



Youth Arts Academy Voice Mail – 805-389-2100 Ex. 1119

SUPPLIES – YAA GUITAR

METHOD BOOKS

- **Introduction to Guitar:**
 - Hal Leonard - Guitar for Kids Method Book 1 by Bob Morris and Jeff Schroedl (Summer only needs this book)
 - Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 1 by Kevin Daley
- **Guitar Ensemble:**
 - Hal Leonard - Guitar for Kids Method Book 2 by Chad Johnson
 - Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 1 by Kevin Daley

*Be sure to get the correct book for your Level and **put your name on it.**

You might be asked to purchase depending on the level the instructor puts you in:

- Kjos - Guitar Sessions Book 2 by Kevin Daley
- Christopher Parkening Classical Guitar Method Book
- Pumping Nylon by Scott Tenant

ACCESSORIES

- Guitar Case
- Guitar Strap
- One extra pack of strings (depends on Guitar)
 - Nylon (Normal tension)
 - Steel (Light Tension)
- Tuner (there are free apps or you can buy one)
- Metronome (there are free apps or you can buy one)
- Guitar picks:
 - Thin (strumming) & medium (picking)
- A Piece of cloth (to wipe guitar clean)
- Music Stand (for home use)
- Foot stool (also known as foot rest)

INSTRUMENTS

- Students should start on Classical Guitar (Nylon String) but they can also start on Steel String Guitar. Both should have a guitar case.
- Guitar Sizing by height of student:
Below 4'6" = ½ Size Guitar 4'6" and Below 5" = ¾ Size Guitar 5" and Above = Full Size Guitar
- SOKM has instruments to loan to students on a first come, first serve basis. Please fill out the **Instrument Request – Guitar** at the <https://www.sokm.net/yaa-forms>
- If you have an instrument in the family or plan to buy or rent an instrument, please have it checked by an instrument repair technician. **Note** – If you buy a used instrument online, please make sure you buy from a seller that will let you send it back if the instrument is not in good working condition. Also, it is highly recommended that you stay with “name brands” if you are buying an instrument. Name brands include: Yamaha, Lucero, Cordoba, Martin, Fender, Epiphone, Taylor, Takamine... just to name a few.

Instruments, accessories and method books are available from music stores in the area:

Henson's 301 S A St Oxnard, CA 93030 805-486-8742	Nick Rail Music 5023 Kanan Agoura Hills, CA 91301 818-991-3750	Music Freqs 2180 Pickwick Drive Camarillo, CA 93010 805-322-4496	Guitar Center 1741 E Ventura Blvd Oxnard, CA 93036 805-278-2600
Wally World 1459 E. Thousand Oaks Blvd Thousand Oaks, CA 91362 805-496-8322	Instrumental Music 1501 E Thousand Oaks Blvd Thousand Oaks, CA 91362 805-496-3774	Penrose Strings 2291 Ventura Blvd Camarillo CA 93010 805-309-5993	