

MUSIC SYNCHRONOUS ONLINE LEARNING:

TK-Kindergarten Music

Children are born with musical abilities that should be developed as early as possible. St. Catherine of Alexandria's first aim in music education is to instill a love of music in every child. We believe by exposing students at a young age, they are able to build capacities that closely link development in other curriculum areas like language, reading, writing and mathematics. Tk-K grade levels will meet one time a week for 30 minutes. Materials needed 4 pieces musical hand percussion instrument set, includes 1 Pair 8 inch rhythm sticks wood claves and 1 pair wood egg shaker.

1st-3rd Grade Music Recorders

Learning to play recorders as their first instrument makes it easier for students to tackle more challenging wind instruments in concert band (4th and up). Playing the recorder introduces students to a new, universal language of music which includes: reading rhythms, music notes, music notation and other skills that can be used for the rest of their lives. 1st and 2nd graders will meet 2 times a week combined. 3rd graders will meet 2 times a week for 30 minutes each plus 1 day of 40 minutes of tutoring a week.

4th Grade Beginning Band

Fourth grade band students are able to choose a wind or percussion instrument. Instruments of choice are Flute, Clarinet, Alto Sax, French Horn, Trumpet, Trombone, Electric Bass Guitar, Xylophone or Percussion. They have an option to rent/buy their own instrument or borrow from a few lender instrument the school owns. This year will be an introduction of caring for and putting together their instruments. Students will also learn to read notation, theory and rhythms corresponding to their new instrument of choice. Materials need will be "Standard Of Excellence" book one, color red. They will begin their journey of their personal voice through instruments and their first steps towards achieving the many personal benefits of playing a musical instrument. Beginning band will meet 2 times a week for 30 minutes a day plus 4 times of 40 mins each split section classes of tutoring with combined 5th graders.



5th Grade Second Year Beginning Band

Second year beginning band is a continuation of the fundamental skills learned in the fourth grade. Students will be introduced to more challenging notes, music notation, theory, rhythms, harmony and songs. They will be expected to play more independent melodies and rhythms simultaneously, as well as together as an ensemble. They will continue on their "Standard Of Excellence" Book one, color red. Fifth grade meets 2 times a week for 30 minutes a day plus 4 times of 40 mins each split section classes of tutoring with combined 5th graders.

6th-8th Grade Concert Band and Choir

Grades 6th-8th will have the choice to continue with concert band online or begin choir/theory/music appreciation. All 6th-8th graders that choose choir/theory/music appreciation will meet twice a week with their respective grade level only for 30 minutes a day. Students will be exposed to more artist, songs, theory, rhythms. All other materials will be posted on google classroom. All 6th-8th graders that choose band will be exposed to group/individual tutoring 6 times of 40 mins each in split section classes. Materials expected for 6th-8th grade concert band students will be "Standard Of Excellence" book one color red or book two color blue. All other materials will be posted on google classroom. This group will be a stepping stone for all 6th-8th grade students to move into challenging music repertoire for their personal musical growth.

**PLEASE FEEL FREE TO CONTACT ME IF
YOU HAVE ANY FURTHER QUESTIONS.**

GOD BLESS

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ST. CECILIA VIRGIN, MARTYR, PATRONESS OF CHURCH MUSIC



**"Arise, soldiers of Christ, throw away
the works of darkness and put on
the armor of light."**

Saint Cecilia

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St. Catherine of Alexandria School not only provides a Christ-center Catholic environment where we challenge our students academically, we also provide strong music curriculum which offers a sacred experience drawing on time, space, feel and relationship. Music making provides the opportunity for a personal, social and spiritual connection with each other and God. Educational individuality is formed through the arts, and spirituality in music. Music is a means in which students self discover their identities.

MUSIC COURSE MATERIALS;

GRADES: TK- KINDERGARTEN

4 Piece Musical Hand Percussion Instrument Set

Grades: 1st-3rd

Recorder Instrument & Recorder Express Book

GRADE: 4TH

Learning new instrument of choice & Standard of Excellence Book 1

GRADE: 5TH

2 year with instrument of choice, Standard of Excellence Book 1

Grades: 6Th-8TH

Band: Standard of Excellence Book 1 & 2 if needed.

Choir: Materials will be provided on google classroom.



Music is an important part of worship and praise to God. He created us to be instruments with the ability to sing and make music.

“addressing one another in psalms and hymns and spiritual songs, singing and playing to the Lord in your hearts”

Psalm 95:1

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MUSIC PROGRAM

SAINT CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA PARISH SCHOOL



*Glorious Saint Catherine, virgin and martyr,
help me to imitate your love of purity.
Give me strength and courage
in fighting off the temptations of the world and evil
desires.
Help me to love God with my whole heart
and serve Him faithfully.
O Saint Catherine,
through your glorious martyrdom for the love of
Christ,
help me to be loyal to my faith and my God*

ST. CATHERINE OF ALEXANDRIA

