



Dear Parents,

Our school music department will be using SmartMusic® to help students learn concert music and develop essential skills. We highly recommend students purchase a SmartMusic home subscription as it will greatly assist their development. Since teachers may be requiring students to complete SmartMusic assignments, a SmartMusic home subscription is a great tool for your student's musical development.

Please visit www.smartmusic.com where you can view a four-minute video that explains SmartMusic and how it motivates and engages students, builds student confidence, and enriches the student's total music experience.

What is needed to use SmartMusic?

SmartMusic works on your PC or Macintosh and requires an Internet connection to activate your subscription and receive and send assignments securely online. System requirements and support contacts are listed at www.smartmusic.com/support.

What does SmartMusic cost?

You can purchase a full-year subscription through our school's specially priced SmartMusic Site Subscription for only \$25.50 per year. Microphones for windows computers cost \$12.71 (limited time) or \$25.47 for Macintosh computers that require a USB microphone. The microphone is required for assignments, tuning, recordings, and assessments. Please include CA sales tax of 9.25% to the prices listed on the order form. (i.e., subscription and PC microphone, \$38.21. With CA tax - \$41.74).

How do I get started?

Here are the easy steps to purchase and activate your SmartMusic subscription. While you must be online to activate, receive, or post assignments and to download music, no web browser is required, and you can practice off-line at any time. If you run into any questions, SmartMusic tech support is free!

1. Fill out the order form with the products needed and return with payment to your teacher by the due date of **_Nov. 23rd**.
2. Install SmartMusic with the installation disc and launch the program.
3. You will be prompted to activate your subscription using the code that is printed on the disk.

If I have more than one music student at home, do I have to purchase more subscriptions?

No. After purchasing a subscription, you activate that subscription on a single computer. Additional subscriptions would be necessary only if your family would like to practice on more than one computer at home.

We're confident that both you and your child will quickly appreciate how SmartMusic transforms practicing, motivates students, and helps prepare great concerts!

Thank you for your support!

Sincerely,

Mr. Joey Fortino