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## Press Release

### Local Music Educator conference presenter

Moorhead, Minnesota, (date): \_\_\_\_\_ music teacher at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ was a presenter at the Organization of American Kodály  
Educators (OAKE) National Conference in \_\_\_\_\_. She/he led a session on  
\_\_\_\_\_. OAKE is an organization of music educators with a growing membership of  
1600 who promote the philosophy of music education inspired by the Hungarian composer  
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### Local Music Educator conference attendee

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\_\_\_\_\_ attended the Organization of American Kodály Educators  
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### Local Music Educator Elected to National Board

Moorhead, Minnesota, (date): \_\_\_\_\_ music teacher at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ was elected to the National Board of Directors of the  
Organization of American Kodály Educators (OAKE). \_\_\_\_\_ will serve as \_\_\_\_\_ for  
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## Press Release

### Local Music Educator Recognized by OAKE

Moorhead, Minnesota, (date): \_\_\_\_\_ music teacher at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ was named \_\_\_\_\_ by the Organization of American  
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### Local Student Recognized by OAKE

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of \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ was named to the \_\_\_\_\_ by the  
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### Local Music Educator Elected (position)

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\_\_\_\_\_ was elected (position) \_\_\_\_\_ of the Organization of  
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### Local School Administrator Recognized by OAKE

Moorhead, Minnesota, (date): \_\_\_\_\_ administrator at \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ was honored with an Administrator Certificate of Recognition at  
the Organization of American Kodály Educators (OAKE) National Conference in \_\_\_\_\_.  
This honor was given for his/her support of the Kodály philosophy of music education. OAKE is  
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