

Welcome to Kindermusik at Prelude Music Studio

We are passionate in our commitment to bringing music into the lives of every child. Our Mission is to provide your family with a class that promotes **Joy, Safety, and Value.**

Joy - We strive to provide the best possible music and movement experience for every child. Every Kindermusik activity is research-based and designed for whole child learning. We facilitate these activities in class and share the developmental tools and activities for you to continue together all week long! Your child looks to you as their most important teacher and we are here to support you.

Safety - We are committed to a classroom that is clean and healthy for your family. *Due to COVID-19 concerns, we ask that anyone not fully vaccinated wear a mask.* Hand sanitizer, a digital thermometer, tissues, and anti-bacterial wipes are always available. Areas for changing diapers are located in the restroom.

If you or your child is sick, please stay home to get better. You/your child should be fever-free for 24 hours and have no contagious characteristics (rash, drainage, etc.) You can take advantage of our make-up policy, so get well!

Sometimes siblings who are not formally enrolled want to come to class. We can often work this out on an individual basis in a way that keeps the best interests of the Kindermusik students in mind – talk to your educator. Infant siblings are welcome to attend *Levels 1 and 2*. (When baby starts walking – let's enroll them at a sibling discount!) To allow our youngest students to experience Kindermusik in an optimal environment, we ask that siblings younger than six not attend *Foundations* classes.

Online classes are hosted on the password-protected Zoom platform and are not recorded. Please do not share links with anyone unless approved by instructor. Please do not take and or post pictures of online participants.

Value - You have made a financial investment in our program, and we want you to get the full value of this commitment. Set up a Kindermusik routine and come to class consistently and on time. Research shows that the continuity and longevity of the ongoing Kindermusik experiences most benefit your child's development.

Your child will get SO MUCH MORE out of their Kindermusik experience when you use the <u>Kindermusik Home</u> materials provided as a part of your class fee. They include parent guides, favorite songs, finger plays, stories, and more ways to expand concepts and share time with your child. You can take them with you everywhere on your smart phone or tablet or print them out. You can also access music on the Kindermusik app.

We provide you with numerous online resources and we are dedicated to you as a support professional. Check your email regularly, download the Kindermusik app, and join our Facebook Kindermusik Prelude Families Group. You may schedule make-ups in any age-appropriate class with openings during a session you are registered for. If you decide to drop and want a refund, you must do so before the second class. There will be a \$15 charge for materials. In order to be fair to everyone, fees are not prorated or refundable for missed classes.

If a class is cancelled due to teacher illness or other, make-up classes will be scheduled. Weather/Act of God cancellations are posted on our Facebook Page, emailed to all families and are rescheduled or hosted online if possible. You can also opt into REMIND texting.

Your satisfaction is guaranteed! If you aren't completely happy with your Kindermusik experience, please let us know! Thank you for choosing Kindermusik at Prelude Music Studio for your family.

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