

## Orchestra Program Sept 19, 2023 - June 8, 2024

Classes take place weekly at the following times. Holidays or changes will be announced in the monthly email newsletter. Add [jennifer@belcantostrings.ca](mailto:jennifer@belcantostrings.ca) and [jspleit@hotmail.com](mailto:jspleit@hotmail.com) to your safe senders list or the newsletters may be filtered to a bulk folder by your email server. Newsletters can be viewed anytime on the website.

Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
5:00-6:00 Mini Strings Ages 7-10		6:15-7:25 Junior Strings Ages 8 to 12
7:15-8:45 Concert Strings & Chamber Strings	7:30-9:00 Adult Strings	7:35-8:45 Teen Strings Ages 11-16

**Notes:**

Regular attendance is required. Home practice is expected a minimum of 3x weekly. Please provide notice via email/text of any expected rehearsal conflicts or illness, and schedule a make-up lesson following an absence.

Please be punctual with arrival and departure times – arrival is expected 5 minutes before your class so you can set-up. Early arrivals and late pick-ups affect the lessons of other musicians at the studio. That said, we prefer a late arrival to a group class over an absence!

Families are asked to self-screen before each class. Do not attend a live lesson if you:

- Are experiencing signs of illness, including: fever, fatigue, cough, nausea and/or vomiting, gastrointestinal issues, body aches, shortness of breath, rash or conjunctivitis.
- Have been in close contact with someone with a person suffering from acute respiratory illness or the symptoms listed above.

There are private virtual class options available over Zoom so students can keep up on weeks they are feeling ill and unable to attend an in-person class. Tutorials are also posted on occasion on YouTube to support home learning.

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