

Steelpan Program

For ages 9 - 65+



The steel pan/steelpan is the national instrument of Trinidad and Tobago. This program teaches participants how to play this wildly popular instrument in an encouraging environment. Our classes are taught in a group setting, where individuals learn to play a variety of songs.

This program allows students to:

- Learn how to play relevant scales and how to play by ear.
- Stimulate concentration, motor skills, rhythm and creativity.
- Connect with the history and culture.
- Express themselves musically.

Details:

Lessons cost \$180 per student, per term. There is no discount or fee reduction for individuals who miss classes.

- Each term is 8 weeks long; visit our website for term start dates.
- The program is open to anyone aged 9– 65 years+
- Program materials will be provided to students.
- Lessons are held at Tropicana Community Services offices at 1385 Huntingwood Drive, Scarborough.
- Currently, we are offering classes every Saturday afternoon and Monday evening for each 8-week term.
- Your instructor is Andrew Jackson.
- Spaces are limited.

Program Goals:

- Provide students with the support, resources, and tools needed to develop their interest and abilities in playing a steelpan drum.
- Build self-confidence, self-respect, and enthusiasm for music and culture.
- Help students build strong learning techniques.
- Encourage students to develop collaborative and team-building skills.
- Educate students on the culture and background of the steelpan drum.

To learn more or to register
for this program, go to
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