

YOUTH MUSIC PROJECT'S SCHOOL POLICIES

REGISTRATION:

Registration is required for participation in any Youth Music Project activity and must be completed before classes or lessons begin. Registration can be completed online at www.Youth-MusicProject.org. Checks and money orders must be made payable to Youth Music Project. Please do not send cash. There is a \$25 returned check fee.

TUITION ASSISTANCE

Tuition Assistance eligibility is determined by the Federal Financial Income guidelines for Free/Reduced Lunch. Those who qualify may register, tuition free, for one weekly class or lesson per term. If you wish to register for more than one class per term standard rates will apply to each additional registration. First time recipients must apply their first registration to a group lesson. To apply, Youth Music Project must receive current documentation that your student receives free or reduced lunch at their school. You may obtain documentation in the form of a letter from your student's school. We also accept a current SNAP benefits award letter, or the current years Tax returns. For more information visit www.youthmusicproject.org/financial-aid

PHOTOGRAPHIC AND AUDIO/VIDEO RELEASE

The Youth Music Project occasionally uses publicity photographs and audio/video footage in its effort to help bring music education opportunities to students. By registering for a class, you irrevocably grant the Youth Music Project and its duly appointed agents the absolute right and permission to copyright and/or publish or use photographic portraits, pictures and audio or video footage of you or your child, or in which you or your child may be included in whole or part, or composite or distorted in character or form in conjunction with your name or a fictitious name, or reproduction thereof in color or otherwise, made through any media, for art, advertising, or any other lawful purpose whatsoever. You also grant the Youth Music Project the same right and permission to use any statements or testimonials made by you.

PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES

Parents and guardians are solely responsible for escorting their children to and from their designated classrooms and instructors. Parents and guardians will be required to cover the cost of repair or replacement of any damaged Youth Music Project equipment, instruments, or facilities if the damage was caused by them or their children.



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ATTENDANCE

Students must pay for all lessons in the course, regardless of attendance. Two unexcused (less than 24 hours notice) absences per term are grounds for dismissal without refund. Parents are asked to stay in close communication with the Program Staff regarding any absences.

Due to schedule constraints, the Youth Music Project is unable to reschedule excused or unexcused private lesson absences. Youth Music Project will credit the prorated fee for one excused (at least 24 hours notice) private lesson absence per term on the associated students account.

If Youth Music Project must cancel your lesson a prorated credit will be placed on the students account.

CANCELLATION, REFUNDS AND CREDITS

Full refunds or account credits are available until 24 hours before your 1st class begins. If you withdraw at least 24 hours before your 3rd class, a prorated school refund or account credit will be given on the payer's account.

If your class has met 3 times or it is less than 24 hours before your 3rd class, no refund or credit is given.

DISCONTINUATION

The Youth Music Project reserves the right to discontinue a student at any time for poor attendance, non-payment of fees, lack of interest, or disruptive behavior. No refund will be given. If the student is discontinued for non-payment of fees, he or she may be reinstated when the account balance is paid in full.

CANCELED CLASSES

Our classes must meet minimum student enrollment. Classes that do not reach the minimum threshold before term begins will and students will receive a full refund or account credit. In the event a class must be canceled after the beginning of term, a prorated refund or account credit will be given. All class times listed are subject to change.

NOTICE OF NON-DISCRIMINATION

YMP's programs and services reflect the cultural diversity of our community. We do not discriminate on the basis of religion, race, color, ethnicity, sex, gender identity / expression, national origin, sexual orientation, age, disability, veteran status, or other status protected by applicable law.



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INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

The Youth Music Project's goal is to make the most appropriate decision for our students, staff and patrons based on available information. The Youth Music Project will be closed for classes if West Linn – Wilsonville Schools and Offices close due to weather conditions. Please see www.YouthMusicProject.org for closure reports.

MEDICAL CONSENT AND RELEASE

The Parent or Guardian hereby authorizes Youth Music Project to secure proper treatment, including medical, surgical, diagnostic, or hospital procedures for their child if they cannot be reached in case of an emergency. You hereby release and forever discharge Youth Music Project from any claim whatsoever that arises or may hereafter arise on account of any first aid, treatment or service rendered in connection with the Participant's involvement in a Youth Music Project activity or with the decision by any representative of Youth Music Project to exercise the power to consent to medical or dental treatment as such power may be granted and authorized in the Parental Authorization for Treatment of a Minor Child.

LIABILITY RELEASE AND INDEMNIFICATION

The Parent or Guardian, on behalf of themselves, Child, and their and their Child's heirs, parents, family, estate, executors, administrators, assigns, and personal representatives hereby release, agree to indemnify, and hold harmless Youth Music Project and its directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, successors, and assigns from any and all claims, demands, losses, damages, and liabilities of whatever kind or nature, either in law or in equity, which arise or may hereafter arise from the above named participant's connection with any Youth Music Project activity. This discharges Youth Music Project from liability or claim with respect to any bodily injury, personal injury, illness, death, property damage, or other loss that may result from participation in the Youth Music Project whether caused by the negligence or otherwise. Youth Music Project does not assume any responsibility for or obligation to provide financial assistance or other assistance, including but not limited to medical or disability insurance, in the event of injury or illness. This Release and Indemnification is intended to have only the scope and effect permitted by applicable law.

OTHER

The Parent or Guardian expressly agrees that this Release is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Oregon and that this Release shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of Oregon. The Parent or Guardian agrees that in the event that any clause or provision of this Release shall be held to be invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, the invalidity of such clause or provision shall not otherwise affect the remaining provision of the Release which shall continue to be enforceable.

