

**The Songwriting Process**

**Rubric: Lesson 5 – Share Out**

**Musical Theater Composition**

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| **Criterion** | **Not Evident (0)** | **Beginning (1)** | **Intermediate (2)** | **Advanced (3)** |
| **CONCEPT:** Original composition (song) set out a clear problem, situation, or observation. |  |  |  |  |
| **STORY:** Original composition (song) established one or multiple point(s) of view, revealed a character, and creates a smooth progression of experiences or events to tell a story. |  |  |  |  |
| **LYRICS:** are poetic, incorporating precise words and phrases, telling details, and sensory language. |  |  |  |  |
| **MUSIC:** short musical ideas (rhythms, melodies, and sounds) support the story in both style and tone. |  |  |  |  |
| **PRODUCTION:** Original composition (song) contains at least (1) verse and (1) chorus. |  |  |  |  |

**Total:** \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ / 15 points