

Dear Cassell 3rd- 5th grade parents and guardians,

As we begin a more official chapter in remote learning, I want to provide you with more resources to help continue your child's music education. First off, please feel free to contact me by email at dstournoux@cps.edu at any time if you have questions or concerns.

Hard Copy: Over the course of remote learning, students will have some options of how they want to pursue their music education. For those who prefer to or need to work through reading and written work, I'm providing an optional hard copy packet on Composers of the Classical, Baroque, and Romantic eras. These papers, as well as other materials and resources will also be provided and linked to from the Cassell Music Site: cassellmusic.weebly.com

E-Learning: Students who have the ability to connect to Google Classroom and would like to work on more performance based coursework should check their CPS email accounts for invitations to Google Classroom. From that Classroom, they'll be given the opportunity to join a class in Music Technology, Virtual Modern Band, or Class Voice. These classes will be conducted online and will involve students practicing at home between classes. **Students joining one or more of the online classes do not need to complete the attached assignments.**

Students who choose to complete the packets should focus on a different Composer Book each week.

Week 1 (April 13 - April 17): Overview - Baroque, Classical, Romantic

1. [My Classical Music Book](#)

Week 2 (April 20 - April 24): Beethoven in Depth

1. [Ludwig van Beethoven](#) - The Boy who was Forced to Practice.

Week 3 (April 27 - May 1): Mozart in Depth

1. [Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart](#) - A Boy who Gave Concerts.

I definitely miss getting to see everyone on the stage and can't wait until we're able to get back into Cassell! Thanks for all of your patience and support as we continue this journey of remote learning!

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