



# BLANKENSHIP VOICE STUDIO

*Discover Your Voice*

## THE CLASSICAL SINGER COURSE- AUG/SEPT START

For the aspiring classical/opera or choral singer dedicated to improving their technique and musicianship skills. This course includes foreign language diction, intermediate to advanced music theory and sight-reading skills, dramatic coachings, audition prep, binder-building, access to studio class, and much more. Students will have 30 lessons per year, 1 hour or 45 minutes in length, with flexible cancellation.

## COURSE INCLUDES...

- Phone consultation
- Automatic Invoicing
  - Access to student portal
  - Online sheet music
  - Recorded exercises
  - Worksheets
  - Theory review
  - Account Status
  - Practice log
  - Lesson notes
- 4-6 pieces/year
- Advanced Classical Vocal Technique
  - Customized Exercises
  - Proper Breathing technique
  - Proper stance and posture
  - Classical Vowel Shapes
  - Development of vibrato
  - Period Style and ornamentation
- Lesson notes emailed directly after every lesson
- Foreign Language Pronunciation and singing
  - Introduction to the International Phonetic Alphabet
  - Intro courses to French, German, Italian, and Latin Diction
- Audition Prep
  - How to own the room
  - Building your binder
  - How to continue in the face of mistakes or obstacles
  - Dramatic coaching of each audition piece
- Advanced Music Theory, Ear Training and Score Analysis
  - Basics review
  - Key signatures
  - Time signatures
  - Note names
  - Song Form analysis
  - Introduction to chords
  - Aural skills
  - Perfect intervals
  - Major intervals, up and down
  - Minor intervals, up and down
  - Hearing notes within a chord
- Repertoire Selection and Binder Building
  - Help choosing the right repertoire to prepare you for future auditions and competitions
- Dramatic Coaching
  - Text analysis
  - Stanislavsky technique
  - Movement
- Advanced Sight-Reading Skills
- Lesson recorded via zoom (when online) and sent to student for review
- Studio Class Performance and Access
  - 1 performance per month
  - Unlimited viewing/attendance access
- Flexible Cancellation
  - Can cancel lesson with at least 5 hours notice with no penalty
  - Reschedule via [mymusicstaff.com](http://mymusicstaff.com)

## REQUIREMENTS

- Basic understanding of music and sight-reading
- Basic aural skills
- Basic levels of technique
- Purchase of membership to Appcompanionist

### NUMBER OF LESSONS

33 per year

### LENGTH OF LESSON

Opt A - 1 hour  
Opt B - 45 minutes

### Cost per Month

Opt A - \$275 / month  
Opt B - \$238 / month