# TIPS FOR ONLINE LEARNING

## PREPARE AHEAD OF TIME

Take 5-10 minutes before your scheduled lesson to gather all of your materials for class. Log in and make sure you are in the camera frame so your instructor can see you and, for musicians, your instrument

#### KEEP YOUR COMPUTER HAPPY

During your lesson, have as few other programs running as possible and limit Internet use. Please do not use your internet browser for other purposes, unless necessary in order to avoid putting a strain on your connection. The quality of your lesson's video will be better!

### KEEP CURRENT

Did you recently update your address or contact information? We want to make sure you receive important information regarding your classes, so let us know or simply login to your MMS account and update your contact info! Don't miss any news or updates!

#### **PREVENT** FEEDBACK AND WEAR HEAD- OR EARPHONES

Wear headphones or earphones (Wireless is best) to avoid getting feedback from your computer or your instructor's computer.

### CHECK IN WITH YOUR TEACHER

Ask questions and post them in the Skype chat during class or after. Your teacher will respond as soon as they can! Video calling outside of your scheduled class time is not an option, so be sure to ask during your class time.

### **STAY** INFORMED

Did you know LAMusArt posts bulletins on your MyMusicStaff portale? Follow @LAMusArt on social media to see daily features, other events happening online, and reminders of LAMusArt Live!, the family-friendly season of free online performances!



