

East Carolina University *School of Music*

Dear Prospective Graduate Student,

As part of the admission process for the degree of Master of Music Education, a required writing sample is being requested of you. You should read the attached article and write a summary in which you will show 1) your understanding of the article, 2) your use of proper English, and 3) your ability to take information from a website to produce a proper citation in APA style format.

Please read the article and write in your own words a review of each section of the article (the Introduction, Method, Results, and Discussion). At this point, you are not expected to fully understand or comment on the statistical procedures used in the article, however, you should focus comments on the results of the study and what the researcher states that the statistics show. Please cover the most salient points and use your best English in completing this review.

In addition, academic writing in music education requires the use of APA style formatting. At the end of your review, please cite the article in APA format. Please refer to the American Psychological Association manual, edition 6. Include a title page in APA format with the title of “VanWeeldon and Whipple Article Review for Admission to Master of Music Education Degree” and your name.

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