## ELEMENTARY ORCHESTRA FEE AND RENTAL INFORMATION 2020-2021

The Canyons School District offers orchestra for students in grade 4 and 5, no experience necessary. Instruments include violin, viola and cello. All students need to provide their own instrument. **Some** orchestra instruments **might** be available for rent from the school for an additional fee. Please check with the orchestra teacher for availability. Do not pay for a rental in advance, it **WILL NOT** guarantee an instrument. Please **DO NOT** pay for a rental until you have spoken to the teacher and one is guaranteed. Instruments can also be rented or purchased from several local vendors at a reasonable rate. Given that instruments are very fragile, teachers will go over proper care of the instrument. **The rental fee DOES NOT cover damage to a school owned instrument caused by student neglect. Please never try to repair the instrument yourself!** If there are problems, discuss the issue with the teacher. No refunds are available on rental fees for students who do not remain in the program the full school year.

Classes are held before or after school twice a week. All classes begin the week after Labor Day and end the second to the last week of school. Parents/Guardians are responsible for transportation. Tuition is \$180.00 for the school year. Tuition can be paid in one lump sum or in payments. Eligible students can apply for a "fee waiver" to cover the tuition; however, fee waivers do not include instrument rentals. **Students on Free or Reduced lunch need to fill out a separate fee waiver application for this program each year. To apply for a fee waiver, please fill out the "Fee waiver application" form available with on-line orchestra registration.** Students will also need to purchase a method book for the class from a local vendor. Approximate cost of the book is \$9.00 - \$11.00. Please check with the teacher for information on what book is being used. Fee waivers do not cover the method book OR the instrument rental.

Payments can be made by check, money order, cash or credit card. Payments need to be made at the beginning of the orchestra class (October \$180.00), or two equal payments (October & February @ \$90.00 each). You may also choose to do 8 equal payments of \$22.50, payable by the 5<sup>th</sup> of each month October through May. ALL payments must be made by May 5, 2021. If tuition payments are behind more than two months, students will not be allowed to participate until payments are up-to-date. Refunds for tuition are given under the following circumstances: student moves schools, student has a health issue that does not allow them to continue, school closures due to Coronavirus or other unforeseen circumstance. Refunds will not be given for students who decide to quit for other reasons, therefore monthly payments are highly recommended.

To avoid lost or delayed payments, checks or money orders should be mailed directly to:

Canyons School District attn: Sharee Jorgensen 9361 S. 300 E. Sandy, Utah 84070

You can also pay online at the following link: <a href="https://canyons.revtrak.net">https://canyons.revtrak.net</a>

For other information, check out the "Frequently Asked Questions" with the on-line registration or contact the school specific teacher (email links below) or contact:

Sharee Jorgensen, Canyons District Arts Chair

email: sharee.jorgensen@canyonsdistrict.org (801) 826-5097

## PLEASE COMPLETE ONLINE REGISTRATION by SEPTEMBER 1st

ELEMENTARY ORCHESTRA REGISTRATION LINK: elementarymusic.canyonsdistrict.org

IF YOU WISH TO PAY ONLINE, PLEASE REGISTER AND THEN FIND PAYMENT LINK: <a href="https://canvons.revtrak.net">https://canvons.revtrak.net</a>

\*\*Your teacher, Peg Stewart, may be reached at: (801)349-0189 (text/cell) or pegeen.stewart@canyonsdistrict.org