

**Be a part of the worldwide community of string players!
Here are some FREE online resources:**

American String Teacher's Association www.astaweb.com
NY Philharmonic Kids Zone www.nyphilkids.org/main.phtml
Violin Masterclass www.violinmasterclass.com
American Viola Society www.americanviolasociety.org
Internet Cello Society www.cello.org
International Society of Bassists www.isbworldoffice.com
Strings magazine www.stringsmagazine.com

Famous Artists:

Itzak Pearlman, violin
Midori, violin
Isaac Stern, violin
Pinchas Zuckerman, violin/viola
Kim Kashkashian, viola
Yo-Yo Ma, cello
Jacqueline DuPre, cello
Edgar Meyer, bass

Young String players:

Joshua Bell (www.joshuabell.com) recorded *The Red Violin*, has been awarded 5 Grammy awards
Jorane (www.jorane.com) solo recording cellist who has performed with Cirque Du Soleil
Zach Brock (www.zachbrock.com) jazz violinist and bandleader for Zach Brock and the Coffee Achievers
Leigh Mahoney (www.toscastrings.com) 1st violinist in Tosca Strings, has toured with David Byrne from Talking Heads
Perttu Kivilaakso (www.apocalyptica.com) member of an all-cello Finnish trio which got its start performing cover versions of Metallica songs. They fused classical and hard rock.
Eric Gorfain (www.thesectionquartet.com) in a quartet that has recorded quartet versions of rock songs by Radiohead, Nine Inch Nails, and Pearl Jam.
Caitlin Tully (www.imgartists.com) 17 years old, debuted with the Vancouver Symphony at the age of ten
Jeremy Kittel (www.jeremykittel.com) national fiddle champ, 20 years old
Brandon Vamos (www.pacificaquartet.com) cellist in the Pacifica Quartet
Carol Cook (www.caroljcook.com) violist with the Appalachia Waltz Trio (with Mark O'Connor and Natalie Haas)
Brittany Haas (www.brittanyhaas.com) 17 year old violinist, award-winning old-time, bluegrass, and jazz fiddler
Chris Maas (www.phenomenauts.com) bassist who plays and tours worldwide in the psychobilly "rocket roll" band the Phenomenauts.