UNL & LPS String Project Spring 2024 Dates & Guidelines

SPRING 2024

All classes AND the April 17 concert will take place at Park Middle School (855 S. 8th St.)

<u>Class days/times remain the same</u> as the fall semester: First year students meet twice a week, Monday & Wednesday, options of a 4:30 or 5:30 class.

Second year students meet twice week, Monday & Wednesday. Classes will be 4:30-5:20 only.

Classes are held at Park Middle School on the following dates:

Jan. 22, 24, 29, 31 Feb. 5, 7, 12, 14, 21, 26, 28 March 4, 6, 18, 20, 25, 27 April 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17

April 15, 5:30PM: Dress rehearsal for the April 17 (Rm. 118, Park Middle School), be there between 5:00-5:15 to get tuned.

<u>Spring Concert: Wed, April 17, 5:30 PM</u> (Rm. 118, Park Middle School), be there between 4:50-5:10PM to get tuned.

Concert Attire: Black or dark pants or skirt, dark shoes (no sneakers), white dress shirt (no t-shirts, no tie)

Email address for questions: stringproject@unl.edu

REMINDER: If LPS is canceled due to inclement weather, String Project is automatically canceled.

NOTE: String Project does not meet during Spring Break (March 11-15) or on Mon. Feb. 19 (Presidents' Day).

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- 1) <u>Spring Concert:</u> Students should be in concert dress for the dress rehearsal and can bring a snack to have during the break between the 4:30 dress rehearsal and the 5:30 concert. NOTE: <u>Parents are responsible for supervising their children during the short break between the rehearsal and concert.</u>
- 2) Attendance: All students are expected to attend every class. If a student is sick, please contact Dr. Becker immediately via email (stringproject@unl.edu) and let her know why your child won't be in class.
- 3) <u>Class Cancelations</u>: If LPS is canceled due to inclement weather, String Project classes are also canceled.
- 4) <u>Class behavior</u>: Students are expected to behave appropriately in class. We want to have fun, but they are expected to be respectful and be on their best behavior. Cell phone use will not be tolerated.
- 5) Expectations for Practicing: This will be discussed at the Orientation. Students will receive practice sheets on which to record practice time. In order to make significant progress and to feel good about how they sound, students are expected to practice five days a week in addition to the String Project class times.
- 6) The entrance for Park Middle School: Students will enter and exit the building through the main entrance (south side of the building).
- 7) <u>Materials to bring to classes</u>: All students should bring the Essential Elements book and other assigned materials to class each day, along with their instrument and bow and a pencil.
- 8) <u>Concert attire</u>: Black (or dark) pants or skirt, dark shoes (no sneakers) and white dress shirt (no t-shirts and no tie)
- 9) All of this information is also on the String Project website: http://arts.unl.edu/music/string-project

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