

# Case School of Music

## Choosing A Quality Music Instructor



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Choosing a quality music instructor for you or your child is important for a quality experience and successful outcome.



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### **Focus**

At Case School of Music, our focus is on the individual learner and their needs and interests. We don't teach group lessons, except for special classes periodically offered, and we are not a franchise.

Group lessons allow teachers to focus only on the group and not individual students. Everyone plays at one pace with some students falling behind and others feeling unchallenged.

Franchises will typically require teachers to use only the franchise's methods and materials; a one-size-fits-all approach to educating you or your child. At Case School of Music, we have students with Down Syndrome, Autism spectrum disorders, and ADD. We've worked with students with physical disabilities such as deaf students and those missing arms. Each of these students requires a commitment to their individual needs (just like all our students!) with materials adapted, or developed, to their individual learning styles.

## Experience

Case School of Music teachers are trained and experienced instructors, knowledgeable in a variety of methods and materials to meet the learning needs and interests of each individual student. All CSOM teachers hold college degrees and years of teaching and playing experience. Some hold advance degrees in music and some, professional credentials such as teaching certificates. Our teachers continue to improve their skills with continuing education, personal research and study, along with continual practice of their musical craft.



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## Philosophy

Having a well developed philosophy of music education is paramount to being a quality music instructor. Here at Case School of Music, we believe that the study of music should feed and nurture a student's spirit and soul. We are dedicated to providing high quality music instruction in a positive learning environment. Our teachers strive to spark each student's creativity and ignite their imaginations through the study of music. Developing functional literacy in the mechanics of music and an appreciation for its beauty are goals we have for every student.



Whether you're a school age student wishing to learn a musical instrument for the first time, an older student that would like to improve your musical skills, or an adult finally getting that opportunity to study music, Case School of Music can meet your needs!