

Health & Safety Policies

In order to protect the health of all our students and teachers, we ask everyone to follow these policies. We reserve the right to ask anyone to leave if they don't comply.

Continuing Lessons Online

- **All voice lessons will continue online at this time.** Singing has been shown to be a high-risk activity due to the nature of the breathwork involved, regardless of other precautions. To reduce the possibility that the virus could become aerosolized indoors, we will not permit singing in the studios at this time.
- **All other students are encouraged to continue lessons online even after the studios reopen.** This will help us minimize the number of people interacting in person, reducing the risk of transmission and simplifying the process of contact tracing if that becomes necessary.

Conducting Lessons In-Studio

- **If you or anyone in your household feels unwell in any way,** or if think you may have been exposed to the coronavirus in the last 14 days, please stay home. We'll offer makeup lessons at a later time.
- **If you or anyone in your household has underlying health issues** that may put you at greater risk of experiencing severe illness, we strongly encourage you to continue lessons online rather than in-person.
- **No one is allowed in the building except teachers and students.** Parents must drop their children at the door and return to pick them up without entering. Parents who wish to observe lessons may ask their child's teacher to set up a videoconference meeting during the in-person lesson.
- **No one is allowed to approach the reception desk.** All conversations must take place by phone or email.
- **Everyone in the building is required to wear a face mask.**
 - Please arrive wearing your own mask if you have one.
 - We'll provide some extras for those who need one.
- **Students should bring their own pencils, erasers, and paper,** to avoid the need to share materials.
- **Students may wait in the lobby before and after lessons.** We'll mark seating for them to stay 6 feet apart in case there are multiple students waiting at a time.
- **Teachers will fetch their students from the lobby one at a time,** avoiding others in the hallway.
- **Teachers and students will proceed directly to a sink,** where they will each wash their hands for 20 seconds.
- **Students and teachers must remain at least 6 feet apart during lessons.** We'll mark the floors accordingly.
- **Between each lesson, teachers will clean pianos and door knobs with a disinfecting wipe.**



ALBUQUERQUE INSTITUTE OF MUSIC

8804 Washington St NE Suite G
Albuquerque, NM 87113

📞 505-508-2615

✉️ ABQInstituteMusic@gmail.com

🌐 ABQInstituteofMusic.com

📘 [AlbuquerqueInstituteOfMusic](https://www.facebook.com/AlbuquerqueInstituteOfMusic)