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3. Prepare the Recital Outfit in Advance

Several days before the recital, take time to discuss with your child(ren) what they want to wear on the recital day. Go shopping if possible. There is no dress code for the recital but use common sense and dress to impress! Prepare the recital outfit (i.e. dress, shirts, ties, pants, shoes, socks, etc.) the night before. Try them on. Make sure it is clean and fits properly.

4. Arrive on Time

Don't arrive too early that you're sitting around or stressing out, or so late that you're worried about missing the beginning, or even your own performance. Give yourself plenty of time to arrive at the recital venue, go to the bathroom, tune your instrument if necessary, review the recital program, and find your seats. The performers will sit closest to the stage in the order of performance. Due to limited time, students will not be allowed to rehearse or practice on stage on the day of recital.

5. Music = Expression; Play from the Heart

Music is all about expressing your emotions through sound. Rather than putting all the focus on playing every note accurately, try to express the feeling of the song. By focusing on "expression" details like dynamics, phrasing, and musical color, you'll achieve greater accuracy. Plus, your audience will be so wrapped up in the feeling of the song that they won't be looking out for mistakes.

"To play a wrong note is insignificant; to play without passion is inexcusable" -Beethoven.

6. Visualize Success.

What will be a successful recital performance to you and your child? Rather than going into a recital with the vague notion of "doing your best", have a concept of an ideal performance. Imagine yourself walking to the front of the room with poise, sitting at your instrument with confidence, playing your piece to the best of your ability, and giving a great bow as the audience cheers for you.

7. Put on Blinders.

You are not auditioning for America's Got Talent. Your family and friends are here to support you all the way. Rather than comparing yourself to others, put all of your focus into your performance. Don't stress about or wonder what others think. You are the star of the day and everyone is here to cheer for you.



You're gonna rock this!

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