

Hear & Now Music Summer Camp - July 2025

 **Music & Songwriting Camp for ages 10-15** 

Camp Overview:

For our older campers, we offer a **Music & Songwriting Camp** that dives deep into the world of music creation! This camp is perfect for kids who are passionate about music and want to take their skills to the next level. With a special focus on songwriting, musical composition, and artist-inspired themes, campers will explore the creative process behind the music they love, including artists from a variety of genres such as **pop, rock, indie and R&B**. Themes will be inspired by musical icons like **Taylor Swift, Billie Eilish, Olivia Rodrigo, Travis Scott** and others, helping campers discover their own unique musical voice.

Throughout the two-week sessions, campers will gain hands-on experience in writing original songs, learning the basics of music production, and performing live. Led by professional musicians with **Bachelor's and Master's degrees in music**, our expert instructors will guide campers through every step of the process, from lyric writing to creating professional-sounding recordings.

Camp Dates: Session 1: July 7-18, 2025

Session 2: July 21-August 1, 2025

Time: Monday to Friday, 9:00 AM - 3:30 PM (optional extended care from 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM)

Location: 65 Glen Manor Rd

Pricing:

- \$750 for full session (2 weeks)
- \$399 per week

What's Included:

Songwriting & Music Production

Campers will learn to compose original songs, focusing on melody, harmony, lyrics, and arrangement. They'll explore the entire process of creating music from scratch.

Artist-Inspired Themes

Dive into the music of iconic artists like **Taylor Swift, Olivia Rodrigo** and **Billie Eilish**. Analyze their unique styles and draw inspiration to craft your own original songs.

Recording with Professional Equipment

Experience the thrill of recording your songs using industry-standard microphones, digital audio workstations, and MIDI controllers. Campers will gain hands-on experience with professional-grade tools used by music creators.

End-of-Camp Showcase

Perform your original songs on stage for family and friends in a grand finale showcase! Each performance will be backed by live accompaniment from professional musicians, adding an authentic and dynamic element to their creations.

- Optional: Performances will be recorded with high-quality video and audio equipment, and families will receive a professionally edited recording as a keepsake.

Collaborative Songwriting

Team up with fellow campers to create new songs, experiencing the fun and creativity of working in a group while learning essential collaborative skills.

Industry Insights

Discover how the music industry works, from songwriting to production and release. Gain insight into the business side of music and how to turn your passion into a career.

Expert Guidance

Learn from experienced musicians and educators with advanced degrees in music. They'll mentor campers on everything from songwriting techniques to performance skills, helping each participant grow and shine.

Day Camp-Like Activities

In addition to all the music and songwriting, campers will enjoy a mix of day camp-style activities like outdoor games, sports, and arts and crafts to keep the energy up and provide fun breaks throughout the day. These activities allow campers to bond, relax, and recharge for more music-making!

Why Choose our Music and Songwriting Camp?

- **Expert Instructors:** Our camp is now led by professional performing musicians with Master's Degrees in music, ensuring a more in-depth, personalized, and professional learning environment.
- **Recording Sessions:** We're providing professional recording sessions, where campers can record their original songs in a real studio.
- **Performance Opportunities:** Campers will also have the chance to perform their original compositions at a live showcase, giving them real-world performance experience.

- **Specialized Learning:** With a focus on songwriting, music production, and performance, this camp offers unique industry-level experience.
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How to Register

Ready to join the fun? Registration opens **January 2025!** Spaces fill up quickly, so don't wait. To secure your spot, simply click the link below:

[\[Register Now\]](#)

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: Do you need prior music experience to join the camp?

A: No experience is required for the Music Exploration Camp (Ages 5-10), as it is designed for beginners and those new to music. However, for the Music & Songwriting Camp (Ages 10-14), basic knowledge of music or an instrument is recommended (though not mandatory), as the camp focuses on more advanced concepts like songwriting and performance.

Q: What should my child bring to camp?

A: Campers should bring a water bottle, 2 healthy snacks, a nut-free lunch, and any personal instruments they may have (though instruments will be provided for those who need them).

Q: How can I ensure my child is placed in the right camp session?

A: When registering, please select the camp that best matches your child's age and interests. If you're unsure about which camp to choose, feel free to reach out to us at hearandnowmusiclessons@gmail.com or 647-370-0988, and we can help guide you through the options.

Registration is complete upon acceptance of completed registration forms and payment. Payment options include email transfer, cash, or cheque. Questions about camp can be directed to us at 647-370-0988 or hearandnowmusiclessons@gmail.com