

Welcome to the

Young Eastman Strings
Program

at



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School Year Hours: 9 a.m.-6 p.m., Monday-

Friday and 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday

Summers & Recess Week Hours: 9 a.m.-5 p.m.,

Monday-Friday

The Young Eastman Strings (YES) program offers a comprehensive musical education to students, in grade 6 or younger, who are learning to play the violin, viola, cello or bass at any level of proficiency.

What does the YES program offer?

- Private lessons teach students to practice effectively and perform regularly, building artistic excellence. Bi-annual program recitals bring together the YES community of families to enjoy student achievement and progress.
- Instrument group classes and string ensembles offer a social atmosphere and help students learn to listen while making music.
- **Age-appropriate classes** boost learning of the fundamental skills, such as rhythmic movement, singing and note-reading, with plenty of fun!

Why choose Eastman?

- Comprehensive, multi-point educational path boosts success and confidence by advancing musical skills at students' personalized pace.
- Expert instruction in a wide variety of instruments, styles and fields of musical study.
- Faculty that is committed to developing students' individual talent.
- Beautiful performance spaces, including Hatch Recital Hall and Kilbourn Hall.
- Mentoring by professional musicians and instructors as students grow.
 ECMS offers a high-school diploma program. UR transcripts are available to demonstrate achievement.

YES Certificates of Achievement

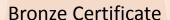
- 6th graders of all proficiency levels
- Require passing grades, participation in exams/juries and performances.

Gold Certificate

- 3+ years lessons
- 2+ years ensembles
- 2+ years classes

Silver Certificate

- 2+ years private lessons
- 2+ years ensembles



• 2+ years private lessons

Young Eastman Strings (YES) Educational Path:

Grade K Exploratory	Pre-K/ K Any Level	Grades 1-6 Beginner	Grades 1-6 Intermediate	Grades 1-6 Advanced	Grades 7-12
Bridges: String	Private	Private	Private	Private	Diploma
Starters	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Lessons	Program
Clef Club	30 min	30 min.	30-45 min.	45-60 min.	
	Classes:	• YES Group Violin/Cello Class 1 • YES Group Violin/Cello Class 2	• Tutti • Camerata	• Camerata • Chamber Music	
		Classes: • Theory in Motion • Introductory Piano • (Young) Children's Chorus	Classes: • Theory in Motion • Introductory Piano • (Young) Children's Chorus	Classes: • Theory in Motion • Music Fundamentals: Dalcroze (gr.6-8) • Introductory Piano • (Young) Children's Chorus	