

Redeemer School of Performing Arts

Providing Quality Music Education from a Christian Perspective
Committed to the success of each student



Fall 2011 – Spring 2012

Advantages of Music Study

- Enhances academics
- Enhances motor control, concentration, memory, and organizational skills
- Enhances abstract thought
- Enhances right brain activity, i.e. synthesis, creativity, intuition and more
- Enhances attention span and concentration level
- Enhances self-esteem and develops initiative

SAT Score information for 2010-2011 school year

State average score 1462

National average score 1509

UIL all-state music student score 1852

30-minute private lessons in the following courses of study:

Piano & Guitar beginning at Grade 1

Voice beginning at Grade 4

Band Instruments beginning at Grade 4

Violin beginning age 5

<http://www.redeemerschool.net/theschool/schoolofperformingarts.html>

Studio Policies

In order to provide optimum learning for each student there are some basic rules that need to be followed by parents and students.

1. Students need to have all necessary materials at each lesson: Music (parents are responsible for the purchase of lesson books), instrument (where applicable), pencil, and other materials as requested by the teacher.
2. Students must report to their lessons promptly.
3. Daily practice. This can be determined by your goals. More practice results in more progress. An average of 4, 30-minute practice sessions per week are recommended.
4. Students must be able to practice on an adequate instrument.
5. If a student must miss a lesson it is imperative that the PA teacher be notified 24 hours in advance.
 - **Please note: PA teachers are not networked through Redeemer Lutheran School office and not automatically notified of absences. PA teachers are not required to make up lessons where they were not notified 24 hours in advance. This includes school sporting events and field trips**
 - **No refunds are given for unexcused absences**
6. Neatness is expected. Students should come to their lessons with clean hands and trimmed nails.
7. Water may be brought to drink, otherwise no food or drinks are allowed in the lesson.
8. Students must be supervised by an adult before and after lessons.
9. Child care policy states that Performing Arts students enrolled in after-school care up through Grade 2 must be escorted to and from lessons by an adult. Parents must:
 - **Notify child care your student will be taking lessons and when**
 - **Coordinate pick-up/drop-off with music teacher**

TUITION RATES FOR 2011-2012

Fall 2011

- 12 weekly, 30-minute lessons
- Two methods of payment:
 - Payment in full of \$313 which includes non-refundable registration fee, or
 - \$25 non-refundable registration fee due on August 22 and three (3) automated bank draft payments of \$96, due on the 1st or 15th of September, October, and November

Spring 2012

- 12 weekly, 30-minute lessons
- Two methods of payment:
 - Payment in full of \$313 which includes non-refundable registration fee, or
 - \$25 non-refundable registration fee due on December 1 and three (3) automated bank draft payments of \$96, due on the 1st or 15th of January, February, and March

Students finishing their 12 lessons early may purchase additional lessons at \$24 each. If you wish to do this, please contact Elaine (246-2578) and your child's teacher.

Fall 2011 Schedule

Registration deadline Monday, August 22

Fall semester lessons begin Monday, August 29 – November 18 (12 weeks)

Make-up and additional lessons given November 21 – December 16

Spring 2012 Schedule

New student registration begins December 1

Spring semester lessons begin Monday, January 9 – Friday, April 6 (12 weeks)

Spring recital Sunday afternoon, April 15, 3-5 p.m. in Redeemer Sanctuary.

Make-up and additional lessons April 10 – May 25

Summer 2012 schedule

Registration begins May 1

PLEASE NOTE

As always, our goal is to offer quality music lessons as affordable and convenient as possible for families while retaining the best teachers.

Students **MUST** commit to twelve (12) lessons each semester. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR EARLY WITHDRAWAL.** Teachers are required to fulfill lessons and schedule excused absence and make-up lessons.

Tuition fees must be paid to reserve your time slot. First come, first served.

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Redeemer School of Performing Arts Calendar 2011-2012

- Student Holidays
- Parent/Teacher Conference Days
- Special Events
- Bad weather make-up days

JULY '11						
S	M	T	W	Th	F	S
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JANUARY '11						
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Week# _____ 1st Semester

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16 MLK Jr. Day Bad
Weather Make-up Day 2

Spring semester begins January 9

AUGUST '11						
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FEBRUARY '12						
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10 Prof. Development Day
—No School

15 New Parent Conference
17 First Day of School

Week# _____

Fall semester begins August 29

SEPTEMBER '11						
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MARCH '12						
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9 11:30 Dismissal
9 End of 3rd Quarter
12-16 Spring Break
23 Parent/Teacher Conf.—
No School

6 Labor Day

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1 Harvest Festival

14 End of 1st Quarter
17-18 No School Ed. Conf.
28 Parent/Teacher Conf.—No School

OCTOBER '11						
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APRIL '12						
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Spring Recital April 15

12 Good Friday—No School
9 Easter Monday Bad
Weather Day #1

23 Grandparents' Day; 11:30 dismissal
24-25 Thanksgiving Break

NOVEMBER '11						
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MAY '12						
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24 Records update day
25 Closing Chapel
9:30 Dismissal

16 11:30 Dismissal
16 End of Semester

DECEMBER '11						
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JUNE '12						
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Approved 2/15/2012

Please sign and turn in this form with tuition payment or completed automated bank draft form by Monday, August 22, 2011 to reserve your time slot.

Student's Name _____

Parents' Names _____

Birth Date _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Grade in School _____

Telephone (h) _____ (w) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail Address(s) _____

Instrument you wish to study: _____

Years of Experience on Instrument _____

In after school day care? Yes ____ No ____

Scheduling Preferences: _____

There is a \$25 fee for any returned check. I acknowledge I am financially responsible for the terms of this contract even in the case I decide to terminate lessons before the end date of the existing agreement.

Signed _____
(parent or person who is fulfilling the financial obligation)

Date _____

I have read the *Studio policies and tuition* pages.

Signed _____
(parent)

Signed _____
(student)

TUITION AUTOMATED DRAFT AUTHORIZATION FORM

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Thrivent Financial for Lutherans™

Complete this section for enrollment (Please print)

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial
Mailing Address	City, State	Zip
Home Telephone Number:	Work Telephone Number:	
Check the appropriate box: <input type="checkbox"/> New enrollment/authorization <input type="checkbox"/> Change in authorized amount <input type="checkbox"/> Change in account		
Privacy/Confidentiality: This Authorization Form is seen by the nonprofit Lutheran organizations enrolled in Simply Giving® as well as by the Vanco Services employees who process it. In addition, participant name and address information may be provided to Thrivent Financial for Lutherans. Participant information will not be shared with any other organizations.		
Gifts/payments should be taken from: <input type="checkbox"/> Checking (attach a voided check) <input type="checkbox"/> Savings (attach a savings deposit slip)	I authorize Thrivent Financial for Lutherans and Vanco Services, LLC to automatically withdraw contributions/tuition payments/donations from my account. I have attached a voided check or savings deposit slip. This authority will remain in effect until I give reasonable notification to terminate the authorization.	
Routing No. (between these symbols : :) _____	Authorization Signature: _____	
Account No. _____		

Complete this section for payments:

Name of institution receiving payment Redeemer Lutheran Church/School	Street Address 1500 W. Anderson Lane	
City Austin	State, Zip Texas 78757	
Frequency of Funds Transfer: (please check only one)	Fund Designations:	Amount:
<input type="checkbox"/> Semi-Monthly (will be transferred the 1 st & 15 th of each month) (Divide Monthly Amount in Half)	1. School Tuition	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Monthly (Will be transferred on <i>either</i> the 1 st or 15 th of each month. CIRCLE ONE: 1 st or 15 th)	2. Preschool Tuition	\$ _____
START DATE: _____	3. Before/After School Tuition	\$ _____
END DATE: _____	4. School of Performing Arts	\$ _____
	5. Road to Excellence	\$ _____
	6. School Scholarship	\$ _____
	7. General/Operating	\$ _____
	8. Building Fund	
	9. Missions	
	TOTAL:	

For Congregation/Institute Office Use Only:

Congregation/Institute Code: <u>19218957</u>	Date: _____
Envelope/Participant Number: _____	Verifier Initials: _____

Attach a voided check or savings deposit slip