



2025-26 Tuition Rates and Policies

Young Artists Conservatory of Music

Tuition Rates are Effective July 1, 2025 - June 2026

CELEBRATING 31 YEARS OF EXCELLENCE IN MUSIC EDUCATION

ANNUAL & PERPETUAL PROGRAM

We sincerely look forward to unlocking your child's musical talents. We understand that learning to become a musician is a family commitment of learning, practicing and performing. Our program is designed to ensure your child can pursue their potential throughout the years to come.

Families may enroll at any time during the year (depending upon instructor availability). Your enrollment is perpetual meaning you will not need to re-enroll. Our office will contact you for updates in the academic schedule, performance dates, rate changes, and summer series offerings.

PROGRAMS AND TUITION RATES

Smart Track: Explore, Learn, Begin the Journey

YACM offers weekly private music lessons rooted in pedagogically sound, formal training. Designed for families seeking flexibility without sacrificing instructional quality, this program provides a strong starting point for students to explore music at their own pace. Performances and ensemble opportunities are available à la carte for an additional fee, allowing each family to tailor their experience.

Smart-Arts:	Ann. Mem Fee	Tuition	Payment Type	# Wks	Wkly Prorate
Private Lessons only Ages 4-5	\$75.00	\$440.00	Auto Pay every 8 lessons	8	\$55.00
Private Lessons only Ages 6+	\$75.00	\$480.00	Auto Pay every 8 lessons	8	\$60.00
Little Arts Group Class only-	\$75.00	\$200.00	Auto Pay every 8 lessons	8	\$25.00
Mommy and Me Ages 24-48m	\$75.00	\$480.00	Per session	12	\$45.00
Performance Fee		\$120.00			

Conservatory Track: Train, Excel, Embrace the Art

The Conservatory Track is YACM's primary program for students dedicated to long-term, immersive music study. It includes weekly private instruction, ensemble participation, music theory classes, annual assessments, and regular performance opportunities, all integrated into a cohesive, conservatory-level curriculum. This track meets

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the highest standards of formal music education and is ideal for students who want to grow as artists and performers in a vibrant musical community.

Conservatory	MEM REG	Annual Tuition	Semester Tuition	# Wks	2 SEM PMTS	Wkly Prorate
Little Arts (Ages 4-6)	\$ 75.00	\$ 2,484.00	\$ 1,242.00	18	\$ 621.00	\$ 69.00
CORE-Arts 30 minute lessons	\$ 150.00	\$ 2,898.00	\$ 1,449.00	18	\$ 724.50	\$ 80.50
CORE-Arts 60 minute lessons	\$ 150.00	\$ 5,796.00	\$ 2,898.00	18	\$ 1,449.00	\$ 161.00

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP

As a non-profit organization, your annual membership supports the operations and development of YACM programs in our region. Membership fees are often used as matching funds for grants. Your membership fee may be tax deductible. You will receive a letter in January itemizing your membership fee and any other contributions as a charitable contribution. Your membership will be automatically renewed on the anniversary of your admission.

WITHDRAWALS

Your enrollment and associated tuition is perpetual. This means you must provide paid and written notice of withdrawal 30-days prior to your intended end date. All outstanding tuition and fees must be paid in full at the time of your withdrawal notice.

TUITION PAYMENTS

Your semester tuition is due and payable at the time of enrollment. Interest free payments can be made available for families with two or more immediate members or those whose funding is provided by an approved third party vendor. For mid-semester Start Dates: The weekly prorate is used when calculating mid-semester tuition. Approved Charter School families submit payments in accordance with the charter school funding policy.

FAMILIES PAYMENT PLANS: SIBLINGS OR PARENT STUDENTS

Interest Free payment options are available for families with 2 or more siblings or immediate family members (e.g. parent / child) and who are enrolled within the first 60 days of the start of the semester.

Tuition for 2 immediate family members enrolled at YACM may divide their tuition into 2 payments.

1. Families with 2 immediate family members: 2 Payments
 - a. Membership Fee + ½ of the Semester Tuition due at time of enrollment.
 - b. Second half of the semester tuition is due by automatic payment 30 days following the date of enrollment.
2. Tuition for 3 or more immediate members enrolled at YACM may divide their tuition into 3 payments.

- a. Membership Fee + $\frac{1}{3}$ of the Semester Tuition is due at the time of enrollment.
- b. The following 2 payments of $\frac{1}{3}$ the semester tuition each will be due by automatic payment.
 - i. Payment 2: Due 30 days following the date of enrollment
 - ii. Payment 3: Due 60 days following the date of enrollment

CHARTER SCHOOL STUDENTS

Students funded by charter schools may make monthly tuition payments in accordance with the funding policies of their school. YACM is approved with Compass, Visions, and Heritage Peak Charter Schools. You must contact our office to coordinate payment in this manner.

IMPORTANT: If your charter school funds do not cover the full amount of your tuition, you will be responsible for the remaining balance. Your remaining balance is due at the time of enrollment. Family Payment Plans (interest free) are available if your enrollment is within 60 days from the start of the semester.

TUITION TRACK: 2.3C

Some long-standing Core-Arts families at YACM have been grandfathered into a previous tuition schedule (2.3c), which is no longer in use. This legacy rate continues to apply exclusively to those families. All payment policies apply.

Conservatory	MEM REG	Annual Tuition	Semester Tuition	# Wks	2 SEM PMTS	Wkly Prorate
Little Arts	\$ 75.00	\$ 2,133.17	\$ 1,066.58	18	\$ 533.29	\$ 59.25
CORE-Arts 30	\$ 150.00	\$ 2,433.53	\$ 1,216.76	18	\$ 608.38	\$ 67.60
CORE-Arts 60	\$ 150.00	\$ 4,867.05	\$ 2,433.53	18	\$ 1,216.76	\$ 135.20

PERFORMANCES

Participation in performances requires enrollment before the “performance deadlines”. Please contact the office or refer to your handbook for a description of “performance deadlines”. A Performance Fee and/or Admission Ticket may be required to participate and attend the performance event. These fees support the cost associated with venue rental and production. You will be advised of the Performance Fee or Ticket cost no less than 30 days prior to the event.

Performance Fees	1 Student	Multiple Siblings
Production Fee	\$30-\$60	\$50-\$100
Venue Tickets	\$20 - \$60	N/A
Accompaniment Fee	\$25.00	N/A
Senior Recitals	TBD	

INSTRUCTOR ADD-ON FEES

Those private instructors who require Add-On Fees are listed here. This list may change without notice. An Add-On Fee is paid in advance for the semester. An instructor’s fees may be subsidized by a special grant or ear-marked contribution for a period of time. Once that instructor's funding is completed, you will be responsible for the Add-On Fee.

Add-On Rates Per Instructor	
	Per 30 Minutes
Wanda Cook	\$ 10.00
Matthew Thomas	\$ 5.00
Elena Gomez	\$ 5.00
Ed Halbach III	\$ 5.00
Kimberly Feeney	\$ 5.00
Lany De La Campa	\$ 5.00

LATE OR DECLINED PAYMENT FEES

1. A \$25.00 Fee will be assessed for late or declined payments.
2. A late payment is defined as a payment that is not made by the 5th of the month for which upcoming services are scheduled.
3. A declined payment is defined as a payment which is declined by the bank, credit card or other payment method provided for automatic payment.

AUTOMATIC PAYMENTS

YACM requires a payment method on file to facilitate automatic recurring fees or contributions. All payments are made on or before the 27th day of the month prior to scheduled services. A grace period of 5 days before and following the 27th day of the month is acknowledged due to the digital banking process.

1. Your subsequent payments will be scheduled for payment each semester on or before the 27th day of month immediately preceding the 1st day of 1st month of semester.
2. Your annual membership will be scheduled for payment on the anniversary of your enrollment.
3. Production Fees, Accompaniment Fees, and other separately authorized fees will be processed through your payment method on file.

APPROVED PAYMENT METHODS

ACH

By providing your routing and checking account information, you authorize approved payments to be withdrawn from your bank account. No convenience fee is charged because YACM saves on credit card processing fees. Your initial payment must be made via card, as ACH authorization takes several days to process.

CREDIT / DEBIT CARD

A \$0.30 Convenience Fee will be added to your payment or membership fee when using a credit or debit card.

CASH / CHECK

Please write your check out to Young Artists Conservatory of Music.

ADDENDUM

PRORATE SCHEDULE: FALL 2025

2.4B	Wk	LITTLE ARTS	CORE 30	CORE 60	2.3c	Wk	LITTLE ARTS	CORE 30	CORE 60
		\$ 69.00	\$ 80.50	\$ 161.00			\$ 59.25	\$ 67.60	\$ 135.20
Aug 10,2025	18	\$ 1,242.00	\$ 1,449.00	\$ 2,898.00	Aug 10,2025	18	\$ 1,066.58	\$ 1,216.76	\$ 2,433.53
Aug 17,2025	17	\$ 1,173.00	\$ 1,368.50	\$ 2,737.00	Aug 17,2025	17	\$ 1,007.33	\$ 1,149.16	\$ 2,298.33
Aug 24,2025	16	\$ 1,104.00	\$ 1,288.00	\$ 2,576.00	Aug 24,2025	16	\$ 948.07	\$ 1,081.57	\$ 2,163.13
Aug 31,2025	15	\$ 1,035.00	\$ 1,207.50	\$ 2,415.00	Aug 31,2025	15	\$ 888.82	\$ 1,013.97	\$ 2,027.94
Sep 7,2025	14	\$ 966.00	\$ 1,127.00	\$ 2,254.00	Sep 7,2025	14	\$ 829.56	\$ 946.37	\$ 1,892.74
Sep 14,2025	13	\$ 897.00	\$ 1,046.50	\$ 2,093.00	Sep 14,2025	13	\$ 770.31	\$ 878.77	\$ 1,757.55
Sep 21,2025	12	\$ 828.00	\$ 966.00	\$ 1,932.00	Sep 21,2025	12	\$ 711.06	\$ 811.18	\$ 1,622.35
Sep 28,2025	11	\$ 759.00	\$ 885.50	\$ 1,771.00	Sep 28,2025	11	\$ 651.80	\$ 743.58	\$ 1,487.15
Oct 5,2025	10	\$ 690.00	\$ 805.00	\$ 1,610.00	Oct 5,2025	10	\$ 592.55	\$ 675.98	\$ 1,351.96
Oct 12,2025	9	\$ 621.00	\$ 724.50	\$ 1,449.00	Oct 12,2025	9	\$ 533.29	\$ 608.38	\$ 1,216.76
Oct 19,2025	8	\$ 552.00	\$ 644.00	\$ 1,288.00	Oct 19,2025	8	\$ 474.04	\$ 540.78	\$ 1,081.57
Oct 26,2025	7	\$ 483.00	\$ 563.50	\$ 1,127.00	Oct 26,2025	7	\$ 414.78	\$ 473.19	\$ 946.37
Nov 2,2025	6	\$ 414.00	\$ 483.00	\$ 966.00	Nov 2,2025	6	\$ 355.53	\$ 405.59	\$ 811.18
Nov 9,2025	5	\$ 345.00	\$ 402.50	\$ 805.00	Nov 9,2025	5	\$ 296.27	\$ 337.99	\$ 675.98
Nov 16,2025	4	\$ 276.00	\$ 322.00	\$ 644.00	Nov 16,2025	4	\$ 237.02	\$ 270.39	\$ 540.78
Nov 23,2025		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	Nov 23,2025		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Nov 30,2025	3	\$ 207.00	\$ 241.50	\$ 483.00	Nov 30,2025	3	\$ 177.76	\$ 202.79	\$ 405.59
Dec 7,2025	2	\$ 138.00	\$ 161.00	\$ 322.00	Dec 7,2025	2	\$ 118.51	\$ 135.20	\$ 270.39
Dec 14,2025	1	\$ 69.00	\$ 80.50	\$ 161.00	Dec 14,2025	1	\$ 59.25	\$ 67.60	\$ 135.20
Dec 21,2025					Dec 21,2025				
Dec 28,2025					Dec 28,2025				