

Music in the Meadow

Located at Highland Meadow Montessori Academy, 1060 E. Highland Street, Southlake, TX

Instructor: Delaina Steed, Certified and Licensed Musikgarten Instructor
Member of the Early Childhood Music and Movement Association (ECMMA)
Certified Level I ECMMA Teacher

Music and Movement classes lay a strong listening and movement foundation for musicality, as well as for overall development: cognitive, emotional, social and physical.

Musikgarten

- Is designed for young children up to twelve years of age, based upon the latest research about how young children learn music.
- Fosters the bonding and attachment between parent and child.
- Provides musical activities that are developmentally appropriate.
- Nurtures the development of the *whole* child, i.e., physical, social, emotional, intellectual, and musical growth.
- Includes songs for singing, listening, playing instruments, movement, and musical play.
- Represents the most recent work of Lorna Heyge, the original author of the *Kindermusik for the Young Child* curriculum.



Musikgarten classes offered Spring Semester, 2008

Cycles of Seasons (Ages 3 yrs. – 4 years) Fridays from 11:30 am to 12:10 pm

Activities nurture musical, as well as overall development and include singing, beat/rhythm activities, movement exploration, listening, creating, playing instruments, poems and stories. Musical concepts, such as rhythmic and melodic patterns, tempo, dynamics and timber, are experienced in many ways. Ten minute family sharing time completes each class.

Cost: \$220.00 per 13 week semester which includes a \$35.00 material fee

Pre Piano (Ages 4 – 6) Wednesdays from 3:30 p.m. to 4:25 p.m.

This class initiates a four-year sequential curriculum. We explore musical concepts through singing/vocal development, playing instruments, moving, listening, and creating. Musical skills evolve through performing, hearing, writing and reading musical patterns, instrumental ensemble work and focus on orchestral instrument families. Ten minute family sharing time completes each class.

Cost: \$275.00 per 13 week semester which includes a \$35.00 material fee

Music Makers at the Keyboard (Ages 5 – 12) 2nd half of Year 1 Tuesday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45p.m.

This class initiates a three-year sequential curriculum. Music Makers at the Keyboard is a bridge between the early childhood music class and private instrumental study. The 75 minute class includes piano playing, aural skills, singing, drumming, ensemble playing, reading and writing music, as well as creating, composing and improvising with learned patterns. Fifteen minute family sharing time completes each class. Materials include a piano book, listening and practice CD.

Cost: \$350.00 per 13 week semester which includes a \$50.00 material fee **

Music Makers at the Keyboard (Ages 5 – 12) 2nd half of Year 2 Thursday from 3:30 p.m. to 4:45p.m.

This class initiates a three-year sequential curriculum. Music Makers at the Keyboard is a bridge between the early childhood music class and private instrumental study. The 75 minute class includes piano playing, aural skills, singing, drumming, ensemble playing, reading and writing music, as well as creating, composing and improvising with learned patterns. Fifteen minute family sharing time completes each class. Materials include a piano book, listening and practice CD.

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**Keyboard student are required to have a bag to carry their materials. A Musikgarten denim bag is available to purchase for \$15.00.

Classes start on January 29, 2008

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For more information, please call 817-488-2138