



# WHAT MUSIC FOR MINORS II CAN DO FOR YOU

TRAINING ♪ SUPPORT ♪ COMMUNITY SERVICE

## ♪ TRAINING

- ♪ MFMIl trains community volunteers to become music docents by offering **11 sessions of hands-on free training classes** annually in the fall in Fremont. Volunteers learn how to teach singing, rhythmic movement and dance, instrumentation, and listening appreciation to preschool through 6th grade students.
- ♪ MFMIl's **curriculum is a child developmental broad spectrum of enrichment** for the docents and students they serve, using a wide variety of materials including the state-approved McGraw-Hill "Share the Music" series, Plank Road Publishing Music K-8 magazine, and Kodaly and Orff methodology and resources to nurture the love and literacy of music in children, as well as in docents and classroom teachers during the school day.
- ♪ **Docent mentors** will continue to help our new docents.

## ♪ SUPPORT

- ♪ MFMIl provides **ongoing support** after training and monitors all docents for program quality. Our docent mentoring program includes classroom observations/evaluations, individual school liaisons, and online networking to enhance communication and support.
- ♪ MFMIl presents **ongoing training** through monthly docent sharing workshops. Docents have free access to all training classes and workshops offered by MFMIl.
- ♪ MFMIl maintains several **music resource centers** for docents' free access and classroom use. Centers contain musical instruments (recorders, choir chimes, keyboards, xylophones, and an assortment of percussion instruments), teaching manuals, CDs, visual aides, puppets, charts, and other materials to enrich children's musical experiences.
- ♪ Ongoing **online resource development** so docents have free and secure access to hundreds of songs, Youtube videos and lesson plans for classroom use.

## ♪ COMMUNITY SERVICE

- ♪ MFMIl places **trained volunteer docents in classrooms** for 1/2 hour weekly music lessons which enrich students and classroom teachers who remain for the lessons and appreciate the music-curriculum connection.
- ♪ MFMIl presents **music workshops, concerts and free music presentations**. The community-at-large is welcome to workshops given by guest speakers and concerts featuring children's recording artists where families experience quality live concerts locally, which become sing-a-long experiences. For schools participating in the MFMIl program, MFMIl sponsors free music presentations - Family Music Nights, Taiko (Japanese drumming), Travels with Christina, Blues in the Schools, Red, White & Blue and Music & Movement For Kids.
- ♪ MFMIl sponsors the **MFMIl Kids Choir, performance opportunities and children's showcases** in the community and at school sites.

*For a Music for Minors II school / community presentation or more information:*

(510) 733-1189 / Fax (510) 713-9879 ♪ PO Box 2661, Fremont, CA 94536

e-mail: [info@musicforminors2.com](mailto:info@musicforminors2.com) ♪ [www.musicforminors2.org](http://www.musicforminors2.org)

*"Nurturing the love and literacy of music in children's classrooms and lives, since 1988"*