



## WACO Curriculum & Instructional Plan

Wheeler Avenue Community
Orchestra

Donor, Parent, & Stakeholder Presentation



## Program Overview

- Inclusive community orchestra rooted in African American cultural excellence
- Serving beginner, intermediate, and advanced string and wind musicians
- Monday sessions from Sept. 8 Dec. 22, culminating in a Holiday Performance
- Supported by University of Houston Moores
   School of Music

# UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON PARTNERSHIP



- • UH Music Majors serve as volunteer instructors and receive observation credit
- Lead beginner & intermediate breakout sessions
- Provide sectional coaching, tone/rhythm games, and feedback
- Build leadership and teaching experience



## REHEARSAL SESSION ASSESSMENTS

- September 29 Beginner Assessment: Tone, posture, rhythm
- October 27 Intermediate Assessment:
   Scales, phrasing, sight-reading
- November 24 Advanced Assessment: Solo performance, interpretation
- December 15 Full Mock Performance (all tiers)
- December 22 Holiday Showcase Performance

### INSTRUCTIONAL Calendar highlights

- Weekly Monday rehearsals (Sept. 8 Dec. 22)
- Repertoire Target fields Directors/UH
   Majors assign pieces weekly
- Peer-to-peer workshops (Sept. 22, Oct. 20, Nov. 17)
- Full rehearsals before assessments and final showcase

#### WEBSITE ACCESS

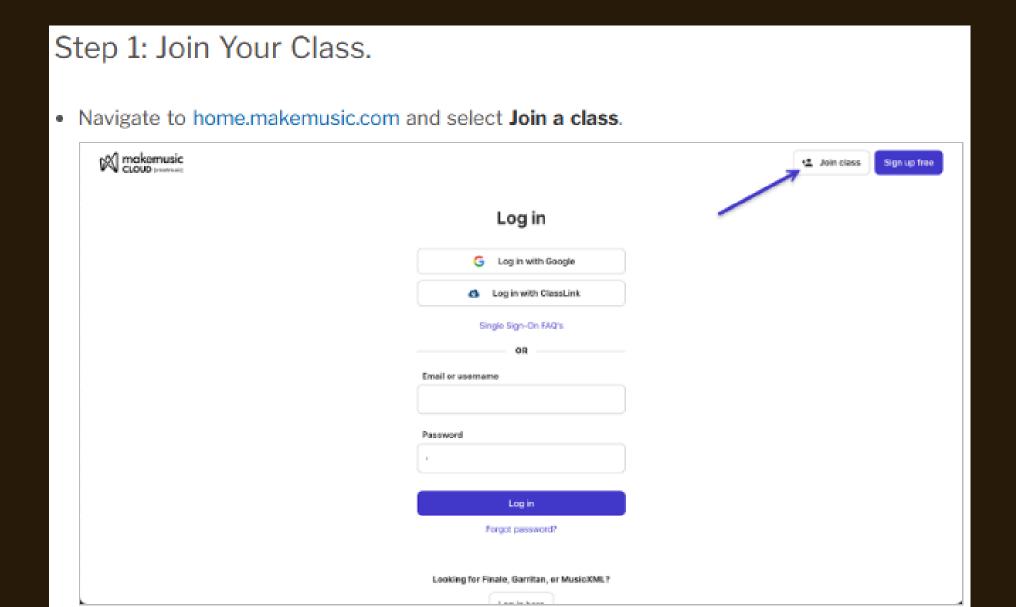
- Information for the organization can be currently accessed at the following website address https://www.m-i-p-c1.com/waco
- Additional information will be added to the site

#### Wheeler Avenue Community Orchestra (WACO)

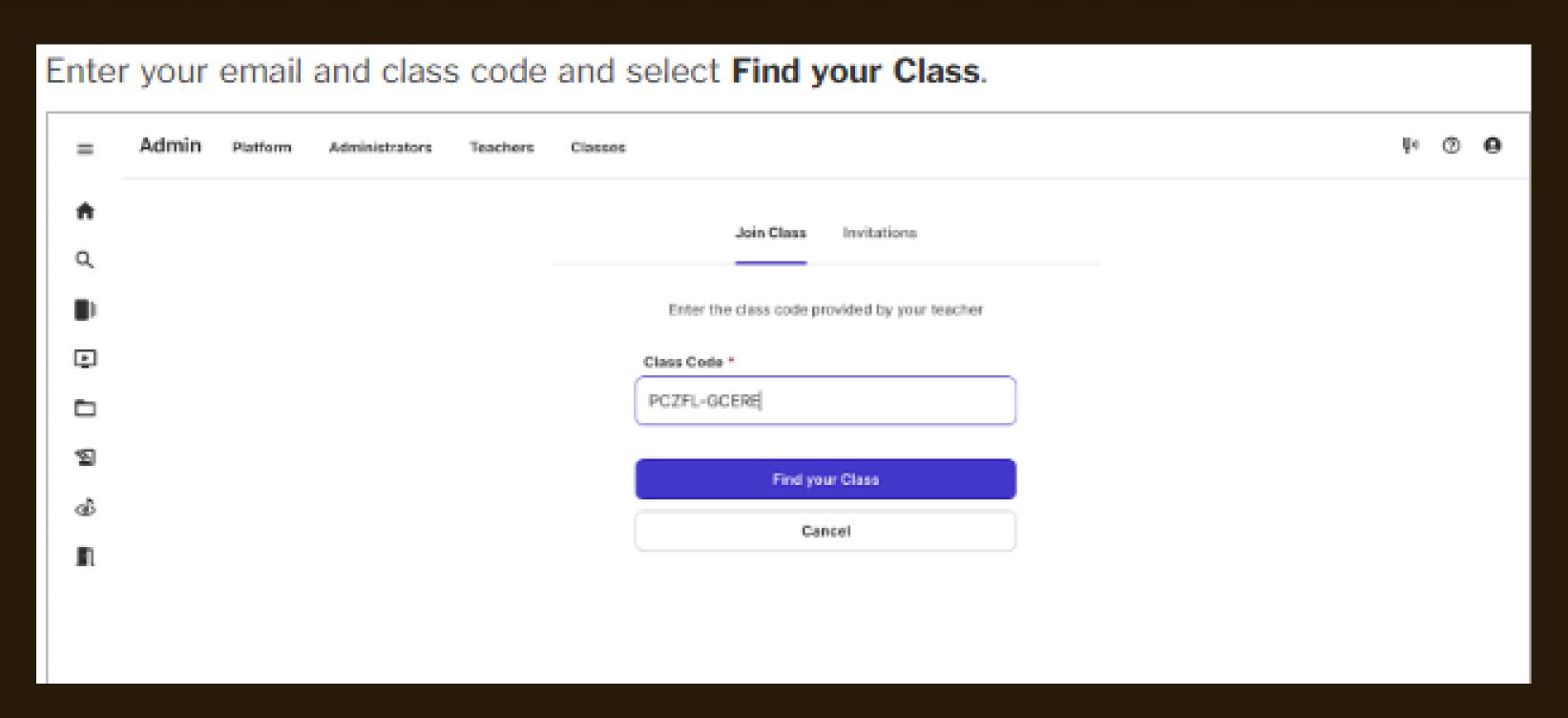
Comprehensive Three-Tier Curriculum • Mondays • September 8 – December 22

#### MAKE MUSIC ACCESS

- Make Music is the interactive program for participants to practice and learn music
- It is an annually paid subscription \$29.99 per year
- Visit the website to purchase the yearly subscription
- Here is a step-by=step presentation of the enrollment process

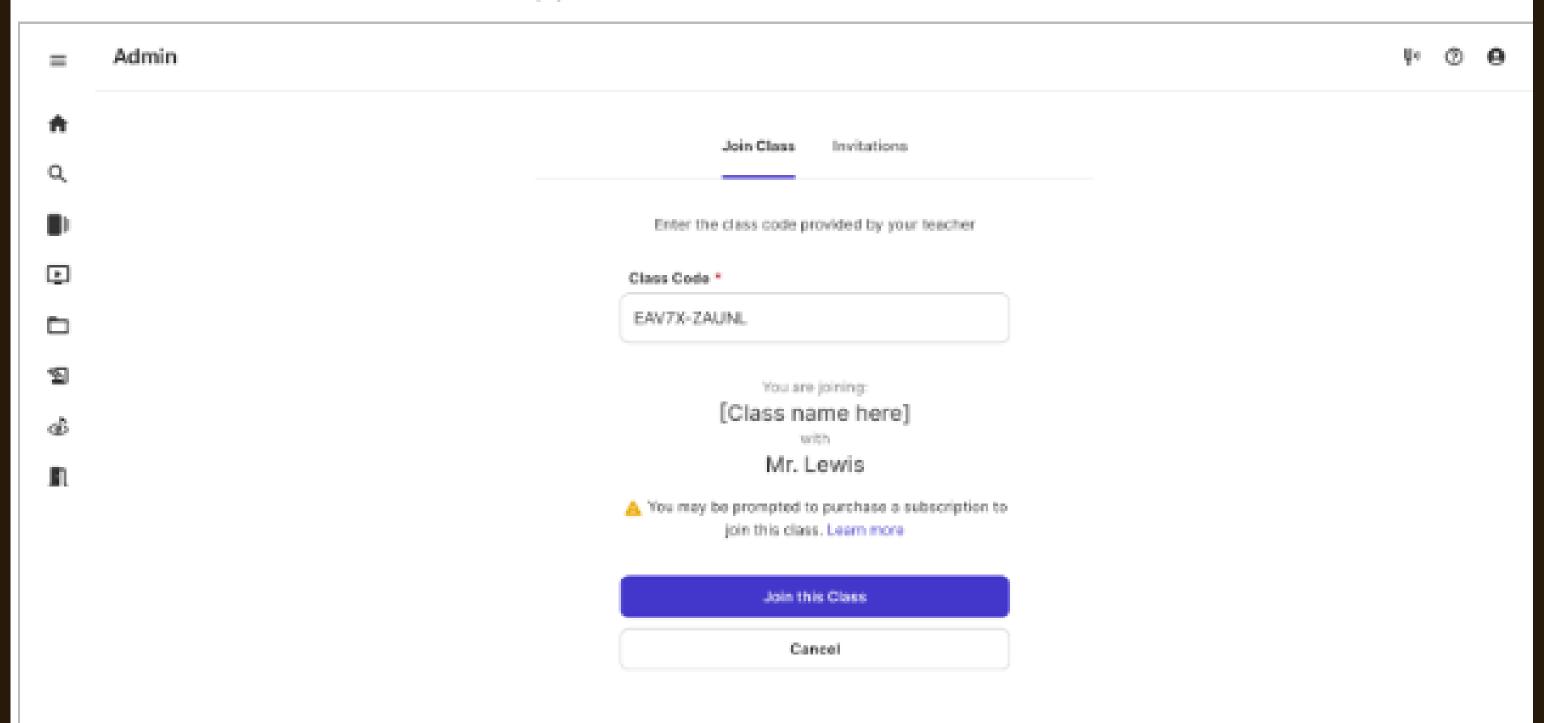


# MAKE MUSIC REGISTRATION PROCESS



### MAKE MUSIC REGISTRATION PROCESS

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#### Step 2: Create Your Account

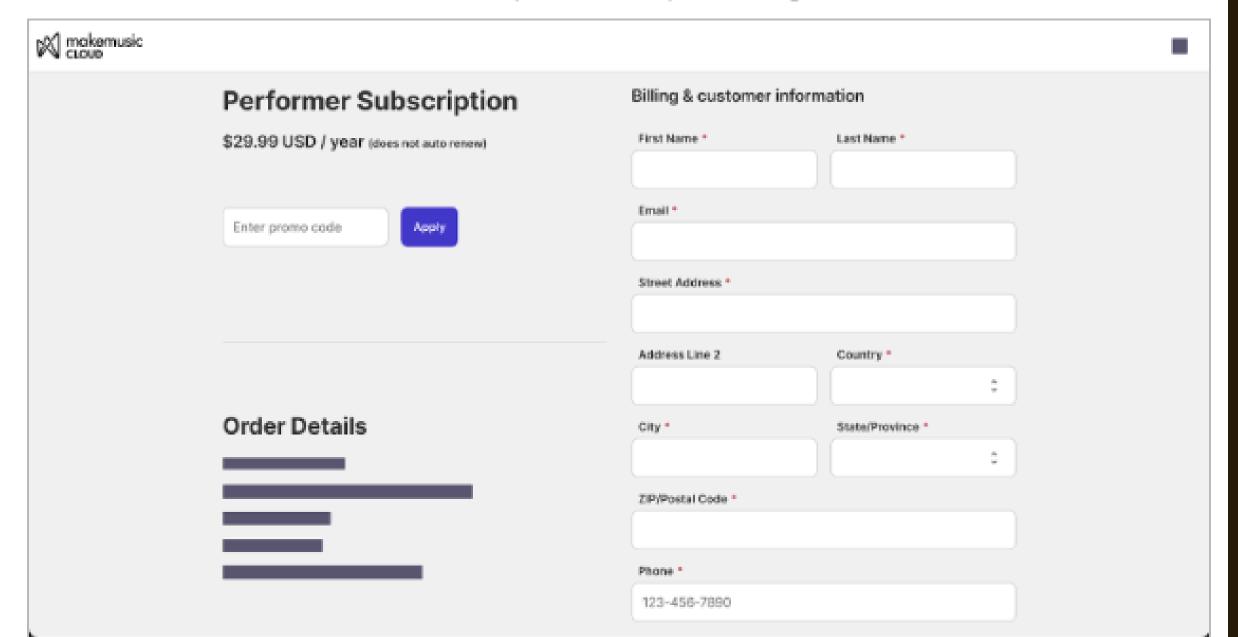
Use the steps in the link below to create your account:

Creating an Account and Joining a Class

#### Step 3: Purchase your student subscription.

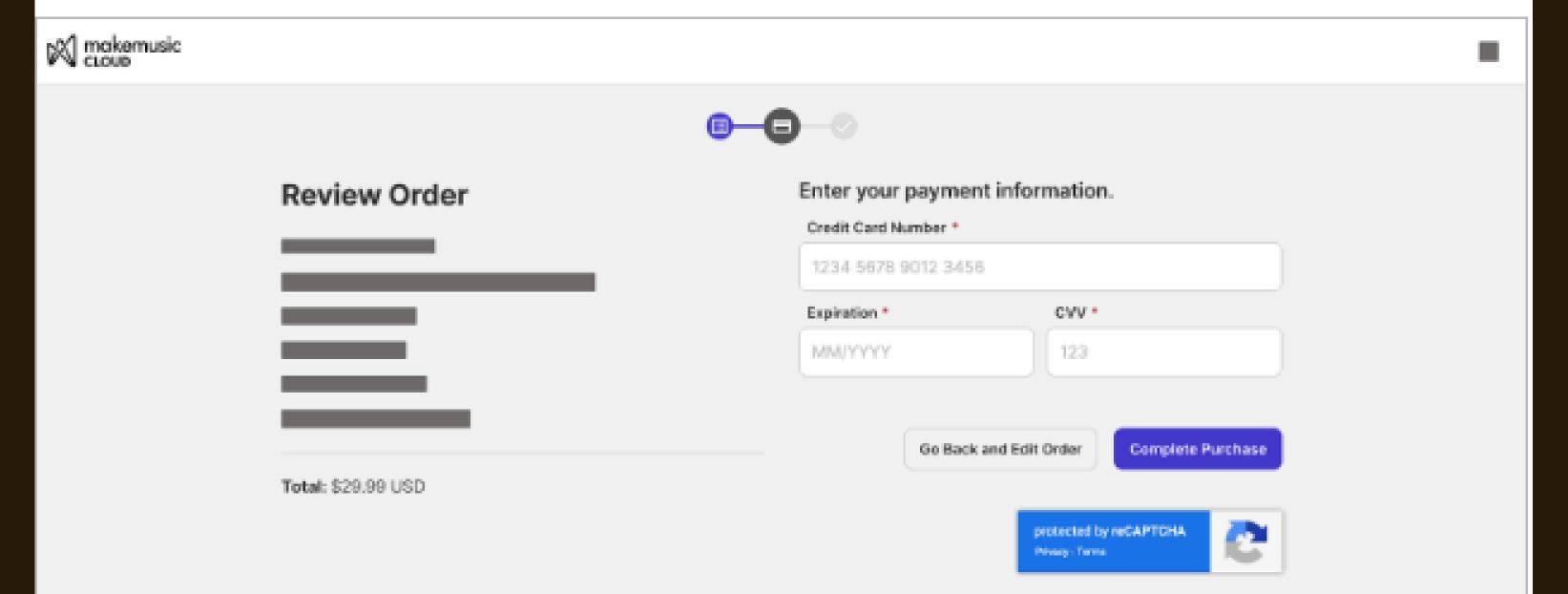
After you have created your account, you will be prompted to purchase your Student subscription.

Order Details are listed for the subscription. Enter your billing information and select Continue.





Enter your payment information and select Complete Purchase.





• Once the transaction is processed, the order confirmation page appears and a confirmation email is sent to you. When you are ready, select Start Exploring MakeMusic Cloud.

The MakeMusic Cloud Home Page appears. You now have access to the MakeMusic Cloud Catalog and your new class is now listed under Active classes.

Step 4: Activate Your Account.

After purchasing your Student Subscription, you will need to activate your account

#### CLOSING STATEMENTS

- WACO is more than music it is:
- A celebration of African American cultural heritage
- A community-driven mentorship program
- A pipeline for music education & leadership
- Together, we create excellence for students, families, and the community.

