

Guitar 15 (5 credits)

This is an introductory course in which students will learn how to play a wide-range of music on the guitar, including rock, country, grunge, metal, punk, reggae, and more. Students will learn how to play a variety of chords, including open, barred, and power, and develop technical skills through scales and arpeggio fingerpicking. Students will also learn how to read guitar music, including notes, chord charts, sheet music, and tablature (aka - TABs).

All levels of students are welcome, and materials are provided.

Guitar 25 (5 credits)

This is an intermediate course in which students continue to build upon the skills developed in Guitar 15. Students will continue to play a variety of music; however, the music will be more difficult in nature, with increasingly difficult chords and strumming patterns. Students will also continue to build upon their technical skills by studying moveable scales, and beginning to learn how to play guitar solos.

Students must successfully complete Guitar 15 before enrolling in Guitar 25.

Guitar 35 (5 credits)

This is an advanced course in which students continue to build upon the skills developed in Guitar 15 and 25. Students will continue to play increasingly difficult music, including intricate fingerpicking patterns and advanced solos. Students will learn how to tune by ear, play advanced scales, and finish the course by creating and performing a song of their own.

Students must successfully complete Guitar 15 and Guitar 25 before enrolling in Guitar 35.