

Lexington Public Schools

Elementary (K-5) Music

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General Music

Lexington Public Schools is committed to providing access to every student with General Music offered in Kindergarten through Grade 5. Students in Kindergarten through Grade 4 receive music instruction twice a week for 30 minutes and Grade 5 students receive music once a week for 30 minutes along with participating in 5th Grade Chorus.

5th Grade Chorus

All 5th Grade students participate in 5th Grade Chorus. This is a curricular ensemble that rehearses once a week during the school day and performs throughout the school year.

Instrumental Music

Strings

Beginning in 4th Grade, students have the opportunity to participate in group lessons during the school day on the violin, viola, and cello. Students receive instruction in small groups with an instrumental specialist once a week for 30 minutes.

Band

In 5th Grade, students may continue their study of a string instrument (violin, viola, cello, or string bass), can begin on string bass, or may begin a wind, brass or percussion instrument. Like the string instruments, students receive small group instruction with an instrumental specialist once a week for 30 minutes.

All Town Instrumental Ensembles

All beginning band students and second-year strings students are also encouraged to participate in the All-Town Band or Orchestra. These ensembles meet once a week after school at one elementary school.

For more information regarding the elementary instrumental program, [click here](#).