

Teaching Elementary Piano Course

Establish a foundation for your beginning students' long-term engagement and success, from the first lesson through the important early years of study.

Learn from master teachers including...

- Marvin Blickenstaff
- Randall Faber
- Sarah Ernst
- Deborah How
- Diana Dumlavwalla

Study from the comfort of home



Cohorts of 20-25 Students



Cost: \$499
(payment plan available)

Course Features

- 20 Video Demonstrations
- Discussion Forums with Like-Minded Colleagues
- Weekly Assignments with Personalized Feedback
- 50+ Comprehensive Articles

2018/19 Course Sessions

Fall

Oct 10 – Dec 18, 2018
Apply by Sept 26, 2018

Winter

Feb 6 – Apr 16, 2019
Apply by Jan 16, 2019

Spring

Mar 27 – Jun 4, 2019
Apply by Mar 13, 2019

Summer

Jun 12 – Aug 20, 2019
Apply by May 29, 2019



Weeks 1-2

Fundamentals of Piano Pedagogy

- The importance of teaching philosophies, goal setting, and lesson planning



Week 3

Physical Approach and Technique

- Teaching sound production, healthy posture, and the piano hand



Week 4

Music Literacy

- Integrating music literacy, history, and theory into the practical lesson



Week 5

Musicianship

- Strategies for teaching sight-reading and aural skills



Weeks 6-7

Repertoire

- Strategies to prepare and polish repertoire for performance



Week 8

Artistry and Expression

- Ways to inspire imagination and foster musical expression



Weeks 9-10

RCM Certificate Program

- The importance of structure and assessment in musical development



Summative Portfolio

- A complete collection of assignments that showcase your achievement and extend your learning

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