



**TEMPLE UNIVERSITY  
COMMUNITY MUSIC SCHOLARS PROGRAM  
(Upper Division)**

**Information Sheet  
2025-2026 Academic Year**

- WHO:** For a limited number of young instrumentalists from Philadelphia schools, who would not otherwise be able to afford individual instruction. Piano, guitar, and voice instruction are **not** offered.
- WHAT:** Each student is responsible for \$240 of the total tuition fee for individual lessons (payable in 4 installments). Additional financial assistance is available with proof of family need. There is no charge for participation in music theory class, but regular attendance is required. There is an additional \$40 charge for participation in String Ensembles, Jazz Ensembles and Wind Ensemble.
- WHEN:** Saturday mornings - September to mid-May
- WHERE:** Temple University's Boyer College of Music and Dance  
Presser Hall  
2001 N. 13<sup>th</sup> Street, Philadelphia, PA 19122  
Entrance on Norris Street between 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> Streets
- HOW:** **In-person auditions May 31, 2025.**  
Contact [mdouglas@temple.edu](mailto:mdouglas@temple.edu) about virtual auditions

**AUDITION REQUIREMENTS:**

Play at least one piece of your choice. Play scale(s) appropriate to your instrument. Percussionists may use a drum pad. If Double Bass students do not have an instrument at home, fill out the student application form and you will have an audition in the fall.

**For further information, contact Melissa Douglas, Program Coordinator**  
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