



Department of Culture and Humanities / Arts and Humanities Division

Performing Arts

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Fall 2025 School of Music Application

Application submission deadline: August 22, 2025

Name: _____
First Middle Last Suffix

Affiliation: (Please select one that best applies to the student.)

☐ Chickasaw/Chickasaw family ☐ Other First American/Chickasaw Nation employee ☐ None

Birth date: _____ Age by September 2025: _____ Grade level: _____

Home phone no.: (____) _____ Cell phone no.: (____) _____

Preferred email address: _____

Parent/legal guardian information: (Please complete this section if the student is a minor.)

Name: _____
First Middle Last Suffix

Phone no.: (____) _____

Emergency contacts: (Please list two individuals (other than parents/legal guardian(s) to call in case of an emergency.)

Name and relationship: _____ Phone no.: (____) _____

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Fall 2025 Chickasaw School of Music schedule:

The Chickasaw Nation School of Music classes will meet in Ada, Oklahoma throughout the fall 2025 academic semester. Weekly attendance is required.

Fall 2025 semester: Week of Monday, September 8 - week of Monday, December 8.

Class selection: (Please select all classes you wish to apply for.)

School of Piano: (Class progresses in difficulty from level 1 to 4.)

Times	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
4:15 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 1 Ages: 8-11	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 3 Ages: 8-11	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 3 Ages: 12-high school
5:15 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 3 Ages: 12-high school	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 1 Ages: 12-high school	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 2 Ages: 8-11
6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 1 Ages: Adult	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 3 Ages: Adult	<input type="checkbox"/> Level 1 Ages: Adult

School of Guitar:

Times	Thursday
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Kids beginning guitar Ages: 10-13
4:40 p.m. - 5:10 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Teens beginning guitar Ages: 14-high school
5:20 p.m. - 5:50 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Adults beginning guitar Ages: Adult
6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. CST	<input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate guitar Ages: All

Performance opportunities:

The Chickasaw Nation School of Music students will participate in numerous performances throughout the semester, including fall and winter recitals. Select students in the Chickasaw Nation School of Piano will be encouraged to compete in the National Federation of Music Clubs Festival. This program is designed to give students 18 years of age and younger the opportunity to perform and receive a yearly evaluation and encourages each student to reach a high standard of musical achievement.

Attendance commitment:

By signing this document, I recognize that by enrolling my student in classes with the Chickasaw Nation School of Music, I am committing to have my student in class on time for the full duration of all scheduled classes for the fall 2025 semester to the best of my abilities and I understand that failing to do so may result in dismissal from class and/or performance opportunities.

Chickasaw citizen priority:

I understand that this program is first and foremost designed for Chickasaw citizens, and those students will be given priority enrollment.

Submit applications via email to Zachary.Garcia@Chickasaw.net or in person at the Chickasaw Nation Arts and Humanities building located at 201 North Broadway Avenue, Ada, Oklahoma.

For enrollment guidance, please contact Zach Garcia at Zachary.Garcia@Chickasaw.net.

Parent/legal guardian consent, release, waiver of liability and indemnification:

In consideration of my student being permitted to participate in the Chickasaw Nation School of Music, I, on behalf of my student, myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, hereby state that:

1. I believe that my student is physically and mentally capable of participating in, the Chickasaw Nation School of Music. I knowingly and freely assume any and all risks, both known and unknown, of illness, injury, death, damage and/or loss to my student, to others and/or to property that might be associated with or result from my student's participation in the Chickasaw Nation School of Music, even if arising from the negligence of the Chickasaw Nation or others.
2. I release and forever discharge the Chickasaw Nation, its employees, officers, directors, shareholders, affiliates, representatives, successors and assigns of and from all liability, claims, demands, damages, costs, expenses, actions and causes of action in respect of death, injury, loss or damage to my student or property however caused, arising or by reason of or during my student's participation in the Chickasaw Nation School of Music, whether prior to, during or subsequent to my student's participation notwithstanding that any claim may have been contributed to or occasioned by the negligence of the Chickasaw Nation, its employees, officers, directors, shareholders, affiliates, agents, representatives, successors and assigns.
3. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Chickasaw Nation, its employees, officers, directors, shareholders, affiliates, agents, representatives, successors and assigns, from and against any and all liability incurred by the Chickasaw Nation or damage to any property thereof arising as a result of or in any way connected to my student's participation in the Chickasaw Nation School of Music.
4. I grant permission to the Chickasaw Nation, its agents or employees to photograph, record, film and videotape my student during the Chickasaw Nation School of Music events/programs and to use such materials in any and all publications, educational materials, research, marketing, advertising, news media and web materials for future promotion of the Chickasaw Nation, its programs and events. I understand and agree that such materials, including all negatives, positives, digital images, prints, recordings or anything derived therefrom created by the Chickasaw Nation, will become and remain the sole property of the Chickasaw Nation and I will have no right or title to such items. If I should receive any print, negative, recording or copy, I will not authorize its use by anyone else. I will have no right of approval, no claim to any compensation, now or in the future and no claim (including without limitation, claims based upon invasion of privacy, defamation or right of publicity) arising out of any uses, alteration, distortion or illusionary effect or use in any composite form. I understand and agree that these materials may be kept

on file and used for future purposes. I hereby agree to release the Chickasaw Nation from any and all liability arising from or in connection with the taking, use, publication or dissemination of such materials now or in the future.

5. I understand that the Chickasaw Nation is a sovereign entity and that the Chickasaw Nation does not waive any sovereign rights or immunities by offering and hosting this event/program.
6. In case of an accident or need for emergency medical attention, I give permission to the Chickasaw Nation School of Music staff to take my student to a medical provider and/or emergency facility of the Chickasaw Nation's choice. I understand that I will be responsible for all expenses for treatment provided to my student.
7. I understand that my student is required to follow all aspects of the Chickasaw Nation School of Music's code of conduct and dress code. Failure to adhere to these policies will result in dismissal from the Chickasaw Nation School of Music and all related events.

This consent, release, waiver of liability and indemnification is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the applicable laws of the Chickasaw Nation.

Applicant signature

Date

Parent/legal guardian signature (if student is a minor)

Date