**Jazz Ensemble/Jazz Lab Band Curriculum 2017-2018**

**Essentially Ellington 2017-2018**

Banquet Scene (from Timon of Athens) - Ellington

Blue Minor - Chick Webb

Harlem Congo - Chick Webb

I Ain’t Got Nothin’ But the Blues - Ellington

Lindy Hopper’s Delight - Ella Fitzgerald

Liza (All the Clouds’ll Roll Away) - Ellington

Ready, Go! (from Toot Suite) - Ellington

The Sheik of Araby - Ellington

**Medium Swing**

Anitra’s Dance – Ellington

Basie Straight Ahead – Basie

Better Get Hit in Your Soul – Mingus

Big Dipper – Thad Jones

Christopher Columbus – arr. Bob Mintzer

Corner Pocket (Until I Met You) – Basie

Critic’s Choice – Oliver Nelson

Decoupage – Kenton/arr. Levy

Down South Camp Meetin’ – Benny Goodman

Fables of Faubus - Mingus

Four, Five, Six – Basie

Greazy Rider – David Metzger

I Can’t Stop Loving You – Basie

Jump For Joy – Ellington

Moanin’ – Mingus

Nostalgia in Times Square - Mingus

Portrait of Louis Armstrong – Ellington

Roll Em’ – M.L. Williams/arr. Benny Goodman

Second Line (New Orleans Suite) – Ellington

The Queen Bee - Basie

Things Ain’t What They Used to Be – Ellington

**Up-Tempo Swing**

Cottontail – Ellington

Time Check – Buddy Rich

Ya Gotta Try – Nestico

Night Flight - Nestico

**Ballads**

Always and Forever – Metheny/arr. Curnow

Back Home Again in Indiana – arr. Clayton

Back in Time – Pat Metheny/arr. Curnow

Penthouse Dawn – Oliver Nelson

Prelude to a Kiss – Ellington

Star-Crossed Lovers– Ellington

Too Soon Tomorrow – Metheny/arr. Curnow

**Rock/Latin**

Acha – Mintzer

Act Your Age – Gordon Goodwin

El Caborojeno – Mintzer

Hands Off – Matt Harris

Mira, Mira – Matt Harris

Oclupaca – Ellington/arr. Mossman

Samba Dees Gotta Do It – Tom Kubis

The Chicken – arr. Kris Berg

There’s the Rub – Gordon Goodwin

**Jazz Lab Band**

Whisper Not - Vince Norman

Stolen Moments - Oliver Nelson/arr. Blair

Afro Blue - arr. Sweeney

Blues in Hoss Flat - Foster/arr. Taylor

Doxy - arr. Taylor

Manteca - arr. Owens

*Don’t Get Sassy in F - Carubia*

*A Child is Born - Thad Jones/arr. Carubia*

*The Funk Stops Here - Rich DeRosa*

Sonnymoon for Two - arr. Owens

Cold Duck Time - Harris/arr. Taylor

Blue Monk - Thelonius Monk/arr. Sweeney

Straight No Chaser - arr. Rick Stitzel

Grooved Pavement - Victor Lopez

Hot House - Dameron/arr. Cooper

**Jazz Ensemble 17-18**

| **Term 1**  **Medium Swing**  Greazy Rider  Christopher Columbus  Big Dipper  I Cant Stop Loving You  **Up Swing**  Ya Gotta Try  **Ellington**  Anitra’s Dance  Things Aint What They  Portrait of Louis  Second Line (from New Orleans Suite)  **Mingus**  Better Get Hit In Your Soul  **Ballads**  Back in Time  Star-Crossed Lovers  **Latin/Rock**  Mira, Mira  Act Your Age  Acha | **Term 2**  Critic’s Choice  Basie Straight Ahead  Cottontail  Banquet Scene  Blue Minor  Harlem Congo  I Ain’t Got Nothin’  Lindy Hopper’s Delight  Liza  Ready, Go!  The Sheik of Araby  Moanin’  Prelude to a Kiss  Always and Forever  El Caborojeno  Hands Off | **Term 3**  Corner Pocket  The Queen Bee  Decoupage  Time Check  Jump For Joy  Nostalgia in Times Square  Penthouse Dawn  Too Soon Tomorrow  Samba Dees Gotta  There’s The Rub | **Term 4**  Four Five Six  Down South Camp  Roll Em’  Night Flight  Fables of Faubus  Back Home in Indiana  Oclupaca  The Chicken |
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