

ELEMENTARY & MIDDLE SCHOOL MUSIC PROGRAMS



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Dalcroze Eurhythmics

Dalcroze Education is a unique and powerful foundation in music for individuals of all ages and levels of musicianship. In this method theory always follows practice; musical concepts are felt intuitively in the body in multifaceted ways before the process of cognitive analysis begins. Musical concepts are explored through social, interactive and experiential methods that invite the students to trust their ideas, develop their own intuition, and create a meaningful musical vocabulary.



Introduction to Eurhythmics

This six-week course is designed to introduce younger students to Eurhythmics and also offers an opportunity to try the course for those who are not ready to make a year-long commitment. Instructor: Katie Couch

Ages: 3-7
Day & Time: Fridays, 3:30pm-4:15pm
Fall: October 18-November 22 (6 classes)
Winter: January 10-February 14 (6 classes)
Spring: April 11-May 16 (6 classes)
Tuition: \$75/term

Rounds and More for Strings

String students will develop ensemble-playing and note-reading skills using rounds, canons, and duet/trio arrangements. Music will be distributed before each class and unfamiliar compositions will be read at each session. One year of private lessons and basic level note-reading is required.

Ages: 9 and up
Day: Fridays
Time: 5:30pm-6:30pm
Fall: September 27, October 18, November 15
Winter/Spring: January 17, February 21, March 21, April 11, May 9
Tuition: Fall - \$40. Winter/Spring - \$65
Instructor: Sarah Murray

**CMA offers private lessons on all
Instruments and voice as well as Jazz
Improvisation, Broadway Singing for Teens,
and Music Therapy. Don't forget to ask about
our Instrument Bank! COMusic.org**

After School Beginner Ukulele Group

If you have ever wanted to learn to play the ukulele this six-week class is for you! No prior musical experience is necessary. You will learn to strum basic chords common in many songs. Bring your own ukulele or rent one from CMA, pending availability.

Ages: 8-11
Day & Time: Fridays, 3:30pm-4:30pm
Fall: September 20-October 25 (6 classes)
Winter: February 7-March 14 (6 classes)
Spring: April 4-May 9 (6 classes)
Tuition: \$60/term
Instructors: Michael Quam

C's Jazz: Improvisation & Combo

This class explores jazz improvisation techniques using the small group format. Materials (Aebersold Play-Along Series) are included in the tuition. Instructor: Steve Christopher

Ages: Middle school and up, at least one year of playing
Day & Time: Thursdays, 4:10pm-5:00pm
Winter: January 16-March 6 (8 classes)
Spring: March 13-May 8 (8 classes)
Tuition: \$85/term

Learn to Jam - Bluegrass Style

Led by a professional bluegrass musician who is also a professional teacher, this group class will teach folks how to "jam" in a bluegrass setting. Basic music theory and bluegrass roles and rules are taught in a safe and encouraging environment geared toward beginners learning to play bluegrass music together. All bluegrass instruments are welcome: violin/fiddle, guitar, banjo, mandolin, and bass. *You can pay the drop-in fee and attend when it fits your schedule or save up to 18% by registering for a full term!*

Ages: Beginner level, not geared to young kids but everyone welcome!
Day & Time: Thursdays, 5:30pm-7:00pm
Fall: August 27-December 17 (16 classes)
Winter/Spring: January 7-May 20 (19 classes)
Tuition: Drop-in - \$20/\$15 for additional family members
Fall - \$270. Winter/Spring - \$320
Instructors: Mike Finders and guests

**Music for All... For Life!
Tuition assistance available.**