FALL INTO FUN AT BMS
ARY provides an assortment of after-school music, theater, and dance classes for students ages 5 - 10 years old. The goal of ARY is to introduce children to the arts while building fundamental skills such as rhythm, ear training, body awareness, repertoire, fine motor skills, and basic music theory. We encourage students to try a variety of different classes - almost like a tasting menu! When your child finds the instrument, genre, or discipline they are most excited about, they have the opportunity to continue more focused studies at a higher level.

We have created a two-class “track” system that allows students to either:

1. Try a variety of different arts classes in a cohort.
2. Focus on building strong fundamental skills toward a specific discipline in a cohort.

Each track consists of two 45 minute arts classes with our professional teaching artists. Our two-class tracks are:

**Broadway Bound**
The Broadway Bound ARY track gives students an opportunity to explore dance, choir, and drama classes - all of which are fundamental skills for Musical Theatre!

**Movin’ and Groovin’**
The Movin’ and Groovin’ track consists of one music class and one dance class. If your child thrives in an environment where movement is on the menu, this could be the track for you!

**Ready to Rock**
Ready to Rock gives students a basic introduction to ensemble playing using rock ‘n’ roll repertoire. This track is specifically for students ages 8-10 who already have basic instrument skills on guitar, bass, piano, drums, or voice. Our Rock Bands have many opportunities to perform in events such as the 2nd Annual Shred Fest, and the NYC Marathon!

**Rhythm Nation**
The Rhythm Nation track is geared toward students who love drumming, percussion, rhythm, and movement! This track has combinations of hip hop, world percussion, and drum classes, giving students an exciting and engaging arts experience.

**Strings ‘n’ Things**
Strings ‘n’ Things gives students the opportunity to try a variety of string instruments (and instruments with strings!). This track consists of combinations of group Loog Guitar, Guitar, Violin, and Piano Classes!

**Play All Day**
All music classes, all day! The Play All Day track combines a variety of music classes including choir, piano, and world percussion!

**Dance All Day**
All dance classes, all day! The Dance All Day track combines a variety of dance classes!
All ARY Track classes are 4:40 - 6:15pm

Jr. classes are for ages 5 - 7

Sr. classes are for ages 8 - 10

“A” classes are for new/beginner students who don’t have much experience

“B” classes are for intermediate/advanced students with some experience

All ARY Track classes are $45 per class for the semester (there are between 15 - 19 classes in the Fall semester, depending on the day of the week you attend).

ARY classes will now be focusing more on ability rather than age. If you have a question about your child’s skill level, please reach out to their most recent instructor.

After students complete (or surpass) the “B” classes we recommend they move out of ARY into our general BMS programming classes! (ARY classes don’t necessarily need to be taken in order - For example: Jr. A, Jr. B, Sr. B or Jr. A to Sr. A).
NOTES

If students come multiple days a week, be sure to enroll them in multiple tracks so they are not repeating content.

We are still finalizing pickup schedules and will open ARY registration when we have pickup options completely confirmed.

This is a new system! Please bear with us as we work out the kinks.

If you are interested in a class that is full, please join the waitlist. If we have enough students we will open another section!

If you are interested in more advanced Musical Theatre classes, please find more information here: Musical Theatre Department

BMS school Pickups are available to any BMS student, not just ARY students. Classes or lessons must begin by 4:30pm.

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