



CAMP ENCORE/CODA

2021 - Our 72nd Season!

Enrollment form note to parents

We are so pleased that you are considering enrolling your musical child in Encore/Coda for the coming summer! We are always excited to welcome another young musician to our 'musical family' and would like to bring some things to your attention about our enrollment process:

We use a rolling admissions process, filling available spots in different age, gender and instrumental/vocal groups as the school year progresses, without specific deadline dates. We begin in October and continue into the springtime. Please see the following enrollment form for session dates, payment details, enrollment policies and recording guidance.

We fully expect to operate next summer, with all COVID precautions mandated by the Maine CDC in place. Although it is too soon to know exactly what those will be, we expect that they will include the things that worked so well for the few camps that operated successfully in 2020: testing prior to arrival at camp, testing while at camp, masks, distancing, regular disinfecting in high traffic/high touch areas, open windows, revamped dining procedures, adapted drop off/pick up days, adjusted travel to camp rules, and adapted parents days - if parents days are even possible. If we cannot have regular parent's days, we plan to put together a video of various performances from the final week of the session, which families will be able to enjoy at their leisure once it is posted.

We are also mindful of the fact that COVID presents some very specific challenges to any music program such as ours, but we feel that we can take advantage of our beautiful, outdoor setting to allow the more problematic activities, such as singing and wind playing, to thrive in a socially distanced way. Most of our buildings are quite well ventilated and we expect to use some tents for rehearsals and private lessons as well. Plus, our larger halls are big enough to allow for indoor, distanced rehearsals for many ensembles, that conform to current guidelines.

We are interested in having a personal relationship with all our families, and knowing as much as we can about each individual camper, so we would like to talk with you on the phone about your child, and about camp generally, before you enroll. A phone conversation or Zoom session is a great way for us to exchange information, get answers to specific questions, and develop a sense of each other.

Please email us (jamie@encore-coda.com) to set up a talk time, or call us directly at our school year office in Brookline, MA at 617-325-1541.

We look forward to hearing from you and speaking with you about summer 2021!

Best wishes,

JAMIE and ELLEN



CAMP ENCORE/CODA ENROLLMENT FORM

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Please enroll my child: _____
(Full name) (Age 6/30/21)

Lower Camp

Junior (finishing grades 3 or 4) []
 Middler (finishing grades 5 or 6) []

Upper Camp

Intermediate-Traditional or Conservatory (finishing grades 7 or 8) []
 Senior-Traditional or Conservatory (finishing grades 9, 10 or 11) []
 CIT (finishing grades 10 or 11, full season only) []

FIRST SESSION (3 ½ weeks):	\$5,675.00	Wednesday, June 30th to Saturday, July 24th	[]
SECOND SESSION (3 weeks):	\$5,250.00	Sunday, July 25th to Sunday, August 15th	[]
FULL SEASON (6 ½ weeks):	\$9,200.00	Wednesday, June 30th to Sunday, August 15th	[]
STACCATO SESSION (2 weeks):	\$3,600.00	Wednesday, June 30th to Wednesday, July 14	[]

(for first time Juniors only, finishing grades 3 or 4)

Camp tuitions above include all room and board, all music, sports and waterfront activities including private music lessons, camper medical insurance, supplies, postage, trips, incidental expenses & weekly commercial laundry service. Costs of transportation to/from camp and camp T shirts are not included. Day camper tuition is 70% of resident camper tuition listed above. All payments are to be made in US funds, by check or wire transfer. Scholarship applications are to be submitted at the same time as this enrollment form. There is no refund of any fee for cancellation, late arrival, early withdrawal, or dismissal for unacceptable conduct unless the vacated enrollment is filled.

- *Deposit due with application is \$1000, and will be refunded if applicant is not accepted. Once accepted, the deposit is non-refundable.
- *Installment due April 1, 2021 is \$1700 for first or second session, \$2,800 for full season and \$1000 for staccato session.
- *Installment due May 1, 2021 is \$1700 for first or second session, \$2,800 for full season and \$1000 for staccato session.
- *Final balance due June 1, 2021 is \$1275 for first session, \$850 for second session, \$2,600 for full session and \$600 for staccato session.

Information concerning any special dietary needs, health restrictions, regularly prescribed medications or history of psychological counseling must be provided in writing and discussed with the director in detail prior to enrollment. Except as stated in writing, parent affirms that applicant is in sound mental condition and able to perform all routine activities to the best of his/her knowledge. Parent gives permission for applicant to use all equipment, take all trips, and participate in all camp activities, except as restricted on the camp health form.

Arranging for travel to and from camp is the responsibility of parents. Detailed information about how to make these arrangements with the camp will be provided in the springtime. During the indicated period of enrollment, campers may only leave camp on a camp trip, or with a visitor or relative over age 21 for whom the parents have sent specific written permission to the director, with the director's permission. Two camp shirts are required for special events and some trips; a clothing list and order blank will be provided by the camp in the springtime. Campers are expected to bring to camp with them any instruments they wish to study during the summer, excluding piano and timpani. Use of the camp phone by campers is only allowed on the camper's birthday or in the case of a family emergency. All pictures, audio and video tapes made of the applicant while in camp, and letters received by the director are the property of the camp, and may be used for promotional purposes. Linking internet postings to Camp Encore/Coda is only allowed with the express written permission of the camp directors.

Camp Encore/Coda is not responsible for the loss of or damage to any camper's property or musical instrument. Information about personal affects and professional musical instrument coverage is available upon request. Parent acknowledges that the camp experience involves risks that are different from a child's home or school experiences and agrees to assume such risks. These risks may be reduced by obeying camp rules. Parent affirms that their child has been instructed by them to obey all camp rules.

In the event of an emergency, parent hereby gives permission to the physician selected by the camp director to hospitalize, to secure proper treatment for, and to order injection, anesthesia or surgery for their child as named above, during the indicated period of enrollment. Parent also gives permission to the camp directors to share information on the camper health form with camp staff members and professional health care personnel as necessary.

A completed camp health history form and documentation of current health insurance is required for all campers, and must be received by the camp no later than one week prior to arrival. Payment for medical care is the responsibility of parents when not covered by their health insurance, or additional coverage provided by the camp.

Use or possession of cigarettes, alcohol, illegal drugs or weapons, or being out of the bunk during sleeping hours for unauthorized activity will result in immediate dismissal. Repeated infractions of the camp behavior code may also result in dismissal.

Date: _____ Parent Signatures: _____ Camper Signature: _____

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

I. PERSONAL

Camper Name: _____ Birthdate: _____ Currently Finishing Grade: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country (If not USA): _____

Parent Name (1): _____ Parent Name (2): _____ Home Tel. #: _____

Parent (1) Occupation: _____ Cellphone or work #: _____ Email: _____

Parent (2) Occupation: _____ Cellphone or work #: _____ Email: _____

Summer fax number to which camper can fax letters: _____ Where did you hear about us? _____

II. PRIVATE LESSON SELECTION FOR CAMP THIS SUMMER (Please choose ONLY two)

- Campers receive 1 hr. of private lesson time weekly on the **primary** instrument/voice and ½ hr. weekly on the **secondary** one.
- If no secondary instrument/voice is selected, that camper will receive all 1-½ hrs. of lesson time on the **primary** instrument/voice.
- These choices are **final** because we hire our staff and recruit for particular instruments based on enrolled campers' choices.
- If you elect Piano, please specify CLASSICAL, JAZZ or POP; If you elect Violin, please specify TRADITIONAL or SUZUKI; If you elect Voice, please specify SOPRANO, ALTO, TENOR, or BASS:

Primary instrument/voice: _____ Years Studied: ____ Most Advanced Piece: _____

Winter Instructor's Name: _____ Email Address: _____

Secondary instrument/voice: _____ Years Studied: ____ Most Advanced Piece: _____

Winter Instructor's Name: _____ Email Address: _____

III. MUSICAL RECORDING (Audio or video: email attachment or YouTube posting, accompaniment not required, 5-7 minutes)

- **NOT** required for new **LOWER** campers or any **RETURNING** campers except those auditioning for the Senior-Conservatory program.
- Required selections for all new **UPPER** campers:
 - 2 scales (major or minor) that demonstrate your range, intonation and tone
 - 1 solo piece that best demonstrates your overall playing ability (concerto movement, etude, jazz standard, etc.)
- Required selections for all campers auditioning for the Conservatory program:
 - 6 major scales **and** 6 harmonic minor scales that demonstrate your range, intonation, tone & fluency
 - 2 contrasting solo pieces that best demonstrate your overall playing ability (concerto movement, etude, jazz standard, etc.)
====> We prefer to hear a district or all-state level piece. Your teacher should be able to advise you on specific choices.

IV. RECOMMENDATION (Required for new campers only)

Please ask a school teacher or guidance counselor (NOT a private music teacher, friend or family member) who knows your camper well to write a substantive recommendation which includes comments about attitude, cooperativeness, social skills & work habits, and email it directly to us at: jamie@encore-coda.com.

Name of recommender: _____ Email: _____

Relationship to camper: _____

V. BUNK REQUESTS

You may request two people [campers or staff members] with whom you would like to share a bunk this summer. We will try to accommodate your requests but do not guarantee that we will be able to do so. Please do not indicate more than two choices.

1) _____ 2) _____

VI. PERSONAL DESCRIPTION (Requested for all campers – new and returning)

Please help our staff members to get to know your camper before camp begins by attaching a description of his/her personality traits, achievements, needs, goals, interests, and anything else you would like us to know. This information is **extremely valuable** to our staff when preparing to work with campers, **and is needed from returning campers as well as newcomers**.