

Requirements for Position of “Dreng” or Young Warrior

Rank 4: Dreng; 6th Grade Marking Period 4

Play the following exercises on Smartmusic from Standard of Excellence Book I. You must score 93% or better to pass the requirement for rank advancement. Percussion will record both bells and drums for each exercise in smartmusic.

1. #120
2. #121
3. #136
4. Pass the Advanced Fingering Test with an 80% or higher.
5. #118 (Clarinets Only)
6. #125 (Clarinets Only)
7. Pass the Time signature test with an 80% or higher.
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SmartMusic Procedures:

1. From the Desktop of the computer, Double click the **Smartmusic 10** icon to open Smartmusic
2. Check your microphone placement and level in the first screen the click the **Next** button.
3. On the following screen, click **Finished**.
4. On the main Smartmusic screen, click the **assignment** button or go the the **assignment** menu and choose “assignment...”.
5. enter your login email and password.
6. Choose an assignment to practice by clicking once on the assignment name then click the **open** button.
7. Practice your assignment then either submit it, try again or save your performance for to decide to submit it later or not.
8. When you are finished, click the **assignment** button again and choose **Logout**.

Your grade for the marking period will be calculated by averaging your score for these exercises and quizzes according to the grade rationale.

Other Options:

5 points of Extra Credit may be earned toward your grade by completing 2 weeks of practice records. These only will be applied to the current marking period. Other Extra Credit is available. See Mr. Miller. See the grade rationale for Details.

What is a Dreng?

Chances are if you were a landowner (bondi or Odalbondi) in Viking times you were the men who tilled land and raised stock, bore witness and produced verdicts, said aye or no on matters of public concern at the public meeting or Thing *pronounced “tin”* (including matters as important as the election of a king or a change of religion), attended religious and lay ceremonies, made and bore weapons, manned ships, served in levies, were conscious of their dues and worth, and so impressed these upon others that as a free peasantry you stood in a class of their own in Europe. You might find yourself on a Viking ship as a warrior and sailor, one of the facets of Viking history most well known. There was very little formal structure by way of military rank in Viking armies. As a rule the term **Dreng** is applied to a young warrior.

“Viking Social Organization” *Regia Anglorum*
<http://www.regia.org/viking2.htm>
[Accessed, August 4, 2004]

“Viking Military Organization” *Regia Anglorum*
<http://www.regia.org/viking3.htm>
[Accessed August 5, 2004]