



I grew up surrounded by amazing teachers, amazing parents and so much music. That whole atmosphere was due in very largely in part, to the BC Registered Music Teachers' Association.

Across the Province there is evidence of a built-in support for music and all the different things music can be and all the things it can do; the organization has had an incredibly profound impact.

I was very much astounded to know that the Vancouver/Burnaby Branch of the BCRMTA has been around for a hundred years; that's something to truly celebrate.

Congratulations on your centennial anniversary!

Jon Kimura Parker



The goal of BCRMTA is to promote and maintain high standards of teaching among our members and to foster music excellence in our students.



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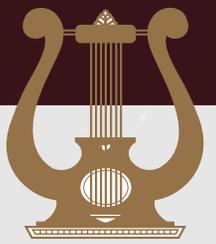
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About the Registered Music Teachers' Association

What is a Registered Music Teacher

A Registered Music Teacher (RMT) is a trained professional whose goal is to promote excellence in music education.

Professional Development

The Vancouver/Burnaby Branch provides its members with many opportunities to enrich their skills and knowledge. Events include seminars, workshops, meetings, and masterclasses as well as access to Provincial and National conferences.

Qualifications

In order to become an RMT, teachers must fulfill the following requirements:

- be at least 18 years of age
- hold a music teacher's diploma or degree from a school of music recognized by the Provincial Council, or a university music degree with a major in the instrument or subject of instruction stated in the application
- have at least four years teaching experience of the subject(s) for which they are registered

About the Vancouver/Burnaby Branch

Background

The Vancouver/Burnaby Branch of the BC Registered Music Teachers' Association (BCRMTA) was established in 1920 and was instrumental in the formation of the Canadian Federation of Music Teachers' Association (CFMTA) in 1935. It is a not-for-profit association run by dedicated volunteers.

Locations and Subjects

Branch members are located throughout Vancouver and Burnaby, as well as New Westminster and other lower mainland centres. They offer instruction in:

- piano, voice, strings, woodwinds, brass, composition, theory, history, pedagogy

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High School Credits for Music Study

High School credits for Grades 10, 11, and 12 are available for select music examinations systems. Consult your Branch teacher for details.

Branch Activities and Awards

Festivals and Recitals

The Branch offers several performance options for members' students.

- Student Performers' Guild Festival
- Canada Music Week® Festival
- Celebration of Excellence Recital
- bi-annual Student Recitals
- masterclasses with local or visiting clinicians

Visit festivals-recitals.bcrmta.org

Awards and Scholarships

The Branch recognizes the hard work and achievements of their members' students with a variety awards and scholarships.

- certificates, medals, trophies, and scholarships are distributed at the two annual festivals, as well as the Celebration of Excellence Recital
- student bursaries are available to support young musicians and their families
- a pedagogy award consisting of a scholarship and one year Branch membership