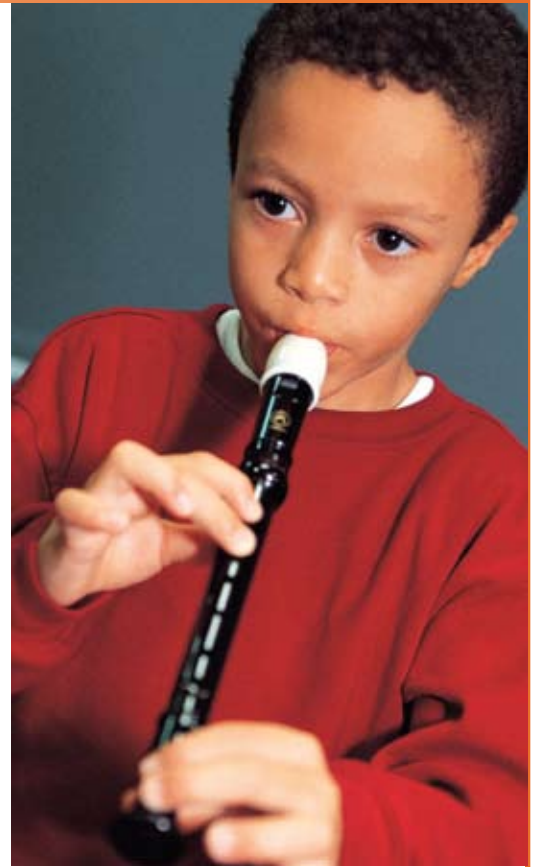


## What's the class about?

A pressure-free approach to learning, but concrete enough because his mind is ready for the more abstract thinking processes that music requires. Play remains the primary a young child learns, so throughout the curriculum there is a consistent effort to balance active learning with the emotional reasoning aspects of a young child's development in mind.

### Tuition includes:

- Developmentally appropriate curriculum for parents and children 5 to 7 years old
- Four units; 15-week semester
- One 60-to-70 minute class per week concentrates on three core areas: singing and vocal development, movement, and exploring musical instruments
- *At Home Materials*—Learn musical concepts along with your young child with these materials that put musical concepts in cartoons, picture cards, stickers and games
- Your young child can learn 25 new songs, play up to three instruments, and will experience 225 musical learning activities by the semester's end



## What you'll see happening in class:

**Singing skills.** Through games, and interactive musical play, you'll see your young child develop the confidence she needs to sing. Sometimes it sounds like a foreign language when your child sings "ta" and "ti-ti," but she's using the language of professional musicians and composers and getting ready to read and write simple rhythm patterns.

**Movement.** You'll see your child dancing expressively to music, giving her the practice she needs to coordinate her body movements to the sound of music. This kind of musical play not only improves musicianship, but her physical coordination as well.

**Reading and writing.** She'll learn melodic notation and identify pitches such as the C, A, and D notes on the treble clef, plus rhythmic notation, and eventually she'll compose her own music.

**Focused listening.** Using Kindermusik's music collection, we'll help your little musician identify a range of orchestra instruments and their sound qualities, as well give her an early awareness and knowledge of composers and masterworks in Western arts tradition.

## Why you'll both love the At Home Materials:

**Children's Folder**—A lot of ground is covered in class, but don't worry, even if you've never had a music lesson in your life you can easily identify and learn the same musical concepts along with your young child with these Music At Home cards and special stickers.

**Purposefully selected instrument**—A wind, stringed, and keyboard instrument so your child gets experience playing and learning about three core instruments in the music family.

**Family Songbook**—Songs and activities from class with beautifully written and illustrated pages.

**Canvas Carry Bag and Games Bag**—For her instrument and the games that you'll play together.

**Home CD**—Features the multi-cultural music from class so a young child can either practice with it, or play music at home.