Organizer).

SILVER STAR: 12 Points

There has been a very good effort, but not quite GOLD. Most assigned pieces are played well. Theory is completed. Assigned scales are good but still need some work. All required practice time is completed and noted on their chart.

BLUE STAR: 10 Points

There has been a **moderate effort**. Assigned pieces are better but some still need work. Theory is completed or almost completed. Assigned scales have improved but some still need work. Required practice time is completed or is almost completed. **1 point deducted if theory is not completed.**

RED STAR: 7 Points

There has been some effort, but there is room for improvement. Most assigned pieces need more work. Theory may not have been completed. Assigned scales need more work. Required practice time may not have been completed.

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