



Arizona School for the Arts
Middle School Arts Program
 5th-8th Grade

All middle school students have the option to choose a music fundamental class in conjunction with a special.
 All classes meet for 55 minutes unless otherwise noted.

Select from the following:

- Choir + Select Arts
- Piano + Selected Arts
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Fundamental Arts				
Choose 1 Fundamental Area				
<i>All Students placed in level by ability</i>				
Choir	Dolce →	Cantabile →	Voces →	Cantus
Piano	Keys to Piano →	Keys to Collaboration →	Keys to Creation →	Keys to Interpretation
Selected Arts				
Choose 1 Selected Area				
<i>All Students placed in level by ability unless noted</i>				
Band <small><u>Choose one:</u> Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bass Clarinet, Bassoon, Alto Sax, Tenor Sax, Bari Sax Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, Percussion</small>	Foundations 1 (5th/6th beginner) →	Foundations 2 (5th/6th inter.) →	Foundations 3 (7th/8th beginner) →	Foundations 4 (5th-8th advanced)
Classical Guitar	Foundations 1 →	Foundations 2 →	Foundations 3 →	Foundations 4
Dance <small>All dance students take ballet, flamenco, and modern</small>	Ballet Foundations →	Intermediate Dance →	Middle School Pre-Core (*90 minutes daily) <small>*Pre-Core students do not have piano or choir instruction due to the length of their dance class.</small>	
	<small>(*60 minutes daily) *Ballet Foundations and Intermediate Dance students will also have choir or piano</small>			
Strings <small><u>Choose one:</u> Violin, Viola, Cello, Bass</small>	Overture Strings (5th/6th beginner) →	Da Capo Strings (7th/8th beginner) →	Scherzo Strings (5th-8th inter.) →	Con Brio (5th-8th advanced)
Theatre	Theatre 1 → (5th Grade)	Theatre 2 → (6th Grade)	Theatre 3 → (7th Grade)	Theatre 4 (8th Grade)

Optional 9th period classes available with release at 4:20pm and extra fee (\$800/yr or \$100/mo):
 Piano (5th-8th)

Note: this is a curricular course that has the same attendance requirements as all other classes.