

#### Information for Parents

#### What is Piano Made FUN for the Young?

Piano Made FUN for the Young is a young beginner piano curriculum, designed to introduce young children to the piano through a spirit of FUN, PLAYFULNESS, and SUCCESS.

This curriculum is taught in a lesson that is divided into the two areas of RUG TIME and PIANO TIME.

During RUG TIME, the students clap, tap, play games, and sing songs while learning theory, counting, and note reading concepts away from the piano.

During PIANO TIME, the students are introduced to the piano with prereading pieces that are simple and easy to play. Students move to staff reading at a pace that is steady and comfortable. Notes are taught with corresponding animal names, making the process more fun!

Piano Made FUN addresses the 3 basic learning styles, so learning is varied, interesting, and effective for all students.

## Visual

- Large, colorful teacher flash cards.
- Large notation that is easy to read.
  - Fun pictures to correspond with learning.

# Auditory

- Simple songs to sing that enhance memorization and make learning fun.
- Accompaniments to play along with.
- -Chanting, note naming and counting

### **Tactile**

- Clapping, tapping, and pointing.
- Games and activities
- Worksheets for writing and coloring