Whether for personal growth or preparation for a musical career, studying with a professional performing musician will provide a lifetime of enrichment. The Music School at DCC has offered instruction since 1972. Non-credit classes and lessons are offered for children and adults.

**PLEASE REGISTER EARLY!**

**PHONE:** (845) 431-8910  
Monday - Thursday 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.  
and Friday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

**FAX:** (845) 431-8988

**ONLINE:** [www.sunydutchess.edu/continuingeducation/musicschool](http://www.sunydutchess.edu/continuingeducation/musicschool)

**Fall 2013: Sept. 3 - Dec. 20**  
*Returning private lesson students register prior to 8/31/13 to reserve your lesson time.*

**HOLIDAYS:**  
Sept. 2 Labor Day  
Nov. 28-Dec. 1 Thanksgiving Recess  
No classes after Dec. 20

**STUDENT RECITALS**

Saturday, December 14  
1:00 p.m. - children age 12 and under  
3:00 p.m. - teens ages 13 to 18  
4:30 p.m. - adults  
*Note: some programs hold their own recitals*

**HELEN AVAKIAN’S GUITAR PARTIES**  
Saturday, December 7

**SPECIAL EVENT**

**RHYTHMS OF THE GAME:**  
**HOW TO PERFORM AT YOUR BEST**  
**A TALK BY MUSIC PROFESSOR DAVID GLUCK**

**Tuesday, September 24, 6 - 7 p.m.**  
James and Betty Hall Theatre, Dutchess Hall  
*Free Admission*

Take a journey from “good” to “great.” SUNY Purchase Professor David Gluck will discuss how elite athletes and artists conquer fears, embrace failure and ultimately achieve extraordinary success. The presentation also explains how techniques that work for athletes and musicians can work for anyone, anywhere—whether it’s on a concert stage or an athletic field, in a classroom or even in the office.

David Gluck is co-author, with Bernie Williams and Bob Thompson, of “Rhythms of The Game: The Link Between Musical and Athletic Performance.”

*Co-sponsored by The Performing, Visual Arts and Communications Department and The Music School at Dutchess Community College.*

**Home-schooled Children**

We are happy to customize a music curriculum for your home-schooled children. Please contact Julie Wegener, Director, at (845) 431-8916.

**KEY TO MUSIC SCHOOL CLASS LOCATIONS**

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**ROOM ASSIGNMENTS:** Call (845) 431-8001 for room assignments during the specific week your selected program begins. Follow the phone system instructions for room assignments and directions to DCC.
Kindermusik is an internationally known music program for young children. Each semester offers new music lessons and new materials. This program provides excellent preparation for later instrumental/vocal study. Certified Kindermusik instructors: Laura Doe, Katherine DeFilippo, Ina Segnit, Jacqueline Valli and Jacqueline Venable Jordan.

MUX101 KINDERMUSIK VILLAGE - BIRTH-18 MONTHS
(10 Sessions) Village introduces the newborn to 18-month-old child to musical movement, social interaction, language development, story time listening and playing of simple instruments. The lap baby, crawler, and walker participate very closely with their parent/caregiver. Please register at least one week in advance to be sure of receiving take home materials on time. Home materials included in the tuition.

5007  10  11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  (S) 9/7-11/9  DCC  L Doe $170
5008  90  11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  (F) 9/6-11/8  DS  J Venable Jordan $170
5009  91  11:15 a.m.-12:00 p.m.  (S) 9/7-11/9  DS  J Valli $170

MUX102 KINDERMUSIK OUR TIME – 18 MONTHS-3 YEARS
(13 Day classes and 2 Family Fun Sessions) Together with a parent/caregiver, children enjoy singing, moving, listening, interacting socially and playing simple instruments. Language skills are fostered with singing and vocal play. Please register at least one week in advance to be sure of receiving take home materials on time. Home materials included in the tuition. No class 11/29 or 11/30.

5011  10  10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m.  (S) 9/7-12/7  DCC  L Doe $225
5012  90  10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m.  (F) 9/6-12/6  DS  J Venable Jordan $225
5013  91  10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m.  (S) 9/7-12/7  DS  J Valli $225

MUX105 KINDERMUSIK FAMILY FUN
Students enrolled in Our Time choose 2 Family Fun classes. Include the entire family - moms, dads, brothers, sisters, grandparents, etc., in the joy of making music together. Families will enjoy activities appropriate for different age groups. We will sing, dance, read, play instruments and enjoy being with each other. Tuition included in fee for MUX 102.

5074  90  6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.  (F) 10/15  DCC  L Doe
5075  10  6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.  (F) 11/8  DCC  L Doe
5297  11  6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.  (F) 12/6  DCC  L Doe

MUX 600 SING AND PLAY FOR 3-4 YEAR OLDS AND THEIR PARENTS/GRANDPARENTS
(10 Sessions) Taught by a professional voice instructor/certified Kindermusik teacher, this class is for children to explore singing, playing simple instruments and musicianship through movement. Children will participate with their adult caregiver(s). No class 11/30.

5083  10  9:15 a.m.-10:00 a.m.  (S) 10/5-12/14  DCC  L Doe $130

See page 29 for MUX199 Pre-Twinkler Suzuki Violin (Ages 3-4)

MUX 635 MUSICIANSHIP THROUGH PERCUSSION
(AGES 3-5)
(10 Sessions) Young children will learn beginning drumming techniques in a group setting. They will share music with each other, playing on percussion instruments from around the world. The class also will include simple chants, movement games, and folk dances in conjunction with instrument play. Parent participation in the classroom is welcome but not required.

5077  10  4:00 p.m.-4:45 p.m.  (S) 10/5-12/14  DCC  L Doe $130

MUX 614 PIANO AND MUSIC BASICS FOR 4-YEAR-OLDS
(5 Sessions) This class will include a whole body approach to beginning piano for young beginners and their moms or dads. At every class, each child/parent pair will have individualized time at the piano learning basic piano skills. Rhythm and pitch games for the group develop musicianship skills. Students must have an acoustic piano or a digital keyboard for daily supervised home practice. Ideally, keyboard should have a weighted action and at least 6½ octaves, but any keyboard more substantial than a toy is acceptable. At the end of a 5-week session, instructors and parents will discuss the appropriate next step in each child’s music education.

Instructors: Dennis Yerry and Jean Vilkelis

5088  25  3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.  (M) 9/16-10/14  SP Yerry/Vilkelis $110
5089  26  3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.  (M) 10/28-11/25  SP Yerry/Vilkelis $110

MUX 794 MOMMY AND ME MOVEMENT AND THE SPANISH LANGUAGE
(AGES 3-5)
(8 Sessions) Explore the world of movement and learn the Spanish language. This fun, energetic class will introduce the most basic concepts of dance. Books, props, diverse music selection and songs will be incorporated into the class to help develop vocabulary.

5090  10  4:00 p.m.-4:45 p.m.  (W) 10/2-11/20  DCC  A Ruhe Schoen $85

The Music School at DCC gratefully acknowledges the Kanter Kallman Foundation for supporting the Early Childhood Music Program
Suzuki philosophy states that every child can develop musical ability. Children begin study at an early age since initial learning takes place through listening and the development of the ear and memory. Attention is given to tone, expression and the technique to achieve them. Parental involvement in lessons/classes/home practice is essential to the child’s success.

PRIVATE AND GROUP SUZUKI LESSONS FOR CHILDREN
Suzuki students register for weekly lessons. Suzuki violin students may register for a group class at the appropriate level. Parent attends each lesson or group class. Individual lessons focus on mastery of the instrument, while group classes develop ensemble skills needed for orchestral playing. With permission of the instructor, parent and child may share a semi-private lesson in which both learn to play the instrument.

INDIVIDUAL LESSONS: (14 sessions)
Section 10 30-minute lessons $390
Section 11 45-minute lessons $570
Section 12 60-minute lessons $760
Smaller lesson packages are available with approval of Music School Director Julie Wegener at (845) 431-8916.

SUZUKI FACULTY
Suzuki Strings Coordinator: Nettie R. West
Violin: Julie Paradies, Heeja Questad, Nettie R. West
Cello: Jean Vilkelis
Piano: Ariana Barkeshli, Richard Devens, Beverly Poyerd, Nettie R. West

INSTRUMENTS AND MATERIALS
Suzuki’s book “Nurtured by Love” is required reading material for parents. Each child/parent team obtains listening tapes and books appropriate to the curriculum. Suzuki piano instruction requires an acoustic piano or a digital keyboard with weighted full-size touch-sensitive keys and at least 6 ½ octaves for home practice. For violin or cello rentals, contact Stamell Strings at (845) 337-3030 or Joseph Regh Violins at (845) 297-2521.

Attention Violin Parents:
Violin sizes fit the child, who should be measured by the teacher. Rental allows you to change violin size as your child grows, and rental fees may often be applied to purchase when ready. Some dealers allow trade-ins on purchased instruments as well.

REQUIRED SUZUKI PARENT ORIENTATION
Sat., Sept. 14, 11 a.m. to 12 p.m.
This class is required for parents of all new Suzuki students and is open to other interested parents. Since success in the Suzuki approach is dependent on the parent’s role, enrollment in this PARENTS ONLY class is essential. Instructor: Nettie R. West

SUZUKI VIOLIN STUDENTS MAY REGISTER FOR: SUZUKI INDIVIDUAL LESSONS AND/OR BEGINNER OR INTERMEDIATE GROUP CLASS

MUX 199 PRE-TWINKLER SUZUKI VIOLIN (AGES 3-4)
(7 Sessions) Includes Parental Instruction. This class is for young children who want to begin to learn to play violin. Goals are to develop focus, balance, rhythm and musical sense in a loving and supportive environment and also prepare parent and child for successful violin study. Suzuki Parent Orientation is required. Violin sizes should be measured by the teacher. For violin rentals, contact Stamell Strings at (845) 337-3030 or Joseph Regh Violins at (845) 297-2521, after children are measured on the first class date.
Group meets 9/21, 10/5, 10/19, 11/2, 11/16, 12/7, 12/14.
5091 10 10:15 a.m.-11:00 a.m.
(5) 9/21-12/14 DCC N. West $100

MUX200 SUZUKI VIOLIN GROUPS
(7 Sessions) This class is for BEGINNERS AGES 5-7 or continuing beginners from previous semester. For violin rentals, contact Stamell Strings at (845) 337-3030 or Joseph ReghViolins at (845) 297-2521, after children are measured on the first class date.
Group meets 9/21, 10/5, 10/19, 11/2, 11/16, 12/7, 12/14.
5113 10 11:00 a.m.-11:45 a.m.
(5) 9/21-12/14 DCC N. West $100

(5 Sessions) INTERMEDIATE GROUP is a good way to review, as well as learn duets to the Suzuki pieces, and play some fiddle and rounds. Group meets 9/26, 10/24, 11/14, 12/5 in Lagrangeville studio. The last class will be a holiday performance at the Galleria Mall, date TBA.
5116 70 5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.
(4) 9/26-12/5 Studio N. West $75

(4 Sessions) FUN WITH IMPROVISATION
Group is based on a method by Alice Kay Kanack. It uses familiar melody and rhythm on CD or piano to guide creativity. There is no such thing as a mistake!
COME AND TRY IT - FREE CLASS, SEPT. 19.
Prerequisite: Play A Scale. Group meets 9/19, 10/3, 11/7, 12/12 in Lagrangeville studio.
5118 71 5:30 p.m. - 6:15 p.m.
(R) 9/19-12/12 Studio N. West $60

SUZUKI PIANO AND CELLO STUDENTS REGISTER FOR INDIVIDUAL LESSONS ONLY.
Composition

**MUX 770 KIDS COMPOSITION CLASS (AGES 9-12)**

(10 Sessions) Students will learn how to compose their own music, using both pencil and paper and highly accessible technology. They may write vocal, instrumental, or electronic music of any genre—whatever interests them! Students will learn simple strategies for creating complete pieces of music, regardless of previous music performance experience or skill in reading notation.

| 5119 | 10 | 5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. | (S) 10/5-12/14 | DCC | L. Doe | $130 |

**Music Theory**

**MUX 238 INTRODUCTION TO READING MUSIC FOR TEENS AND ADULTS**

(6 Sessions) This course introduces adults and teenagers to the basics of reading musical notation. Beginning students as well as musicians with limited experience reading sheet music are invited to take this class. Topics will include note names, key signatures, intervals, scales and a brief introduction to rudiments of music theory. The content and pacing of this course will be tailored to the specific interests and abilities of those who attend.

Section 11 is a continuation class for those who completed the introduction class or with permission of the instructor.

| 5185 | 10 | 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. | (M) 10/7-11/11 | DCC | D. McNutt | $80 |
| 5186 | 11 | 7:00 p.m.- 7:45 p.m. | (M) 10/7-11/11 | DCC | D. McNutt | $80 |

**Individual Lessons for Adults and Children**

We offer **INDIVIDUAL LESSONS** on all instruments and voice. Students register for 14 weekly lessons per semester. Call Julie Wegener at (845) 431-8916 for information.

| Section 10 | 30-minute lessons | $390 |
| Section 11 | 45-minute lessons | $570 |
| Section 12 | 60-minute lessons | $760 |

Individual lesson times, starting/ending dates and locations will be determined between instructors and students on an individual basis. Smaller lesson packages are available with approval of Music School Director Julie Wegener at (845) 431-8916.

**Instructors**

**PIANO** - **TRADITIONAL CLASSICAL**: Ariana Barkeshli, Sylvia Buccelli, Peter Cody, Richard Devens, Rhonni Hallman, Carol Losee, Darron McNutt, Maria Peterson, Beverly Poyered, Janet Salt, Valentina Shatalova, Marta Waterman, Julie Wegener and Dennis Yerry

**PIANO** - **JAZZ/POP/IMPROVISATION**: Beverly Poyered, Marta Waterman and Dennis Yerry

**VIOLIN**: Rudolph Efram, Rhonni Hallman, Julie Paradies, Heeja Questad, Anastasia Solberg and Nettie R. West

**JAZZ VIOLIN**: Michael Snow

**FIDDLE/FOLK VIOLIN**: Jean Vilkelis

**VIOLA**: Rudolph Efram and Anastasia Solberg

**CELLO**: Jean Vilkelis

**BASS**: Rusty Boris and Lou Pappas

**TRUMPET**: Larry Moses

**TROMBONE**: John Knight and Tim Solinger

**FLUTE**: Barbara Rizek-McGuckin and Lynnette Benner

**NATIVE AMERICAN FLUTE**: Dennis Yerry

**CLARINET**: Robert Renino, Ina Segnit and John Knight

**BASS CLARINET**: Ina Segnit

**SAXOPHONE**: Christopher Breitlochs, Robert Renino, Ina Segnit, John Knight and Omar Daniels

**OBOE**: Lynnette Benner

**BASSOON**: John Knight

**RECORDER**: Ina Segnit and Rhonni Hallman

**PERCUSSION**: Joe Carozza, Chris Losee, Melissa Lovaglio and Eric Wagner

**GUITAR**: Helen Avakian, Rusty Boris, Dan Stevens and Jeff Yin

**BASS GUITAR**: Rusty Boris

**BANJO**: Gary DiGiovanni and Bob Lusk

**MANDOLIN**: Frank Kara

**UKULELE**: Dan Stevens

**HARP**: Jeannie Chenette

**HARMONICA**: David Laks

**VOICE**: Sally Doe, Laura Doe, Katherine DeFiglio, Liz Gerbi, John Howell, Ceista Little-Quinn, Jacqueline Venable Jordan, Marta Waterman and Dennis Yerry

**COMPOSITION**: Peter Cody

To learn more about our instructors:
www.sunydutchess.edu/continuingeducation/musicschool/noncreditmusicinstructors.html
Guitar

MUX 502 INTRODUCTION TO GUITAR FOR BEGINNERS (ADULTS AND KIDS)
(10 Sessions) Learn the basics of playing guitar: chords, strumming, finger-picking, how to play solos, fundamentals of music and technique. Lots of “hands-on” experience in a variety of styles, including Alternative, Folk, Blues, Pop, Classical and Flamenco. You will finish this course able to play simple tunes and chords. Students bring their own guitar to every class. If you have questions about obtaining a guitar, please contact the instructor. Skip dates: TBA.

Section 10: ages 13 to adult; Section 11: ages 9-12; Section 12: ages 6-8.

5187 10 7:00 p.m.–8:30 p.m. (M) 9/23-12/2 DCC H. Avakian $225
5188 11 6:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m. (M) 9/23-12/2 DCC H. Avakian $160
5189 12 5:15 p.m.–6:00 p.m. (M) 9/23-12/2 DCC H. Avakian $130

MUX 515 POPULAR GUITAR STYLES (ADVANCED BEGINNER) ENSEMBLE
(10 Sessions) This class is for guitarists looking to gain experience playing popular songs with a group. Focus will be on alternative and classic rock, as well as a touch of bluegrass. Skip dates TBA.

5191 10 7:15 p.m.–8:30 p.m. (T) 9/24-12/3 DCC H. Avakian $200

MUX 516 INTRODUCTION TO CLASSICAL GUITAR (ADVANCED BEGINNER)
(10 Sessions) Learn how to read staff notation on guitar using finger style classical guitar technique. Some Spanish Flamenco guitar techniques also will be explored. Class will focus on both solo and ensemble music using staff notation. Skip dates TBA.

5192 10 8:30 p.m.–9:30 p.m. (T) 9/24-12/3 DCC H. Avakian $160

MUX 520 GUITAR PERFORMANCE ENSEMBLE FOR INTERMEDIATE TO ADVANCED PLAYERS
(10 Sessions) Styles of music range from classical to popular and are geared toward the interests of the class members. The first part of class is spent warming up and playing music together. During the second half, topics pertaining to performance such as mental preparation and overcoming stage fright are covered. Students also will have plenty of time to gain performance experience in a friendly and supportive environment. Ability to read rhythms from whole to eighth notes is required. Guitarists should be familiar with all notes in first position. Electric, acoustic, and classical guitarists are all welcome as well as singing guitarists. BASS PLAYERS WELCOME TOO! Skip dates TBA.

5193 10 7:15 p.m.–9:15 p.m. (W) 9/25-12/4 DCC H. Avakian $285

MUX 521 COMPUTER RECORDING AND THE GUITAR PLAYER
(6 Sessions) For guitarists who want to create their own music and demos, but have no idea how to start, this course is perfect for you. It’ll take a look at some basic techniques used in capturing acoustic and electric guitar sounds on your computer. Using Protools, you’ll learn to create recording sessions by: setting up audio tracks, setting up auxiliary tracks, using plug-ins and creating basic mixes. Basic mic technique and recording hardware also will be discussed. For beginners of Protools with little or no knowledge of the computer program.

5010 10 7:00 p.m.–8:30 p.m. (M) 9/9-10/14 DCC J. Yin $135
Chamber Music

Chamber music is a form of classical music written for a small group of instruments usually with one performer to a part. Because of its intimate nature, chamber music has been described as “the music of friends.” Playing chamber music requires special skills which are different from the skills required for playing solo or symphonic works.

All ages and instruments are welcome. Form your own group with a minimum of two people and set your own schedule with one of our professional coaches. Most groups meet for six sessions, concluding with an optional performance.

Interested students, please call Julie Wegener, Music School Director, at (845) 431-8916.

Jazz

**MUX 540 JAZZ ENSEMBLE**
(10 sessions) Explore the world of jazz improvisation with an ensemble. Students will increase technical facility on their instrument while achieving interactive ensemble playing, including harmonic and rhythmic exploration. Available to intermediate and advanced players of any instrument, from junior high school age through adult. Interested new students, please call Julie Wegener, Music School Director, at (845) 431-8916.

5194  25  7:15 p.m.-8:15 p.m.  (M) 9/9-11/11  SP  L Moses  $210

Vocal Group Classes

**MUX 601 LET’S SING! (Ages 5-8)**
(10 Sessions) Children will experience the joy of singing through song and movement in a group setting while also learning some basics of singing, such as pitch matching and breathing, through games and creative play. The last class will be a holiday performance at the Galleria Mall (date TBA). No class 11/30.

5195  10  1:00 p.m.-1:45 p.m.  (S) 10/5-12/14  DCC  L Doe  $130

**MUX 602 KIDS/TEENS SING MUSICAL THEATER**
(10 Sessions) Students will develop singing technique, acting, movement and stage presence while learning fun Broadway songs in a group setting. The last class will be a holiday performance at the Galleria Mall (date TBA). No class 11/30.

Sect. 10 for ages 9-12. Sect. 11 for ages 13-18

5196  10  2:00 p.m.-2:45 p.m.  (S) 10/5-12/14  DCC  L Doe  $165

5197  11  3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m.  (S) 10/5-12/14  DCC  L Doe  $165

**MUX 613 VOCAL TECHNIQUE FOR ADULTS**
(6 Sessions) Good vocal technique begins with the fundamentals. In an atmosphere of safety and respect, we will work on the breathing and body support that will inform your singing for the rest of your life. Beginners to advanced singers are welcome.

5198  10  7:30 p.m.-9:00 p.m.  (M) 9/16-10/21  DCC  J Venable Jordan  $110

See page 28 for early childhood singing.
Group Instrumental Classes

MUX 619 RECREATIONAL MUSIC MAKING (RMM) GROUP PIANO FOR ADULTS AND SENIOR ADULTS (BEGINNER AND CONTINUATION CLASSES)
(8 Sessions) RMM believes that every life needs music and anyone can learn to play the piano. The desire to learn is the only prerequisite. The classes are not about the final products but about the joy found in the process along the way. Classmates encourage and support one another as they make music together and the teacher acts as a facilitator who allows the students to relax, accept and enjoy each step in their musical journey.

NOTE: THERE IS NOT A SENIOR DISCOUNT FOR THIS CLASS SINCE DISCOUNT IS ALREADY FACTORED INTO CURRENT FEE.
Classes held at instructor’s studio in Highland.
There is a $20 fee for book and CD, payable to the instructor at the first class.

5199 70 10:00 a.m.-11:00 a.m. (T) 9/24-11/12 Studio M Peterson $110
Section 71 is for students who have completed Section 70 or with permission of the instructor.
5201 71 11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. (T) 9/24-11/12 Studio M Peterson $110

MUX 621 BEGINNING VIOLIN FOR ADULTS
(10 Sessions) Have you always wanted to play the violin? Or are you someone who played as a child and longs to return to the instrument? This class is for adult beginners and those wishing to go back to the beginning. No class 10/15, 11/5, 11/26.
For violin rentals, call Stamell Strings at (845) 337-3030 or Joseph Regh Violins at (845) 297-2521.
5202 10 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m. (T) 9/10-10/12/3 DCC H Questad $200

MUX 622 INTERMEDIATE VIOLIN FOR ADULTS
(10 Sessions) This class is for students who have completed MUX621 or have studied violin in the past and currently play at an advanced beginner to intermediate level.
No class 10/15, 11/5, 11/26.
5222 10 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. (T) 9/10-10/12/3 DCC H Questad $200

MUX 623 INTRODUCTION TO VIOLIN FOR TEENS
(5 Sessions) If you are interested in your school orchestra and want to learn a new string instrument, this is the right class for you!
For violin rentals, call Stamell Strings at (845) 337-3030 or Joseph Regh Violins at (845) 297-2521.
5224 10 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. (T) 9/10-10/8 DCC H Questad $100

MUX 624 ROCKIN’ VIOLIN FOR ADVANCED TEENS
(5 Sessions) If you can read musical notes and play the violin, then let’s explore some fun music and prepare to perform for any occasion! We will cover Vivaldi concertos (a minor, g minor, the Four Seasons), Scott Joplin, music for weddings and gigs, etc. No class 11/5, 11/26.
5226 10 4:30 p.m.-5:30 p.m. (T) 10/22-12/3 DCC H Questad $100

MUX 628 ADVANCED VIOLIN FOR ADULTS
5228 10 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. (T) 9/10-12/3 DCC H Questad $200

MUX 637 PERCUSSION FOR AGES 6-8
(8 Sessions) Start the path into drums and percussion with this class geared toward young children. Here we will introduce various drums and percussion instruments, with hands-on learning and coaching. This is a great way to introduce your child to the world of music through playing drums. It will prove to be a low-key, yet fun and engaging time together.
5229 25 10:45 a.m.-11:30 a.m. (S) 10/5-11/23 SP C. Losee $115

MUX 636 BEGINNING DRUMMING (AGES 9-90+)
(8 Sessions) This is an intergenerational class open to children and adults. It’s never too early or too late to learn how to drum! There is no need for prior musical experience; just come and enjoy! Learn the basics of drumming in a friendly and fun group environment. Required materials are a pair of drum sticks and a drum pad.
5230 25 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. (S) 10/5-11/23 SP C. Losee $145

ONLINE REGISTRATION: www.sunydutchess.edu/cfweb
Music School Policies and Procedures

Missed Lessons and Tardiness

Group Lessons - It is not possible to make up lost instruction for a lack of class attendance. There are no make-up classes unless the class is canceled by the instructor or the college. No portion of the tuition is refundable.

Individual Lessons - Care should be taken to attend all scheduled lessons. While our teachers make every effort to reschedule lessons that are canceled in advance, this is not always possible and teachers are not obligated to arrange make-up lessons. Make-ups are not possible for lessons canceled with less than 24-hour notice, for no-shows or for canceled make-ups. Teachers do not teach beyond the scheduled time or make up any lesson time if a student is late. If a teacher cancels a lesson or is late, make-up lessons or additional times are arranged. No make-up lessons are to be scheduled past the end of the semester.

Please see page 36 for additional policy information.

MusicLink Scholarship

Consider a donation to MusicLink to provide scholarships for talented low-income students who demonstrate exceptional musical promise. Tax deductible donations can be made to the DCC Foundation, 53 Pendell Road, Poughkeepsie, NY 12601.

Please note “MusicLink” on your check.

Tax deductible donations of musical instruments (in good condition only) are greatly appreciated. For information or to volunteer to help with our fundraising activities, contact Music School Director Julie Wegener at (845) 431-8916 or by email: wegener@sunydutchess.edu

Music UX 660 UKULELE FOR BEGINNERS

(10 Sessions) Enjoy discovering the basics of playing this accessible and fun instrument. We will learn tuning, chords, scales, strumming, and songs.

Section 10 is for teens and adults; Section 11 is for ages 9-12; Section 12 is for ages 6-8

5231 10 2:15 p.m.-3:00 p.m. (S) 9/21-11/23 DCC D Stevens $120
5233 11 3:00 p.m.-3:45 p.m. (S) 9/21-11/23 DCC D Stevens $120
5234 12 3:45 p.m.-4:15 p.m. (S) 9/21-11/23 DCC D Stevens $85

See page 28 for early childhood instrumental classes and page 31 for group guitar classes.

Dance

Music UX 790 HIP HOP FOR KIDS (AGES 6-12)

(8 Sessions) This class is an introduction to basic Hip Hop moves. Your child will rejoice in his/her own dance movement through free style. Elements of creative movement will also be incorporated. Hip Hop will be guided by the sounds of music. In addition, participants will stretch, learn floor moves, make friends, build confidence, and have fun. Parents, please feel free to join in and dance with your child!

5238 10 5:00 p.m.-5:45 p.m. (W) 10/2-11/20 DCC L. Albert $90

Music UX 792 JAZZY DANCE FOR TEENS AND ADULTS

(8 Sessions) This class will include jazz, hip hop and pop dance. Join us for a calorie-burning hour of fun and expression!

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