## **Lesson Plans** Tuesday, January 27-Friday, January 31 Wind Symphony: Period 1 What are we learning this week? Students will work on performing literature with proper breathing techniques Why are we learning this? Proper Breathing allows students to play their instruments with their full possible potential of tone quality How do we know we are learning this? Students will demonstrate great breathing techniques by participating in "The Breathing Gym" Monday Breathing Gym Warmup **Ancient Dialogue** Ritual Tuesday Breathing Gym Warmup Fire Dance Intermezzo Wednesday Breathing Gym Warmup Ancient Dialogue Ritual Thursday

Breathing Gym Warmup

Fire Dance

Intermezzo Friday Breathing Gym Quiz Run all Pieces of Music Monarch Men: Period 6 What are we learning this week? Students will work on performance skills in preparation for an upcoming concert. (February 13) Why are we learning this? Learning how to perform on stage can be just as important as learning what to perform. How do we know we are learning this? Students will practice singing with proper blocking as well as proper singing. Monday The Quest Unending-Rehearse Trouble Sections Glory-Blocking Tuesday The Quest Unending-Rehearse Trouble Sections Unclouded Day-Song Meaning? Wednesday The Quest Unending-Full Run Glory-Finish Blocking Thursday Unclouded Day-Fix Trouble Spots The Quest Unending-Memorized Friday

-Review all pieces memorized