



About our Children's Music Awareness Program

Our mission is to help children DISCOVER music and DEVELOP musical skills. Scholarships are awarded to children ages 5 to 16 to assist with music lessons for one year. We want them to have exposure to music lessons and to instruments at an early age and be granted the opportunity if it is not affordable.

WHY IS MUSIC IMPORTANT FOR CHILDREN?

Music encourages the ability to listen and focus. Music aids in their brain development. Through music, children learn to hear tempos, dynamics, and melodies. Listening for loud and soft, up and down, fast and slow encourages auditory development in the brain. A simple song can include basic math skills such as counting, repeating patterns, and sequencing. Children naturally respond to music by moving and being active. Music helps children learn about rhythm and develop motor coordination.

- *Music encourages creativity in children*
- *Music helps develop children's math skills*
- *Music helps develop children's self-esteem*
- *Music helps develop children's listening skills*
- *Music and movement go together*

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LEARNING A MUSICAL INSTRUMENT AT AN EARLY AGE

Your generosity will help children to DISCOVER and DEVELOP music skills!

MUSIC ENCOURAGES

- COMMITMENT TO EXCELLENCE
- FOCUS
- IMPROVED LISTENING SKILLS
- SELF-CONFIDENCE AND SELF-ESTEEM

TRANSFORM a child's life today! Throughout history, in all cultures, music has been an integral part of human life. Research has linked active music making with increased language discrimination and development, math ability, improved school grades, better-adjusted social behavior, and improvements in spatial-temporal reasoning, a cornerstone for problem solving.

Foster artistic excellence in our children!

Benefits of music on early brain development Many studies have shown that music can benefit cognitive abilities, higher reasoning, motor skills and that children who study music get higher grades and better test results. Learning to play an instrument is like learning to speak another language and it can be challenging at times. One of the qualities musicians possess is discipline. You have to be disciplined in order to master playing your instrument. You have to set time each day to diligently practice. Music can be an outlet for their energy and in turn have a positive impact in the community.

Who can apply?

Hope Streams Children's Music Scholarship is available to students ages 5 to 16. Each year, selected students will be awarded up to \$2000 scholarship award which will cover one year tuition to Music lessons and a portion or full cost of their instrument.

Based on availability of funds

To be able to offer children a chance to play instruments so they can find an expression of their own is not only important for them but for their community as a whole.

TYPES OF INSTRUMENTS



WIND INSTRUMENTS require a person to blow into the instrument in order to produce the desired sound.



BRASS INSTRUMENTS eg. Trumpet and Trombone work on pretty much the same principle as wind instruments.

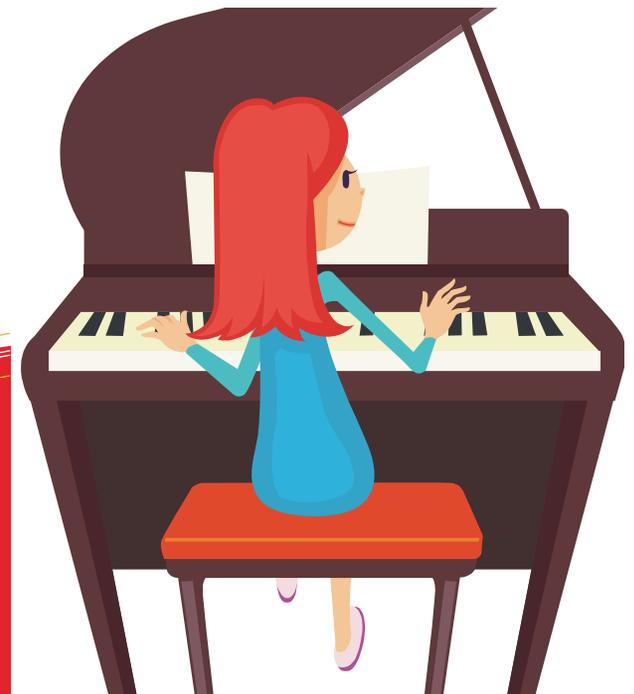
STRINGED INSTRUMENTS work on the basis of sound wave vibrations that are created with the help of strings.



PERCUSSION INSTRUMENTS require a person to strike or beat the instrument surface in order to generate vibrations, which then produce the desired sound note.

KEYBOARD INSTRUMENTS are designed to reproduce the sounds of existing musical instruments in a simple and user-friendly way.

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CHILDREN'S MUSIC AWARENESS PROGRAM (CMAP) HOW CAN YOU HELP?
INTRODUCING MUSIC TO OUR CHILDREN AT AN EARLY AGE.