

ATTENTION FOX HOLLOW STUDENTS

**Learn to play the violin, viola, cello or bass
(No Prior Musical Experience is Necessary)**

Fourth, Fifth, and Sixth grade students are welcome to join orchestra classes offered at Oakcrest Elementary taught by Bonnie Heaton.

CLASSES BEGIN MONDAY, AUGUST 24, 2026

Both Advanced and Beginning classes will be held Mondays and Wednesdays

Advanced: 7:30 am to 8:15 am

Beginning: 8:15 am to 9:00 am

FEES:

- Tuition: \$200 per year
- Instrument Rental Fee: \$80 per year
- The school district has a limited supply of Cellos and Violas for rent on a first come first served basis.
- Students wishing to play the violin will need to purchase or rent an instrument from a local music store.
- Fee waivers must be submitted to the office prior to attending class.

MATERIALS NEEDED FOR CLASS:

- Method Book: Habits of a Successful Young String Musician, Book 1
By Sarah Ball, Margaret Selby, Christopher Selby, Scott Rush they can be purchased on amazon or at Riverton Music.
- **Make sure you purchase the correct book.** If you are playing violin, it needs to say violin, etc. Book are available on Amazon or Riverton Music.
- Rosin
- Pencil
- 3 ring binder for music hand outs
- Rock stop for cello and bass

INSTRUMENT SELECTION TIPS:

- Caution—Instruments found on the internet are generally poor quality, will not stay in tune, and are harder to play. I have found they are a recipe for failure.
- I highly recommend taking advantage of a rental program offered by a reputable music vendor such as:
 - Charles W. Liu Fine Violins: violins@finestringinstruments.com
 - Riverton Music: <https://rivertonmusic.com>
 - Summerhays Music: <http://summerhaysmusic.com>

**Feel free to contact Bonnie Heaton, Orchestra Teacher, with any questions you may have.
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ORCHESTRA SIGN UP SHEET

Please return sign-up sheet to the office

YES, I WANT TO JOIN THE ORCHESTRA!

NAME _____ GRADE _____
SCHOOL: _____
PARENT'S NAME: _____
PHONE# _____
e-mail: _____

(Please circle one) I want to play the:

VIOLIN VIOLA CELLO BASS

I WOULD LIKE TO RENT A VIOLA OR CELLO FROM THE SCHOOL
DISTRICT:

VIOLA _____ CELLO _____
SCHOOL INSTRUMENT RENTAL: \$80.00

PLEASE USE THE QR CODE TO MAKE PAYMENTS.



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