LOCATION
Jefferson Middle School is located at:

1372 East Las Tunas Drive
San Gabriel, CA 91776

Conveniently located on Las Tunas Drive, East of Walnut Grove Avenue (east of San Gabriel Blvd.), West of Muscatel Avenue (west of Rosemead Blvd.), and North of the I-10.

Most instruction will take place on the north side of the school campus, before the “B” building. Main entrance to the school is located off the southwest corner of the north parking lot. This walkway along the school administration building allows access to all classrooms.

Parking is available on the north and along the east side of the campus. Parking ends at the gate to the athletic field on the south side.

Saturday Conservatory of Music
a project of Community PARTNERS®

MISSION
The Saturday Conservatory of Music was established to provide affordable, quality music instruction to children in the greater Los Angeles area, primarily targeting children from low-income families who are school-trained music students.

HISTORY
In 1966, music coordinator of the East Los Angeles region of the Los Angeles Unified School District, Carl Bruce with his music teacher wife, Ellen, and Robert Runge, Professor of Music Education at California State University, Los Angeles, organized the Cal State L.A. Saturday Conservatory of Music. The purpose of the Conservatory was, and still is, to provide an affordable, more individualized musical experience than is offered in public school music programs. Instrumental and vocal classes are taught in small groups by specialists who are trained music educators.

Mailing Address:
Saturday Conservatory of Music
P.O. Box 40138
Pasadena, CA 91114

SUPPORT CONSERVATORY
If you would like to help us continue offering affordable music instruction, please support our program by making a tax-deductible donation. Send checks to our P.O. Box made out to "Community Partners f.b.o. Saturday Conservatory of Music". Thank you.

f.b.o. = for the benefit of
SCHEDULE

**FALL 2015**
10/3, 10/10, 10/17, 10/24, 10/31, 11/7, 11/14, 11/21, (off 11/28 for Thanksgiving), 12/5 (r), 12/12 (c)

**WINTER 2016**
1/9, 1/16, 1/23, 1/30, 2/6, (off 2/13 for Presidents’), 2/20, 2/27, 3/5, 3/12 (r), 3/19 (c)

**SPRING 2016**

(r) = recitals, (c) = concert

REGISTRATION

**Fall Quarter Registration, 9/26/15**
RETURNING students ONLY at 9:30 a.m.
All students at 11:00 a.m.
Returning students: Winter Quarter Pre-registration, 11/21/15, 12/5/15, and 12/12/15

**Winter Quarter Registration, 1/9/16 ONLY**
Returning students: Spring Quarter Pre-registration, 3/5/16, 3/12/16, and 3/19/16

- Student must be present.
- Student must bring your instrument(s).
- Student should be prepared to play music he/she is familiar with. It does not need to be memorized.

HOURS OF OPERATION
Saturdays, 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Classes are 50 minutes long, with the exception of Youth Symphony West rehearsals which are 2 hours long.

All classes begin at 8:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., or 11:30 a.m. only. Youth Symphony West begins at 12:00 p.m. and ends at 2:00 p.m.

Not every class is offered every hour.

**PROGRAM OFFERINGS**

Group Lessons
Available for these instruments:

- Violin
- Clarinet
- Percussion
- Viola
- Saxophone
- Piano
- Cello
- French Horn
- Harp
- Bass
- Trumpet
- Classical Guitar
- Flute
- Trombone
- Voice
- Oboe
- Music Jungle*

*Denote new class offering (for 4 to 7 years of age)

Groups
- Intermediate String Ensemble
- Advanced String Ensemble
- Children’s Choir
- SCM Choir
- Beginning Orchestra
- Intermediate Orchestra
- Advanced Orchestra
- Youth Symphony West
- Jazz Improvisation Lab*

Theory
These classes are designed to help students improve their ability to read and interpret musical symbols, play rhythmic patterns, sight sing, read and hear and remember melodies and chords. This is included for students who are enrolled in the full program.

Basic Class Schedule:
- a lesson class
- a group class in orchestra or choir
- a theory class

FEES

Tuition $120 per quarter
Registration $10 per quarter (non-refundable)

OTHER FEES
- $5 per student discount for siblings
- $50 for orchestra only (plus registration fee). $40 for additional ensemble class. Available ONLY to students taking private lessons.
- $10 for each additional orchestra or ensemble
- $40 for each additional instrument
- $10 for late registration

Fees subject to change.

FORMS OF PAYMENT
Check and cash

If for ANY reason a check is returned, we will assess a $25 fee. We do not accept credit or debit cards.

EXPECTATIONS
- It is mandatory for each student to have an instrument(s) to practice on.
- Each student must bring their instrument(s) to class.
- Attendance is mandatory.
- Missed classes will result in being dropped from the class.
- Practice is mandatory – 20 to 30 minutes per day per instrument is the minimum.
- Unruly or destructive behavior will result in removal from the program without refund.

ELIGIBILITY

Students between the ages of six and twenty may attend this music program. The Conservatory strongly supports school music. Conservatory students are required to participate in their respective school music programs if available.