



2020-2021 Academic Year

August 18, 2020

Dear Parents/Guardians,

My name is Yeganeh Sotudehnia, and I am very excited to join the Linden community during Molly Tucci's maternity leave! If your child is in Grades 3-8 this year, I will be teaching her strings.

Students are free to choose a violin, viola, or cello. It is important that students accompany their parent/guardian when arranging a rental if possible, as instruments need to be sized correctly. Please make sure to call ahead in order to work around the stores' Covid policies.

**Instruments may be rented at the following locations:**

**Remenyi**  
210 Bloor Street West  
416-961-3111  
Contact Person:  
Sergei Zhukowsky  
stringedu@remenyi.com

**The Sound Post**  
93 Grenville St  
416-971-6990  
Contact Person:  
info@thesoundpost.com

**Long & McQuade Music**  
925 Bloor Street West  
416- 588-7886  
Contact Person:  
Matthew Golem  
sking@long-  
mcquade.com

Students playing the cello are asked to purchase a cello end-pin strap. This is needed to maintain correct posture on the instrument. Violin and viola players are also encouraged to purchase a shoulder rest for the same reason.

\* Due to preventative COVID 19 measures we will be limiting the amount of equipment shared between students while at school as much as possible. If you are able to purchase a folding music stand for your child to bring to school please do so.

Returning Linden music students should have their instruments in hand on the first day of school, September 9. Beginner students must have their instruments at school no later than September 14. Classes will meet twice a week.

If you have any questions or concerns please don't hesitate to contact me at [yeganeh@lindenschool.ca](mailto:yeganeh@lindenschool.ca).

I look forward to meeting all of you in the coming weeks!

Yeganeh Sotudehnia