

# TSO Young Composers Project

## Introductory Class Schedule

*Betsy Bright, Instructor; [bbright@tucsonsymphony.org](mailto:bbright@tucsonsymphony.org)*

Classes take place on the Fridays listed below from 5:00–6:00 PM at the Tucson Symphony Center (2175 N. 6th Ave). Deadlines are noted in [blue](#).

### Fall Semester, 2023

September 8 – **First Day of Class**  
September 15  
September 22  
September 29 – **Last Day to Drop, Tuition Due**  
October 6 – TSO Piano  
October 13  
October 20  
October 27 – TSO Harpist  
November 3  
November 10  
November 17 – TSO Cello + Bass  
November 24 – **No Class**  
December 1  
December 8  
December 15  
December 22 – **No Class**  
December 29 – **No Class**

### Spring Semester, 2024

January 5  
January 12  
January 19  
January 26 – TSO Violin + Viola  
February 2  
February 9 – TSO String Quintet  
February 16  
February 23 – **No Class**  
March 1  
March 8  
March 15  
March 22  
March 29 – **No Class**  
April 5  
April 12 – Guest Speaker: TSO Librarian  
April 19  
April 26  
May 3 – Festival Prep + Guest Speakers: TSO Education Director

## Young Composers Festival, May 4 & 10-11, 2024

May 4, 2024, 2:00 PM at Tucson Symphony Center  
May 10, 2024, 7:00 PM at Tucson Symphony Center  
May 11, 2024, 2:00 PM at Tucson Symphony Center

Works by Introductory and Intermediate students will be performed on May 10 and 11 by TSO chamber ensembles and works by Advanced students will be performed by the Tucson Symphony Orchestra on May 4. Please consider attending all three days to support your peers!

Students will be invited to attend select rehearsals, concerts and special events throughout the year, all free of charge. Dates and additional information will be announced in-class or by email.

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## Intermediate Class Schedule

*Dr. Zachary Van Houten, Instructor; zvanhouten@tucsonsymphony.org*

Classes take place on the Saturdays listed below from 1:00–3:00 PM at the Tucson Symphony Center (2175 N. 6th Ave). Deadlines are noted in [blue](#).

### Fall Semester, 2023

September 2 – **First Day of Class**  
September 9  
September 16  
September 23  
September 30 – **Last Day to Drop, Tuition Due**  
    TSO Brass Quintet with Advanced  
October 7  
October 14  
October 21  
October 28 – TSO Wind Quintet  
November 4  
November 11  
November 18 – TSO String Quintet  
November 25 – **No Class**  
December 2  
December 9  
December 16  
December 23 – **No Class**  
December 30 – **No Class**

### Spring Semester, 2024

January 6 – Guest Speaker, Chelsea Komschiles  
January 13  
January 20  
January 27  
February 3  
February 10  
February 17  
February 24 – **No Class (Rodeo)**  
March 2  
March 9  
March 16  
March 23  
March 30 – **No Class**  
April 6  
April 13  
April 20  
April 27  
May 4

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## Advanced Class Schedule

*Vincent Calianno, Instructor; [vcalianno@tucsonsymphony.org](mailto:vcalianno@tucsonsymphony.org)*

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September 2 – **First Day of Class**  
September 9 – **First Day of Class**  
September 16  
September 23  
September 30 – **Last Day to Drop, Tuition Due**  
    TSO Brass Quintet with Intermediate  
October 7  
October 14  
October 21  
October 28 – TSO Trumpet(s) and Horn  
November 4 – TSO Trombone and Tuba  
November 11 – TSO Brass Quintet 2  
November 18  
November 25 – **No Class**  
December 2  
December 9  
December 16  
December 23 – **No Class**  
December 30 – **No Class**

### Spring Semester, 2024

January 6 – Guest Speaker, Chelsea Komschiles  
January 13  
January 20 – TSO Harpist  
January 27  
February 3  
February 10 – TSO String Quintet  
February 17 – TSO Principal Percussionist  
February 24 – **No Class**  
March 2 – TSO Wind Quintet  
March 9  
March 16  
March 23  
March 30 – **No Class**  
April 6  
April 13  
April 20  
April 27  
May 4 – YCPF Reading, Ronstadt Music Hall

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