



The LANCASTER ACADEMY
for the PERFORMING ARTS
SOLI CHRISTO GLORIAE MUSICA

2021-2022 COURSES

INSTRUMENTAL COURSES

Orchestra

Time: Thursday 7:00p – 8:10p

Basic Tuition: \$200.00

Note: All students must be at a minimum of the intermediate level in private study. All students must be studying privately, and new students must demonstrate their ability level. Students must provide their own music stand.

Beginner Strings

Time: Thursday 5:30p – 6:30p

Basic Tuition: \$150.00

Note: Students must provide their own music stand.

Percussion

Time: Thursday 8:15p – 9:10p

Basic Tuition: \$170.00

Note: Middle school to high school age students preferred and the ability to read music required. Students must provide their own music stand.

Beginner Percussion

Time: Thursday 7:15p-8:10p

Basic Tuition: \$150.00

Note: Students must provide their own music stand.

Beginner Guitar

Time: TBD

Basic Tuition: \$125

Note: Students in 4th – 12th grade with little to no experience playing the guitar; must provide their own guitar, extra guitar strings and music stand

Guitar Class/Ensemble

Time: TBD

Requirements: Permission from the instructor

Basic Tuition: \$150

Note: Students in 4th – 12th grade who have some experience in playing the guitar; must provide their own guitar, extra guitar strings and music stand

What Instrument Is for Me?

Students will have the opportunity to learn to begin to play 5 different instruments for 5-6 weeks. Instruments will include violin, cello, flute, clarinet, and trumpet or trombone. This hands-on experience will enable the student to make a decision about playing a musical instrument in the future. This will be classroom learning and students will not participate in a performance. Parents will be invited to observe class.

Time: Thursday 4:30 – 5:25

Requirements: None

Basic Tuition: \$150.00

Instrument Rental Fee: approximately \$125

Note: Students must provide their own music stand

CHORAL COURSES

Primary Choir (1st – 2nd grade)

Time: Monday 2:15p – 3:25p

Basic Tuition: \$130.00

Note: Students must be 6 years old by September 1st

Junior Choir (3rd – 5th grade)

Time: Monday 1:00p – 2:10p

Basic Tuition: \$160.00

Middle School Choir (6th – 8th grade)

Time: Thursday 4:00p – 5:25p

Basic Tuition: \$180.00

High School Choir (9th – 12th grade)

Time: Thursday 5:30p – 6:55p

Basic Tuition: \$200.00

Note: Students must participate in Choir Days scheduled for intensive preparation for performances.

FINE ART COURSES

Primary Art (1st – 2nd grade)

Time: Monday 1:15p – 2:10p or 3:30p – 4:25p

Basic Tuition: \$130.00

Notes: Students will need to supply their own drawing pencil, erasers, colored pencils, and a pad of 9x12 drawing paper.

Junior Art (3rd – 5th grade)

Time: Monday 11:45a – 12:55p or 2:15a – 3:25p

Basic Tuition: \$160.00

Notes: Students will need to supply their own drawing pencils, erasers, colored pencils, markers, and a pad of 9x12 drawing paper.

Middle School Art (6th – 8th grade)

Time: Thursday 5:30p – 6:55p, 7:00p – 8:25p or Monday 6:00p-7:25p

Thursday classes must sufficiently fill before Monday class

Basic Tuition: \$180.00

Notes: Students will need to supply their own drawing pencils, kneaded and gum erasers, blending sticks, white and black charcoal pencils, colored pencils, black Sharpie markers, and a pad of 9x12 drawing paper.

High School Art (9th – 12th grade)

Time: Monday 4:30-5:55 or Thursday 4:00p – 5:25p

Basic Tuition: \$200.00

Notes: Students will need to supply their own drawing pencils, kneaded and gum erasers, blending sticks, white and black charcoal pencils, colored pencils, black Sharpie markers, and a pad of 9x12 drawing paper.

THEATRE COURSES

The Lancaster Academy Theatre Department offers a spring production and other performance opportunities. Prior to registering for a Theatre course, it is important to understand the course schedule for the year, expectations for production rehearsal times and what tuition covers. Please carefully read the following notes prior to registering for a theatre course.

NOTES:

1. Students in 1st – 12th grade who want to audition for theatre productions must be enrolled in a choir class. Students in 3rd – 12th grade who want to audition for theatre productions are encouraged to enroll in a theatre class, but are not required to. Students enrolled in theatre classes are encouraged to audition for the productions, but are not required to.
2. The spring production will be a musical to be performed in late-April. Class schedules will be organized as follows:
 - a. Junior Theatre classes will meet regularly for the full year.

- b. Middle School and High School Theatre classes will meet regularly for only the first semester. January – March class time will be used for musical rehearsals.
 - c. Students participating in the spring musical will need to be available for Monday evening, Tuesday evening, Thursday evening and Saturday morning rehearsals.
3. Middle School and High School fall theatre classes will culminate in a showcase (middle school) and play (high school) for each class. Class tuition includes a production fee for the December performances.
 4. The cost for the spring musical is not covered with Class tuition. The cost to produce a musical is significant and includes licensing fees, facility rental, set, costumes, lighting/sound, extra salary payments for directors, etc. Fees will be announced prior to auditions, but we recognize the need for families to plan ahead. Based on a history of fees for recent productions, it is anticipated that the student fee will be between \$150 - \$200 with a family cap between \$300 - \$400. These fees include a non-refundable audition fee, participation fee, script, show t-shirt and cast meal.

Junior Theatre (Section A, B or C)

Students in 3rd – 5th grade will be provided an engaging and uplifting environment with the goal of experiencing the skill and joy of theater! Students will learn and develop acting and stage techniques and vocabulary through games, exercises, improvisation, and scene work. They will work on stage presence and movement, emotional expression, and role-play, while receiving feedback from teachers and peers. While theater has the obvious product of an onstage display, it also teaches empathy, teamwork, confidence, public speaking skills, and is a chance to participate in a project from script to stage. Specifics will be tailored to the student's ability level.

Time: Monday 3:30 – 4:25, 4:30 – 5:25 (or 2:30 – 3:25 tentatively)

Requirements: None

Basic Tuition: \$160.00

Note: Students must register for Junior Choir if they intend to audition for the Spring production.

Middle School Theatre (Section A, B or C)

Students in 6th – 8th grade will develop vocal and physical acting skills, and participate in various theatre pieces and exercises for both individuals and groups. Students will focus on developing a stage presence, understanding and analyzing characters and scripts, and following stage directions. Fall class time will culminate in a showcase production in November/December. Class time following the spring production will focus on show production, with guest instructors teaching on subjects such as stage management, set design, costume design, lighting/sound, etc.

Time: Thursday 5:30 – 6:55 or 7:00 – 8:25

Requirements: None

Basic Tuition: \$180.00

Note: Students must register for Middle School Choir if they intend to audition for the Spring production.

High School Theatre (Section A or B)

Students in 9th – 12th grade will develop vocal and physical acting skills, and participate in various theatre pieces and exercises for both individuals and groups. Students will focus on developing a stage presence, understanding and analyzing characters and scripts, and following stage directions. Fall class time will culminate in a play in November/December. Class time following the spring production will focus on show

production, with guest instructors teaching on subjects such as stage management, set design, costume design, lighting/sound, etc.

Time: Monday 6:00 – 7:25 or Thursday 7:00 – 8:25

Requirement: None.

Basic Tuition: \$200.00

Note: Students must register for High School Choir if they intend to audition for the Spring production. Class meets for first semester only.

Dance Theatre (Section A or B)

Students in 3rd – 8th grade will learn fundamental steps commonly used in musical theatre choreography. They will learn how to properly execute the steps, as well as terminology of steps. Once students have mastered various steps, they will be taught how to execute them by learning a variety of different combinations from many different styles. Students will learn stretches and exercises to strengthen their bodies.

Time: Monday 2:30 – 3:25 or 3:30 – 4:25

Requirement: None

Basic Tuition: \$160.00

Dance Theatre (Section C)

Students in 6th – 12th grade will learn fundamental steps commonly used in musical theatre choreography. They will learn how to properly execute the steps, as well as terminology of steps. Once students have mastered various steps, they will be taught how to execute them by learning a variety of different combinations from many different styles. Students will learn stretches and exercises to strengthen their bodies.

Time: Monday 4:30 – 5:25

Requirement: None

Basic Tuition: \$160.00

Note: Class schedules & Instructors are subject to change and classes run pending adequate enrollment.