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*Education Built on Relationships*

## The School of Fine Arts (SOFA)

At the School of Fine Arts students have the opportunity to learn and develop skills with the guidance of qualified Christian instructors, and to use those skills in a variety of ministry settings.

### Features

- Private weekly lessons
- Lessons before, during or after school
- Students may prepare for Royal Conservatory or Conservatory Canada Exams
- Students may participate in the Winnipeg Music Festival Competition
- Master Classes and Performance Classes
- Recitals at the end of each semester (February and June)
- Opportunities to participate in musicals, dramas or other programs developed by the church or school
- Opportunities to perform in recitals at seniors' homes, Sunday morning services at GMBC, LCS Chapels, annual Musicathon fundraiser for missions

### Art Classes – (Grades 1 – 8)

SOFA art students will study famous artists from history and be inspired to create their own work in those styles! Students will get to explore a large variety of media including drawing, painting, clay, felt work, collage, oil pastel and block printing. Building on foundational skills from previous art experiences and exposure, students will grow and gain experience with new mediums while paying homage to the past.

### Musical Theatre – (Grades 4 – 8)

This course will provide students with a safe, fun, and educational exposure to musical theatre. The course will include group vocal lessons focusing on healthy singing techniques, improvisation and rudimentary acting techniques and simple choreography. Students will work in small groups and ensemble situations with the focus on teamwork. There will be an informal Christmas presentation and a final production comprised of 5-8 different scenes depending on the number of students.

### Private Music Lessons Offered

- Piano • Guitar • Voice • Voice/Piano combo • Flute • Violin • Cello • Viola • Theory • Saxophone
- Clarinet • Trumpet • French Horn • Euphonium • Trombone • History & Pedagogy • Percussion

To register for private lessons email the Administrator of the School of Fine, Rita Zurzolo at [sofa@lindenchristian.org](mailto:sofa@lindenchristian.org). To read SOFA Instructor Bios visit: [www.lindenchristian.org/about/#6](http://www.lindenchristian.org/about/#6)

**“Praise His name with dancing; play drums and harps in praise of Him.” Psalm 149:3**