

Comparison of 1994 and 2014 National Standards

	1994 National Standards	2014 National Standards
Focus	Skills & Knowledge	Understanding, Independence, & Music Literacy
Structure	9 Content Standards	Strands, Artistic Processes, Anchor Standards, & Process Components
Outcome	Achievement Standards (25-34 per level)	Performance Standards (13-19 per level)
Connections	To Other Arts To Other Subjects	Anchor Standards that are connected across all Arts forms
Assessment	Separate Publications	Model Cornerstone Assessments & Benchmarked Student Work

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