

Individual, Outside-Of-Class, Daily Practice Log

Student Name: John Smith

Date: 11/2/09

Day: Tuesday

Total Practice Time: 62 minutes (Must be 30 to 60 minutes of total practice time per day)

	Amount of Time Practiced	Detail of What Was Practiced & Comments
Tone Practice	10 minutes	Chromatic scale - entire range, whole notes through 16th notes, 1/4 note = 100bpm
Articulation Practice	5 minutes	8th notes staccato & legato on Bb, A & Db Major Scales. 1/4 note @ 80bpm up to 130bpm. Had difficulty @ 120bpm and faster.
Rhythm Practice	5 minutes	practiced 10 rhythms from Smuckers Rhythm Book on pages 10 & 11 @ 110bpm.
Range Practice	7 minutes	practiced altissimo up double B above staff. Solid sound up to A, but control of Bb and B not there yet. Also practiced overtone series up to 5th partial on Bb through Db.
Facility Practice	10 minutes	Practiced scale exercises from Beamer Scale Book, pages 9 & 13. Page 9 up to 90bpm. Page 13 up to 130bpm.
Band Music Practiced	10 minutes	practiced the march. Cleaned up the articulations in the trio. Improved the dynamic range in the 15th strain. Fixed releases in the Intro.
Other Music Practiced	15 minutes	Practiced etudes assigned for lessons and also practiced the first section the All-State honor band piece.
Individual Goals Achieved or Set	Need to spend more time on the All-State piece. Audition recording in 2 weeks. Want to get facility better.	

Parent/Guardian signature verifying practice time and completion of form:	<i>Mary Smith</i>
Parent/Guardian observation comments:	Johnny practiced for about a half hour, took a short break and then practiced some more. He sounds better and better the more he practices.