



# MUSICBREEDS

TODAY'S **YOUNG MUSICIANS.**

TOMORROW'S **MUSIC INDUSTRY LEADERS.**

**MusicBreeds inspires, empowers and mentors** young musicians from disadvantaged communities in Nassau and Suffolk counties by supporting their personal and professional development. This is particularly important when schools are being forced to cut music programs and end extracurricular activities in the face of budget reductions.

MusicBreeds helps today's young musicians learn the skills to become tomorrow's music industry leaders. Young musicians are able to access a yearlong after-school program that provides them a roadmap for success. The program curriculum meets at the nexus of musical talent development, business and entrepreneurial mentorship, and life skills training to provide youth what they need to pursue their music at collegiate and professional levels.



## WHAT STUDENTS ARE ELIGIBLE?

Young musicians who are interested in the program must submit an application and go through an interview process. They must meet minimum requirements to be accepted, including being a musician of any discipline, meeting a minimum high school GPA of 2.5, and residing in Nassau or Suffolk County. The training is fee-based, but there is special assistance provided based on economic status.

## HOW ARE CLASSES PROVIDED?

MusicBreeds offers four ways for young musicians to attend. They can attend **full time in-person** and access the studio every day from 3–8 p.m. They can attend **per class** and select **specific classes** that are available for individual fees. They can attend **some sessions in person and some online**, or they can attend **100 percent of sessions remotely**.



## HOW ARE STUDENTS RECOMMENDED FOR THE PROGRAM AT MUSICBREEDS?

There are two ways to refer a student to MusicBreeds. Student information can be provided in the online teacher recommendation form and MusicBreeds will follow up with the student. Students can also be referred to the website where they can fill out an application form and start the process of applying.

## CONTACT US TO LEARN MORE

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**With MusicBreeds new online learning program, more students than ever can access this innovative training. The program is open to students in Nassau & Suffolk Country and beyond.**

## Now enrolling for online programs beginning January 2021.

## WHAT SKILLS WILL YOUNG MUSICIANS LEARN?

- Résumé writing and contract literacy
- Time management and record engineering
- Photoshop proficiency
- Knowledge of music industry standards and terminology
- Negotiation and agent networking skills
- The process of pre-production, production and post-production for a single release
- Presentation of their original song to industry and higher-education professionals



In the interest of public safety for students and staff, MusicBreeds has updated its operational guidelines to reflect the current understanding and ongoing response needs for education and recreation as well as educational facilities during the COVID-19 pandemic.