

Blanca Sifre Gomez

Education – Bachelor degree in Viola Performance and Bachelor degree in Pedagogy of Music, specializing in Piano from Joaquín Rodrigo Superior Conservatory of Music of Valencia (Spain)

Teaching Experience – I have been teaching private music lessons since 2014.

Instrument(s) – Violin, Viola & Piano

Interests – Reading, traveling, hiking

Are you Left/Right Handed? Right-handed

Are you an Extrovert or Introvert? A mixture of both

Age Preference – All ages

Level Preference – Viola: beginner to advanced; Violin: beginner to intermediate; Piano: beginner to intermediate.

Favorite Series/Method – I have my own lesson plans which incorporate methods and repertoire specific to the instrument. Examples of methods I incorporate include the Alfred piano method, the Méthode Rose by Ernest Van de Velde for piano, and the Suzuki method for violin and viola.

Dance/Movement Curriculum – In body movement and dance, body expression converges with the elements of music. As a result of this integration, active listening, the expression of feelings, ideas and representations, and communication with the space and with others are favored. Expressive bodily capacities and the development of creativity are promoted through the improvisation and interpretation of movements suggested by the music.

At-Risk Teaching Abilities – I have had some experience teaching special-needs students. I would be glad to meet with any students and parents of students to see if we might be a good fit for music lessons.

A note from your teacher...

Music is my life. Teaching is my passion. I have a deep commitment to the musical education of my students, always offering them a quality musical education, where motivation, emotion, and appreciation for music are prominent factors. My teaching is based on inclusive learning, where students are the protagonists of their own learning.

About the teacher...

Blanca was born and raised in Valencia, Spain. She has been immersed in classical music her whole life, having studied music since she was four years old and entering the Conservatory of Music at the age of eight. Subsequently, she earned two bachelor's degrees in Viola Performance and Pedagogy of Music, Specializing in Piano, from the Joaquín Rodrigo Superior Conservatory of Music in Valencia. She participated in several orchestras throughout Spain as principal viola.

Blanca recently moved to Nashville and plays with the Nashville Philharmonic Orchestra, Trevecca Symphony Orchestra, and Parthenon Chamber Orchestra.

