

	Hand Position	Fingering	Tone Quality	Articulation	Music Reading
E	Correct hand position	Student uses all correct fingerings for all notes	Student uses correct air and does not squeak	Student uses correct tonguing or slurring for all notes	Student plays all correct notes and rhythms
S	Correct hand position	Student uses nearly all correct fingerings	Student blows fast air and has some squeaks	Student uses almost all correct articulation	Student misses one or two notes or rhythms
N	Incorrect hand position	Student misses more than 3 fingerings	Student squeaks on many notes	Student does not articulate on many notes	Student misses more than 3 notes or rhythms
U	Incorrect hand position	Student misses nearly all fingerings	Student squeaks on nearly every note	Student uses no articulation	Student plays mostly all incorrect notes or rhythms