

SAMPLE DAILY SCHEDULE

Summer Music	
9:00-10:00 AM	Jr. Lessons & Practice
	Sr. Music Appreciation
10:00-11:00 AM	Sr. Lessons & Practice
	Jr. Music Appreciation
11:00-11:15 AM	Snack Break
11:15 AM-12:25 PM	Chamber Music
12:30-1:55 PM	Lunch & Recreation
2:00-3:00 PM	Performance Classes
3:00-4:30 PM	Large Ensembles

Summer Jazz and Contemporary Music	
9:00-9:45 AM	Improv Class
9:45-10:30 AM	Jazz Master Class
10:30-11:30 AM	Jazz Combos
11:30 AM-1:00 PM	Lunch & Activities
1:00-3:00 PM	Lessons & Electives
3:00-3:30 PM	Jazz Listening Class

CARING FACULTY ARTISTS

We have over 15 jazz and 30 classical faculty members each summer. These world-class educators and performers share a passion for teaching and serve as role models for each student.



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9:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Summer Music is a two-week program for wind, string, brass, and piano students entering grades 3-12. Students receive individualized attention in private lessons, build essential skills in group classes, and experience musical collaboration in ensembles. Each session concludes with recorded and livestreamed performances.

Audition Requirements

Video auditions are required in order to accept and place students in the appropriate ensembles and classes. Students should prepare two contrasting pieces/movements that best demonstrate their abilities, and one or two scales of their choice (no piano accompaniment).



SUMMER JAZZ AND CONTEMPORARY MUSIC

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9:00 AM-3:30 PM

Summer Jazz and Contemporary Music is a two-week immersion into jazz studies with our outstanding jazz faculty and artists. Students are offered concentrated courses of study from ensemble playing and instrumental skills to improvisation and composition techniques. This program welcomes beginner and intermediate level instrumentalists looking to deepen their jazz studies.

Audition Requirements

Video auditions are required in order to place students in the appropriate classes and combos. Students should submit a recording of a solo instrumental or vocal piece (with or without accompaniment), a jazz etude or classical piece, an improvised solo, or an ensemble performance (any genre).

New Classes This Year

Rock Lab/Ensemble	Pop Harmony
History of Improvisation	World Rhythms
Home Recording	New Orleans Brass Band



TUITION & FINANCIAL AID

\$1,850 per session
Includes lunch, all music materials, and t-shirt

Limited need-based financial aid is available for summer programs. To apply, please complete the application prior to submitting your video audition. The application can be found on our website:

[www.riversschoolconservatory.org/admissions/
tuition-registration/financial-aid](http://www.riversschoolconservatory.org/admissions/tuition-registration/financial-aid)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Early Drop-Off and/or Late Pick-Up

We offer early drop-off, which runs from 8:00-9:00 AM (\$150 per session), and late pick-up, which runs from 3:30-5:00 PM (\$200 per session). You may choose the morning, the afternoon, or both.

Contact Information

For program-specific questions, contact:

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