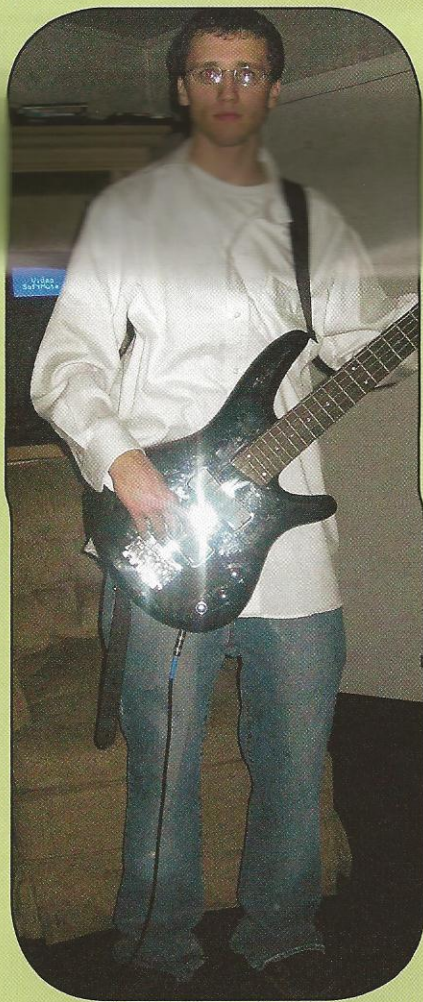


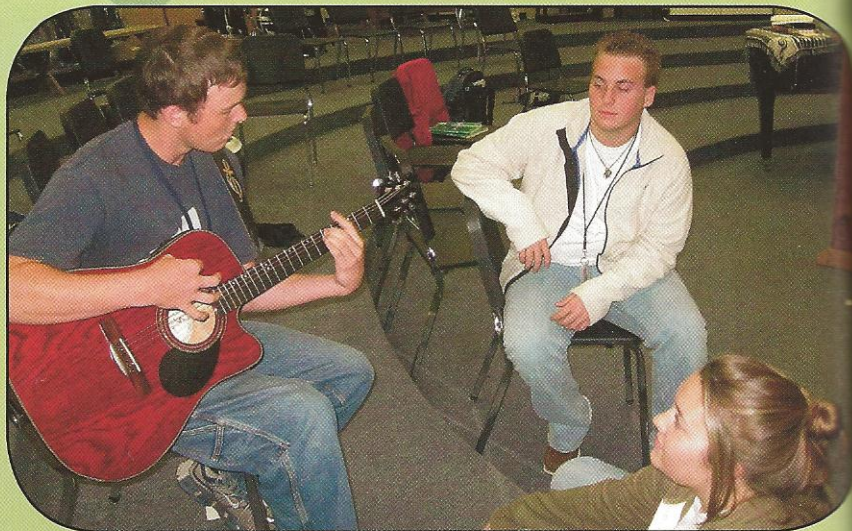
# Just a Line in a Song



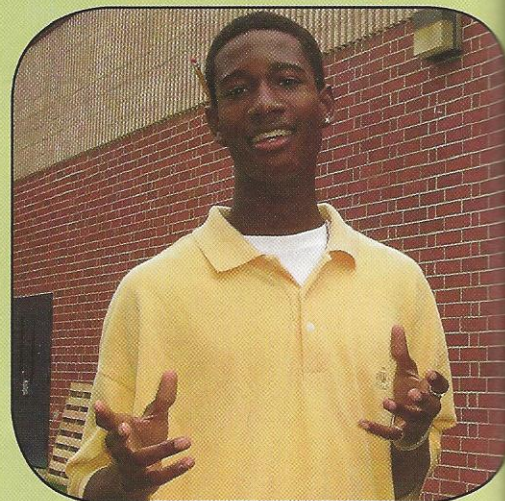
Senior Brandon Rivers rocked out on his bass guitar Friday night showing his own style of playing music. "I think originality is what makes a good band because too many people are doing the same thing and it looks good to stand out," Brandon said.

Music has been around for years and years, influencing the way people live and think. "When I listen to rap I would get in an excited and better mood, but if I were to listen to Blue October I would get depressed," sophomore Kalyn Douglas said. Whether music was sung, played on an instrument, or simply listened to, it impacted students' thoughts in all kinds of ways. "Music helps me focus on my work outside of school," junior Heidi Schmidt said. When people can look back and reflect on their past, certain songs can bring back so many memories. When heard, the songs of their day may take people back to a memorable time where feelings and emotions played unquestionable roles in their lives.

- Tabitha Spahn



On his acoustic guitar senior Marcus Tippins played songs by his favorite male artist Josh Turner. "My favorite male artist is Josh Turner because he has a different tone of voice than most people because it is a deeper sound," Marcus said.



Senior Rashad Towns sang his favorite song to classmates outside to show them how it relates to life. "The song that means a lot to me is 'Yesterday' by Boys 2 Men because it reminds me of all the good times that I had in high school," Rashad said.

How do you listen to music?

