



Passionate about Music and Creative Youth Development?

Want to make music education relevant, accessible, and inclusive?

Apply to become a teaching artist at an award-winning Stamford-based organization!

Position

Substitute Teaching Artists in Violin, Viola, Cello, Guitar, Ukulele, Charango, Piano, Voice and General Music

Contract Position (1099)

Compensation: \$40-60 per hour based on experience

Reports to the Manager of Education and Community Impact

Organization

INTEMPO Organization

Stamford, CT

Founded in 2011, INTEMPO is a Stamford, CT-based non-profit arts education and youth-development organization whose mission is to make music education relevant, accessible, and inclusive through the use of classical and cross-cultural instruments and repertoire. INTEMPO aims to close the opportunity gap for opportunity youth and create a more inclusive community through the arts and youth leadership. The organization's accomplishments include receiving the 2022 Lewis Prize for Music Accelerator Award, the 2019 Adolf Busch Award and being named a finalist for the 2016 and 2017 National Arts and Humanities Youth Program Award.

Position Description

INTEMPO, a national leader in music education and creative youth development, seeks Substitute Teaching Artists who are experienced musicians and educators. Substitute Teaching Artists are responsible for supporting young musicians when their regular teacher is unavailable. INTEMPO's classes occur primarily in the afternoon and evening, from 4-8PM, at our Music School in Stamford, CT, and include students ages 6-17. In addition to their teaching responsibilities, Substitute Teaching Artists may also be invited to participate in summer camp (8-3PM, two weeks in August), community-based events, additional rehearsals, concerts, professional development, and other events during the course of the year.

Responsibilities

- Teach various levels of children's instrumental lessons in a group setting during weekly classes
- Teach private lessons to advanced students on primary instrument
- Create a nurturing environment for youth ages 6-17
- Participate in organizational concerts and events

Availability

- Lessons and Group Classes scheduled during both school and after school hours M-F as needed
- Additional training and professional development scheduled around teacher availability in evenings and weekends as needed
- Summer opportunities may be available, both at INTEMPO's summer camp and partner programming
- Key organizational public events (dates pending and communicated well in advance)

Qualifications

We understand that candidates rarely meet 100% of the qualifications. We strongly encourage candidates, in particular women and people from underrepresented backgrounds, to apply if they meet many of the qualifications and are eager to grow in this role.

Successful candidates will possess the following qualities:

- Passionate about creative youth development, social justice and intercultural education
- Accomplished and experienced musician
- Able to communicate musical ideas to youth effectively
- Highly adaptable, flexible and eager to grow and learn in a fast-paced environment
- Forward thinker and collaborative mindset
- Extremely organized and attentive to details
- Bachelor of Music or Music Education degree (preferred)
- Two years of experience teaching music
- Bilingual (Spanish/English) experience a plus
- Experience working at inner-city schools or urban environment

Application

Please send the following to info@intempo.org with the Subject Line: Substitute Teaching Artist Candidate [insert instrument/position]

- Cover letter
- Resume
- Sample lesson plan OR teaching video

Interviews will happen on a rolling basis. For questions, contact: info@intempo.org