

Private Lesson Registration Form

Student Name _____

Adult _____ if youth, age _____ Grade _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Home Phone: _____

Parent's Cell Phone: _____

Email Address: _____

Are you connected to a church? _____

If yes, church name: _____

Proposed Study (instrument):

Prior Years Experience _____

Checks should be made out to PFUMC.

Mail Registration form and any academy correspondence to:

Plymouth First United Methodist Church
45201 N. Territorial Rd. Plymouth, MI 48170
Attn: Fine Arts Academy Coordinator

PFUMC may post a video or photograph and/or video of me or my child on the church's website or use a photograph of me or my child in their publications or social media postings. I understand that photos will not be labeled with names.

Yes _____ No _____

Signature _____

Fall 2022- 16 Weeks

Please Register by Tuesday, September 6

Semester Begins Tuesday, September 13

Make up Days November 22-23

Christmas Break December 25-31

Semester Ends Wednesday, January 11

Recital Sunday, January 15, 2 pm

Make up Days January 17 & 18

Winter 2023 - 16 Weeks

Please Register by Tuesday, January 17

Semester Begins Tuesday, January 24

Spring Break March 26-April 1

Semester Ends Wednesday, May 17

Recital Sunday, May 21, 2 pm

Make up Days May 23 & 24

Break May 28 - June 10

Summer 2023 - 10 Weeks

Please register by Tuesday, June 6

Semester Begins Tuesday, June 13

Semester Ends August 16

Make up Days Aug 22 & 23

Academy Staff

We offer lessons in piano, voice, guitar, ukulele, mandolin, violin, viola, cello, string bass and electric bass.

Linda Ignagni

Wayne State University
Teaches violin and viola

Mark McCoy

Joe Fava Conservatory of Guitar
Teaches guitar, ukulele & mandolin

Christopher Rose

MA Music Education, University of Wisconsin
Doctor of Musical Arts, Bass Performance Arizona State
Teaches cello, string bass and electric bass

Barbara Yeatermeyer

BA Music & Theater
Metropolitan State College, Denver
MA Voice Performance, Denver University
Teaches piano and voice

Angel Tan

BA Piano Performance SUNY Potsdam
MA Music Education SUNY Fredonia
Teaches Piano - Summer Semester only

Academy Director

Dr. Marcia Van Oyen
DMA University of Michigan
Minister of Music, Worship & Fine Arts

Academy Coordinator

Barbara Levengood

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Fine Arts Academy

We nurture budding musicians of all ages

2022- 2023

PRIVATE
MUSIC LESSONS
ages 7 - adult

Est. 2007

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Mission Statement

The mission of the Music@1st Fine Arts Academy is to provide quality music instruction for children, youth and adults in a welcoming, nurturing environment. Our goal is to help students develop their musical gifts and provide opportunities for them to share their music in recital performances, worship services, and at special outreach events.

The Academy is a non-profit entity which operates under the umbrella of the Plymouth First United Methodist Church music ministry and is part of our connection to the surrounding community.

Enrollment and Instruction

Private study is offered in piano, voice, guitar, mandolin, ukulele, violin, viola, cello, string bass, electric bass, and other instruments as requested. For the Fall Semester, in person lessons will be offered Tuesday-Wednesday on a weekly basis in 30 and 45 minute blocks. For more advanced students we offer 60 minute lessons.

End of Semester Recitals

It is important for students to hear other students play. There is also great value in students performing in public. By committing to a semester of study a student is agreeing to attend and perform at the end of semester recitals and should plan to remain for the entire time. Adult students are not required to perform on recitals. Exceptions are at the discretion of the teacher or Academy Director.

Lessons & Scheduling

To provide consistency and an atmosphere conducive to learning, all Academy lessons are taught at Plymouth First United Methodist Church, Plymouth, MI.

During the enrollment process, each student will be assigned an instructor. The student or parent of the student will then be contacted to confirm a convenient lesson time. Once a lesson time is established please plan to continue through the semester with that time to help us maintain a consistent schedule for all students.

Make Up Policy

We consider your private lesson time as a standing appointment. If the teacher has to miss a lesson, it will be made up. If the teacher misses other lessons, credit will be issued to the student's account. If the student misses a lesson, 24 hour notice is required. However, if a student wakes up ill on a lesson morning, please **CALL THE TEACHER before 9:00 am** as messages cannot always be relayed through the church office. Under these circumstances, (with proper prior notice) the teacher will make up ONE lesson per student per semester.

Weather Cancellation Policy

When Plymouth-Canton Schools are closed due to bad weather conditions, in person lessons are cancelled. Make ups will be scheduled where possible. If not, credit will be issued to the student's account.

Tuition

Fine Arts Academy tuition covers all lessons. Lesson books and other materials are not covered by tuition. The general cost of books is \$25 per semester. An accompanist fee of \$35 will be charged for vocal students which covers both the dress rehearsal and recital. Staff Accompanist is Karen Johnson 734-558-2694

Private Tuition

| | Beginners | Advanced |
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| | 30 minute | 45 minute |

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| Fall & Winter | 16 Lessons | \$448 | \$624 |
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| Summer | 10 Lessons | \$280 | \$390 |
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We offer the following payment schedule.

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| Fall & Winter | 3 payments | \$155 | \$215 |
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| Summer | 2 payments | \$150 | \$200 |
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60 minute lessons are available for advanced students .
\$864 for Fall & Winter and \$540 for Summer

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Note: If making payments, please remit them at the first lesson of each month.

Instrument Policy

Students should be able to practice on an instrument that facilitates progress. String instruments should be fitted to the individual and may need upgrading as the child grows. Piano students are encouraged to practice on an acoustic piano or keyboard with full size weighted keys in order to develop proper technique. The director and teachers are happy to recommend dealers for new, used or rental instruments.

Why choose Music @ 1st Fine Arts Academy

1. Recitals provide performance opportunities for students
2. Pleasant waiting areas - Garden Café , playground, comfy chairs
3. Great parking with easy access
4. Opportunities for families to witness progress
5. No sound bleed between lesson rooms
6. Need & merit based scholarships are available

* Jon Hord Memorial Scholarship

* Nancy Whitecar Piano Scholarship

Contact Academy Coordinator,

Barbara Levengood for details

734-453-5280 ext 112

fineartsacademy@pfumc.org

Registration & Policies

To begin the enrollment process, new students are invited to contact the Coordinator, complete a registration form and enrollment agreement and submit along with tuition payment on or before the registration deadline.