Summer Camps 2021
String Camp

- June 21st-25th, 2021
- Commuter day-camp ONLY
- Masks REQUIRED
- Ages 14-18
- $430 Tuition fee*
- Placement auditions for camp ensembles

Daily Activities
- Daily rehearsals, classes, and performances – TXST string faculty and guest clinicians will oversee students as they rehearse/perform with one of four string orchestras.
- Chamber Music – All students will participate in quartets and small ensembles with a designated TSUSC faculty member as a mentor and coach.

Optional Events*
- Private Lessons – Students may choose to enroll in up to three private lessons with a member of the Texas State faculty for an additional cost of $25 per half hour lesson.
- All State Etude Clinic – Offered for students entering grades 9-12 who wish to begin intensive preparation for the 2022 TMEA All-State Auditions in November for an additional cost of $25 for the week.
String Camp

**WHAT TO BRING**
- Your instrument, bow, and case.
- Extra supplies: rosin, rock stops, shoulder rests, tuners, extra strings, etc.
- Solo materials or etudes if you are taking private lessons. All-State etudes will be provided.
- A jacket or sweater; the Music Building AC runs very cold during the summer!

_Campers are asked to turn off cell phones during all rehearsals and classroom instruction._

**INSTRUMENT SECURITY**
All instruments will be stored in a secured classroom during meals. The camp director will control access to the classroom and the room will remain locked when not in use.

**DAILY SCHEDULE**
- 9:00am  Orchestra rehearsal
- 10:00am Orchestra rehearsal
- 11:00am Chamber music rehearsal
- 12:00pm Lunch
- 1:00pm  Orchestra rehearsal
- 2:00pm  Orchestra rehearsal
- 3:00pm  Chamber music rehearsal
- 4:00pm  All-state etude class (early dismissal)
- 5:00pm  Camp dismissal

_rooms are set on a rotation to allow for air exchanges._
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DUE AT REGISTRATION
Applications must be accompanied by a $150.00 non-refundable and non-transferable deposit (to be applied to final tuition cost) and completed medical and general release forms.

MEALS
Students will be responsible for bringing daily snacks throughout the week. More details regarding lunches will be emailed to enrolled participants as camp gets closer.

SPECIAL NEEDS
If your child has any food allergies, special medications, or if you have other concerns regarding the week of camp, please feel free to contact us!

CONTACT INFORMATION
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STRING CAMP | SCHOOL OF MUSIC
Percussion Camp

- June 28th-July 2nd, 2021
- Commuter day-camp ONLY
- Masks REQUIRED
- Middle & High School Students
- $375 Tuition fee*
- Placement auditions for camp ensembles

CHECK-IN & AUDITIONS
- Check-in will take place during the first morning block from 9:00-10:00am.
- Auditions will take place from 10:00am-12:00pm to place students in ensembles by ability.
- Audition music is available in the registration packet on our website.
- Repertoire will be determined by instrumentation and ability available after the first morning block.

TUITION DISCOUNTS*
We offer tuition discounts to students attending from the same school:
4-7 Students $25 off each student’s tuition.
8+ Students $50 off each student’s tuition.
Percussion Camp

WHAT TO BRING

- Snare sticks
- Mallets
- Practice Pad
- High School: drumline equipment/instruments.

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MEALS

Lunches will be provided to students. Snacks are available from the vending machines across campus.

DAILY SCHEDULE

9:00-12:00 High School-Drumline
Middle School-Rotation of percussion ensemble, steel band, and keyboard.

12:00-1:00 LUNCH

1:00-4:00 High School-Rotation of percussion ensemble, steel band, and keyboard. Middle School-Drumline, multicultural percussion, and TBD Masterclasses.

4:00-5:00 Guest/Camp Faculty Clinicians

_Rooms are set on a rotation to allow for air exchanges. This sample schedule is subject to change._
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CAMP STORE
The camp store will be open through the duration of camp. The store includes needed supplies such as mallets, sticks, practice pads, and other accessories.

FINAL PERFORMANCE
All campers will perform in a final concert to take place in the afternoon block of the final day. This performance will be available to view via livestream in a link made available to families during the week of camp. More information on this performance to come!

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Opera By The River

- July 18th-24th, 2021
- 100% virtual for 2021 ONLY
- High School Students
- $450 Tuition fee
- Application due May 31st
- Webcam, microphone, and strong WiFi necessary

Daily Activities
- Acting classes
- Voice lessons
- Diction coaching
- Masterclasses
- Performance opportunities
- And more!

Performance Scenes
- Rather than pre-assigned scenes, repertoire will be chosen after viewing all submission videos.
- A program of music will be built around abilities and voice types to meet students needs, allowing for growth without being too difficult or not challenging enough.
- Repertoire will be a mixture of Musical Theater and Opera.
TO APPLY
- Complete and submit the application.
- Email a headshot to operacamp@txstate.edu.
- Your application will be reviewed, and you will receive a response within one business week.
- Once accepted you will receive a code you will use to submit payment via the "Submit Payment" button on our webpage.

DEADLINES
- Application Deadline: May 31, 2021
- Deposit Due Date: June 4, 2021
- Tuition Due Date: July 1, 2021

This sample day-to-day online schedule is subject to change slightly.
Opera By The River

PARTNERSHIP
Opera By The River is hosted by Texas State Opera Theater in partnership with OPERA San Antonio. Students will have an opportunity to work with both TXST faculty as well as members of OPERA San Antonio!

TUITION
A non-refundable deposit of $100.00 will be due by June 4th, 2021. The additional $350.00 in tuition will be due no later than July 1st, 2021.

SOCIAL MEDIA
Follow us on Social Media!
  Facebook: @OperaByTheRiver
  Instagram: @OperaByTheRiver

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All-State Choir Camp

- July 27th-30th, 2021
- Virtual and in-person options
- In-person by audition process
  - Commuter day-camp ONLY
  - MASKS REQUIRED
- $295 In-Person Tuition fee
- $100 Virtual Tuition fee

Camp Activities & Goals
- Rehearsals daily from 10am-6pm.
- 9:00am check-in on July 27th.
- Camp concert at 5pm on Friday.
- Every rehearsal and sectional will be streamed via Zoom.
  - Virtual students will be able to hear section leaders, the accompanist, and all in-person singers in real time due to omni directional microphones.
  - Virtual students will be muted but may ask questions via chat and a counselor will facilitate the answers.
- Choir directors may sign up for the virtual camp. If 5+ students from a school register, directors will receive Zoom access at no charge.
- This four day camp is equivalent to 8 weeks of after-school instruction, giving students a great advantage toward the upcoming 2021-2022 TMEA All-State Competition.
All-State Choir Camp

REGISTRATION & AUDITIONS
- Registration for Virtual Campers begins June 1st and ends July 10th, and spots are unlimited.
- Registration for In-Person Campers is available by invitation only.
  - Scan the QR code to register for auditions by the end of TODAY, April 28th.
  - Audition invites will begin being sent on May 1st. Invitees will be selected by seniority, musical achievements, and music reading ability.
  - Invited students will receive a link to register and pay their tuition. Alternates will be notified if a seat opens up.

IN-PERSON LIMITS & SAFETY
- Only 80 singers will be invited to participate in the in-person camp; 10 per each of the eight voice parts.
- There will be no cap limit for the virtual camp.
- In-Person Campers will benefit from singing in Texas State University's state-of-the-art concert halls.
- All In-Person Campers must follow CDC guidelines such as, but not limited to, mask wearing, social distancing, and hand sanitization practices. Lunches will be outdoors and spaced out.
All-State Choir Camp

TUITION FEES & REQUIRED MATERIALS

In-Person Tuition is $295.00.

Price includes optional $30 catered lunches and $25 all-state music packet.

Virtual Tuition is $100.00.

All-State Music packets are REQUIRED for participation in this camp, but you may choose to purchase them through an outside vendor or through the camp.

Registration will become available on our website at choirs.music.txstate.edu/camp.html

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