



LunART Youth and Child Concert Guidelines

LunART believes that the beauty of live music should be accessible to everyone, including our youngest listeners and their parents and guardians. To ensure an inspiring experience for the performers, the audience, and the archival recording, we ask that families observe the following guidelines:

- **Age:** LunART concerts and events are recommended for children 6 years old and older. All children are expected to conduct themselves respectfully at the concert. All children under 16 must be accompanied by an adult. Designated seating will be available for those attending with children aged 6 and under.
- **Tickets:** All children aged 3 and under may attend for free with a parent or guardian.
- **Strategic Seating:** We recommend that families with children sit near an aisle or toward the rear of the hall for easy access to the lobby if a break is needed.
- **The "Quiet" Rule:** We ask that children remain seated and quiet throughout the performance. If a child becomes restless or vocal, we kindly ask a parent or guardian to step into the lobby.
- **Re-entry Protocol:** For the comfort of the performers and audience, re-entry will only occur during an appropriate break in the program (such as between pieces or at intermission).
- **Electronic Devices:** The use of mobile phones, tablets, or any light-emitting devices is strictly prohibited during the performance, as these are distracting to both the musicians and fellow patrons.

Tips for bringing children to a concert:

- **Arrive Early:** Arriving early allows our young listeners a chance to use the restroom, become comfortable in the space, and settle in before the concert begins.
- **Get Excited:** Dressing up, talking about the music before the concert begins, and learning about the instruments can give a child more to focus on during the concert. It is a special event, so find ways to make it feel exciting!
- **Quiet Comforts:** While we ask that toys stay at home, a plush friend can be a great "quiet companion" for a younger listener.
- **Utilize Intermission:** Use it to go to the bathroom, have a snack, and get those wiggles out. Exploring the lobby space or getting some fresh air can help a child reset their attention for the second half of the concert.