

Kindermusik With Miss Amy

Teacher: Amy Strange (a newly licensed Kindermusik Educator)

Ages: 4-7

Time: 1:10-1:40 p.m.

Number of students: minimum 2 maximum 8

Teaching Text: Two, back to back, ABC Music & Me curriculums from Kindermusik International. Each curriculum will take 4 weeks. So, 8 weeks total. Depending on availability, I will be choosing two of the following four listed below:

September – Jumping Beans

In class, your child's memory and sequence skills will strengthen with stop-and-go activities—all set to the music of Latin America. Tucked into stories and pretend play activities, stop-and-go games help your preschooler control body motions and follow directions on the go. Share the stories and activities in your Home Kit and you'll strengthen self-discipline skills at home, too. Home Kit: One pan flute instrument, Home CD, and magazine-style Family Guide (includes the class story A Quieter Instrument)

October – Join the Parade

You can watch this month's theme in your own home town with the season's upcoming holiday parades. In class, we'll listen to marching music, play pretend parades, and help your preschooler develop rhythm and coordination skills. Marching to the beat of his own drum—in class and at home—helps your preschooler make a vital rhythm and body connection, one that's necessary to help him master any number of movement activities such as writing, dribbling and shooting a basketball, dancing, and skipping. Home Kit: Home CD and magazine-style Family Guide (includes the class story Henry's Parade)

November – All Keyed Up

A piano and the well-known composer, J.S. Bach, help your preschooler get ready for school this month. The answer is right at the tip of your fingers. The same fine motor skills and hand-eye coordination your preschooler needs to hold a pencil—are developed through the special keyboard-playing activities we'll be playing in class. Home Kit: Pair of castanets instrument, Home CD, and magazine-style Family Guide (includes the class story Coppertop and the Four Keyboards)

December – Sing a Story

The Sing a Story unit of ABC Music & Me introduces children to the world of opera. They will meet the Queen of the Night, Papageno, and Papagena, just a few of the colorful characters from Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's opera, The Magic Flute. At storytime, children will hear a tale of missing tail feathers and witness the hustle and bustle that happens backstage before an opera. They will listen to examples of solos and duets, practice pre-music-reading skills by singing simple two-note patterns, sing,

and play a variety of musical instruments.

Home Kit: Home CD, and magazine-style Family Guide (includes the class story Papageno's Feathers)

Extra Cost: EACH child MUST have TWO "Take At Home Kits" to participate. Per child, that would break down to be the following: $\$14.25 + \$14.25 + \text{S\&H} = \$30$. I will be paying for MOST of the S&H and any tax.

I must receive this payment no later than August 19th, to order the kits and have them in time for Sept. 1st.

Make payments to: Amy L. Strange. If you are unable to make the payment on Aug. 14th, you can send them to: 1428 5th Street Rd, Huntington, WV 25701.