



SUPPLIES – GUITAR

INSTRUMENTS: I prefer students start on Classical Guitar (Nylon String) to build finger calluses but they can also start on Steel String Guitar. Both should have a guitar case. (Instruments are loaned with priority given to those families with financial need first.)

Guitar Sizing by height of student:

Below 4'6" = ½ Size Guitar 4'6" and Below 5" = ¾ Size Guitar 5" and Above = Full Size Guitar

METHOD BOOKS:

- **Beginning Guitar:**
 - Hal Leonard - Guitar for Kids Method Book 1 by Bob Morris and Jeff Schroedl
 - Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 1 by Kevin Daley
- **Intermediate Guitar:**
 - Hal Leonard - Guitar for Kids Method Book 2 by Chad Johnson
 - Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 1 by Kevin Daley

*Be sure to get the correct book for your Level and **put your name on it.**

You might be asked by the instructor purchase:

- Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 2 by Kevin Daley
- Christopher Parkening Classical Guitar Method Book
- Pumping Nylon by Scott Tenant

ACCESSORIES:

- Guitar Case
- Guitar Strap
- One extra pack of strings (depends on Guitar)
 - Nylon (Normal tension)
 - Steel (Light Tension)
- Tuner (there are free apps or you can buy one)
- Metronome (there are free apps or you can purchase one)
- Guitar picks:
 - Light (strumming) / medium (picking)
- Pencil
- Binder (for handouts and music)
- A Piece of cloth (to wipe guitar clean)
- Music Stand (for home use)
- Foot stool (also known as foot rest)

Instruments are available to purchase from music stores in the area at the following locations:

Henson's 301 S A Str#5885 Oxnard, CA 93030 805-486-8742	Musician's Depot 30839 Thousand Oaks Blvd Westlake Village, CA 91362 818-706-3795	Nick Rail Music 5023 Kanan Agoura Hills, CA 91301 818-991-3750	Musician's Depot 30839 Thousand Oaks Blvd Westlake Village, CA 818-706-3795
Wally World 1459 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd Thousand Oaks, CA 91362 805-496-8322	Instrumental Music 1501 E Thousand Oaks Blvd Thousand Oaks, CA 91362 805-496-3774	Penrose Strings 2291 Ventura Blvd Camarillo CA 93010 805-309-5993	

If you have an instrument in the family or plan to borrow a used instrument, please have it checked by an instrument repair technician. **Note** – If you buy a used instrument online, please make sure you buy from a seller that will let you send it back if the instrument is not in good working condition. Also, it is highly recommended that you stay with “name brands” if you are buying an instrument. Name brands include: Yamaha, Lucero, Cordoba, Martin, Fender, Epiphone, Taylor, Takamine... just to name a few. Instrumental Music Program Voice Mail – 805-207-6608