



**COVID -19 LIABILITY WAIVER  
REQUIRED of ALL STUDENTS  
before beginning any in-person activities**

I acknowledge the contagious nature of the Coronavirus/COVID-19 and that the CDC and many other public health authorities still recommend practicing social distancing. I further acknowledge that Community Music School has put in place preventative measures to reduce the spread of the Coronavirus/COVID-19.

I further acknowledge that Community Music School cannot guarantee that I will not become infected with the Coronavirus/Covid-19. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to and/or infected by the Coronavirus/COVID-19 may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, school staff, board of trustee members, and other school clients and their families.

**ASSUMPTION OF RISK:** I have read and understood the above warning concerning COVID-19. I hereby choose to accept the risk of contracting COVID-19 for myself and/or my children in order to utilize Community Music School's services and enter Community Music School's premises. These services are of such value to me [and/or my children] that I accept the risk of being exposed to, contracting, and/or spreading COVID-19 in order to utilize Community Music School's services and premises in person rather than arranging for an alternate method of enjoying the same services virtually (e.g. videoconference).

I attest that I will only attend in-person activities or lessons at CMS when:

- \* I am not experiencing any symptom of illness including, but not limited to cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fever, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, or new loss of taste or smell.
- \* A public health or medical professional or current CDC guidelines has not advised that I isolate or self-quarantine because of concerns about COVID-19 infection.
- \* [if unvaccinated]: I've not had contact within the past 10 days with anyone who has had COVID-19 or COVID-like symptoms.
- \* I have not been diagnosed with Coronavirus/Covid-19 and not yet cleared as non-contagious by state or local public health authorities, and/or current CDC guidelines.
- \* I am following all CDC recommended guidelines as much as possible and limiting my exposure to the Coronavirus/COVID-19.

**WAIVER OF LAWSUIT/LIABILITY:** I hereby release and agree to hold Community Music School harmless from, and waive on behalf of myself, my heirs, and any personal representatives any and all causes of action, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses and compensation for damage or loss to myself and/or property that may be caused by any act, or failure to act of the school, or that may otherwise arise in any way in connection with any services received from Community Music School. I understand that this release discharges Community Music School from any liability or claim that I, my heirs, or any personal representatives may have against the school with respect to any bodily injury, illness, death, medical treatment, or property damage that may arise from, or in connection to, any services received from Community Music School. This liability waiver and release extends to the school together with all trustees and employees.

**I HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ALL PROVISIONS OF THIS RELEASE, AND FREELY AND KNOWINGLY ASSUME THE RISK AND WAIVE MY RIGHTS CONCERNING LIABILITY AS DESCRIBED ABOVE.**

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Student Name

if under 18: Parent/guardian Name

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Student Signature (or parent/guardian signature)

Date