

Sherwood Preparatory Program for Violin, Viola, and Cello

Sherwood believes the importance of comprehensive music instruction for young instrumentalists. This program is designed to provide early string students with a fundamentally sound music education that incorporates aural training, movement and rhythm training, note reading, technique, and ensemble classes, in an age-appropriate setting.

Core Components

Level 1 (Pre-Twinkle – Perpetual Motion)

- Group/Technique Class
- Individual Lesson
- Dalcroze
- Performance Class

Level 2 (Book 1 B)

- Group/Technique Class/Note Reading Readiness
- Individual Lesson
- Dalcroze
- Performance Class

Level 3 (Book 2 – 3, violin; Book 2, cello)

- Group/Technique Class/Note Reading Readiness & Theory
- Individual Lesson
- Dalcroze/Singing
- Beginning Orchestra
- Performance Class

Level 4 (Book 4 – 5, violin; Book 3 – 4, cello)

- Group/Technique Class
- Individual Lesson
- Musicianship/Singing
- Orchestra
- Performance Class

Level 5 (Book 6, violin; Book 4, cello)

- Group/Technique Class
- Individual Lesson
- Musicianship
- Chamber Ensemble
- CYSO Orchestra Program
- Performance Class