

In the spring semester we will all learn an instrument. Your student will need an instrument to practice on at home. You may rent or purchase an instrument. If you are not financially able to obtain an instrument, please let us know.

Here are my recommendations.

**What instrument do I need to get?**

**Grade**

- K-1:** Ukulele (soprano size)
- 1-2:** Ukulele (soprano or concert size)
- 3-4:** Violin (sized to fit)
- 5-6:** Violin, viola, or cello (sized to fit)
- Middle school: Ukulele (concert size)

Ukulele

Purchase one from Sargent Strings										I will get my own
\$40										
Green	Blue	Purple	Green	Pink	Black	White	Yellow	Brown	Yellow	

Violin

Rental \$25/month
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Viola

Rental \$30/month
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Cello

Rental \$50/month
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**Music stores I recommend:**

Sargent Strings Music  
 Located: Lago Vista, TX  
 Website: [Sargentstrings.com](http://Sargentstrings.com)  
 Email: [sargentstrings@gmail.com](mailto:sargentstrings@gmail.com)  
 Phone: 512-553-5808

Blackerby Violin Shop  
 Located: 2 locations in N. Austin and S. Austin  
 Website: [violinshop.com](http://violinshop.com)  
 Phone: (512) 469-9343

Guitar Center  
 Located: Round Rock  
 Website: [guitarcenter.com](http://guitarcenter.com)  
 Phone: (512) 244-0101

Online stores:  
[Sharmusic.com](http://Sharmusic.com)  
[swstrings.com](http://swstrings.com)

Do not purchase violins/violas/cellos on amazon or without being sized first.  
 We do not need an instrument in hand the first week. I will size your students January 13<sup>th</sup>.