

Vision Statement

Striving to honor God by providing excellence in performing and visual arts instruction.



Purpose Statement

To lead students to develop and use their God-given talents for the glory of our Lord through excellence in instruction and Christ-centered love.

Music & Me

Toddler Class—Mon., Jan. 27—May 5
Infant Class Tues., Jan. 28—May 6

Ages Newborn – 17 months, Tuesdays at 9:00
Ages 18 months—3.5 years, Mondays at 9:15
Parent or caregiver attends and participates with child/children in this 45 minute class. Class sizes are limited to 8 children each.

Music & Me is an early childhood music and movement class for mixed ages. Have fun making music together in a relaxed and playful family-style environment, where the children participate at their own level of development, in multi-sensory learning experiences.

Music making in each class will include:
Singing and vocalizing, rhythmic chants, finger plays, playing tuned or untuned percussion instruments, dancing, creative movement, music-inspired story time, active listening, making and manipulating a variety of sounds and materials, circle games, calming/bonding activities, etc.

Music activities will be designed to address:
Social, emotional, physical, cognitive and musical levels of development, and adults will learn ways to continue and create music making experiences at home.

Led by a board-certified music therapist with over 20 years experience facilitating early childhood music and movement groups.

About the FBC Music & Arts Academy

The First Baptist Church Music and Arts Academy is a not for profit ministry that was established to provide quality instruction in the arts in a Christian setting to the people in the Carteret County Community. Our purpose is to lead students to develop and use their God-given talents for the glory of the Lord through excellence in instruction and Christ-centered love.

The program offers private and group instruction for a wide variety of ages from young children to mature adults.

Registration forms are available online at www.fbcmhc.org. From the home page click on the Music and Arts Academy logo.

For more information, contact
First Baptist Church.

Private Lessons

Violin/Suzuki **Viola/Suzuki** **Cello/Suzuki**
**Private string lessons include occasional group orchestra classes*
Piano **Organ** **Drum Set**
Voice **Music Theory** **Ukulele**
Guitar—Acoustic, Electric & Bass

Private lessons for children and adults are offered weekly in 30, 45 and 60 minute increments. All lessons are taught at First Baptist Church. Lessons are offered every semester for the instruments listed above, and others may be offered upon request.

Recital performance opportunities are offered at the end of the spring semester and in the fall semester. Students are encouraged to participate in the recitals and families and friends are invited to attend.

String Orchestra Camp is offered for four days during the first week of August to string players of all levels. Camp instruction includes small group classes and orchestra taught by FBC Academy instructors and guest instructors. Snacks and lunch are included in the tuition cost. Families, and community guests are invited to attend the closing concert offered on the last afternoon of camp.

Tuition Payment Options

Option 1: Payment in Full

Cash or check by mail or in the church office, or online at www.fbcmhc.org
From the home page click on Music & Arts Academy, Payment Options.

Option 2: Installment Plan

Monthly payments are only accepted online. For installments payments you will need to set up an account (see information above.) Payments are due Jan. 1, Feb. 1, Mar. 1, and April 1. Again, this will be the only option for using the installment plan.

14-Week Semester Fees

Private Instrumental Lessons

30 minutes.....	\$399
45 minutes.....	\$499
60 minutes.....	\$798

Music & Me \$210

Private Music Therapy—30 Minutes

Paid in Full.....	\$420
Assessment Fee.....	\$ 30
Installment.....	\$420
Assessment	\$ 30

Private Music Therapy—45 Minutes

Paid in Full.....	\$525
Assessment Fee.....	\$ 30
Installment.....	\$525
Assessment.....	\$ 50

All music and additional materials needed by the student will be purchased separately at the direction of the teacher.

Visit our website at www.fbcmhc.org for registration forms and more information.

Music Therapy

Music Therapy is an established healthcare profession that uses music to address physical, emotional, cognitive, and social needs of individuals of all ages. Music Therapy can improve the quality of life for individuals who are well and also meets the needs for persons of children and adults with various disabilities or illnesses.

Music therapy interventions can be designed to: promote wellness, manage stress, alleviate pain, express feelings, enhance memory, improve communication, and promote physical rehabilitation. Music activities such as singing/vocalizing, movement, and instrument play are designed to be success oriented and enjoyable.

Music Therapy services at First Baptist are provided by a Board Certified Music Therapist, who has completed an undergraduate degree in Music Therapy at an accredited university. Upon registration for these services an individual assessment with the music therapist will be scheduled at a time agreed upon by the therapist and the caregiver. During this time specific questions will be asked and the client will be asked to perform specific tasks so that individual needs and goals can be established.