

Las Positas College Piano Teaching Survey

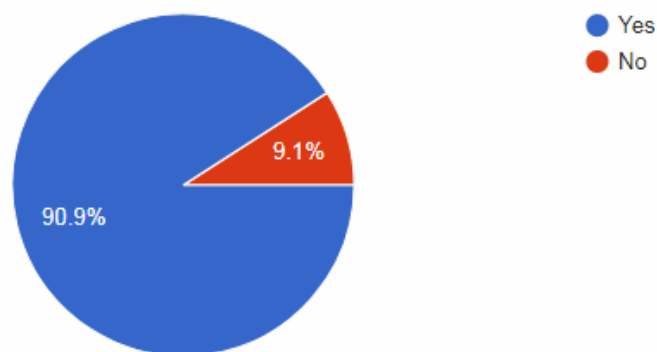
November, 2018

Based on a survey of music stores and independent music schools which employ piano teachers in the surrounding areas, we are confident that there is a high demand for piano teachers and for a program like this. Out of 11 employers, 9 stated that they anticipate employing additional piano teachers in the next year. Salary ranges of surveyed employers averaged \$46.50/hour, and most teachers employed teach between 10-20 students. 10 of the 11 responses indicated that there is an insufficient pool of qualified candidates, indicating that the demand for Piano Teaching programs is strong in the bay area.

Supporting Charts and Data:

Do you employ piano teachers at your location?

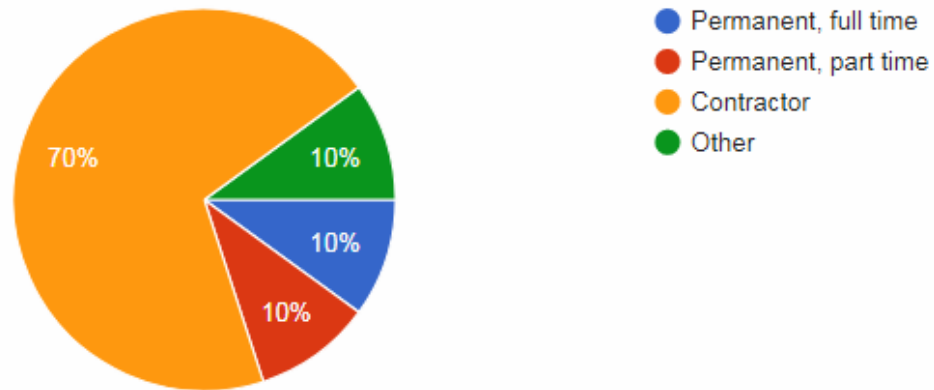
11 responses



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If you answered yes to the previous question, please describe the type of employment.

10 responses



If you answered "other" to the previous question, please specify.

2 responses

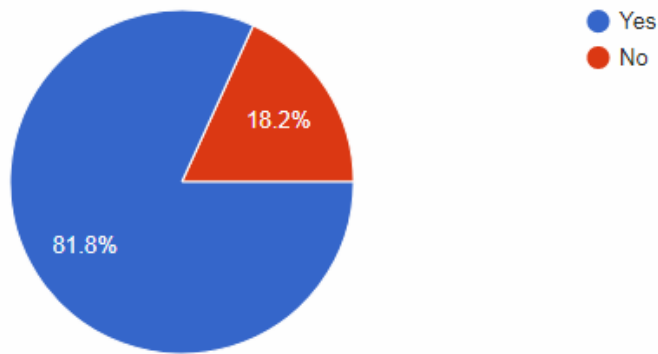
Employee based company offering full and part time employment

We have several piano teachers that teach at our store. They rent space from us for their lessons.

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Do you anticipate employing additional piano teachers in the next 12 months?

11 responses



If you answered yes to the previous question, how many piano teachers total do you expect to employ in the next 12 months?

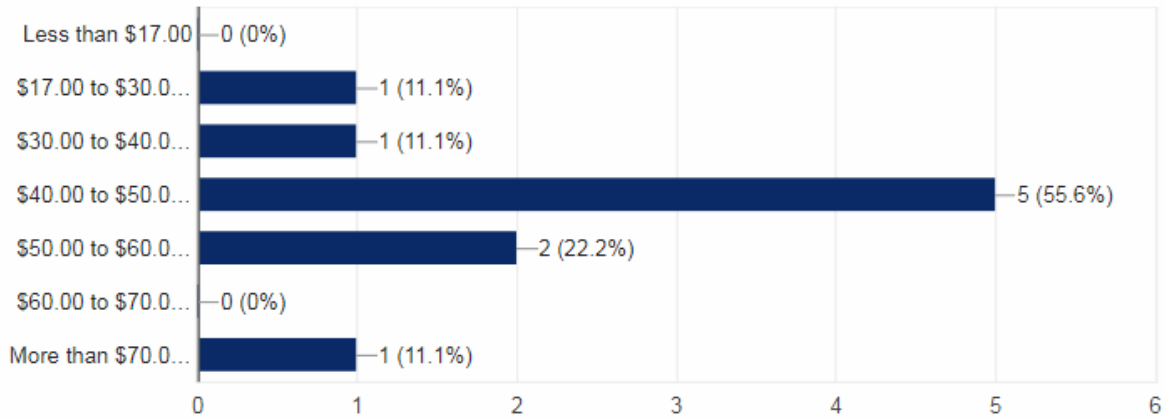
9 responses

3-5
5 to 6
18
6-8
6
1-2
5
2
1

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What is the salary range for piano teachers at your studio? (check all that apply)

9 responses

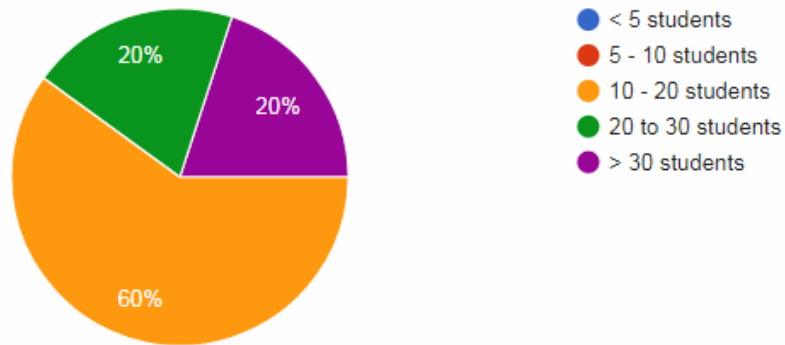


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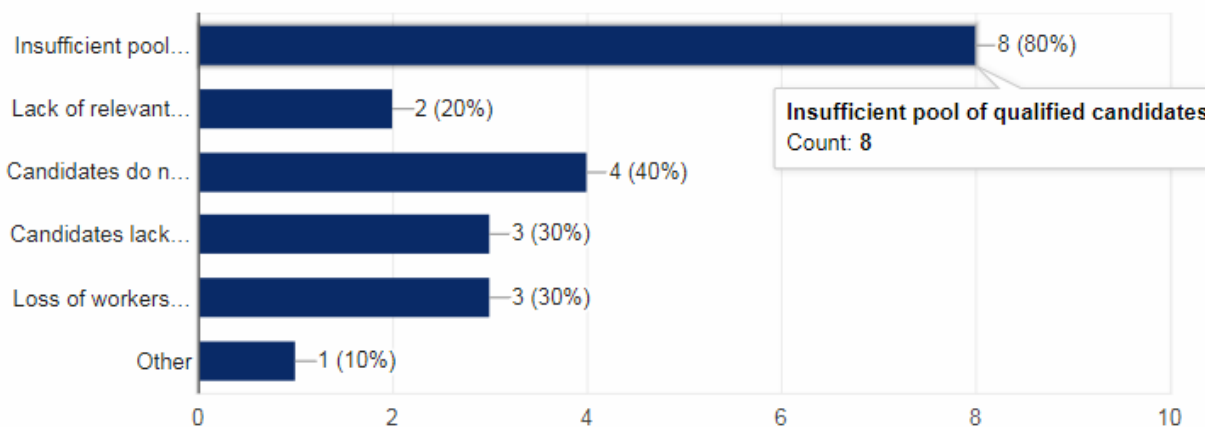
How many students do your piano teachers teach on average?

10 responses



We are interested in determining the level of difficulty there is to finding qualified applicants to teach piano. What issues do you face in hiring for this occupation? (Please check all that apply)

10 responses



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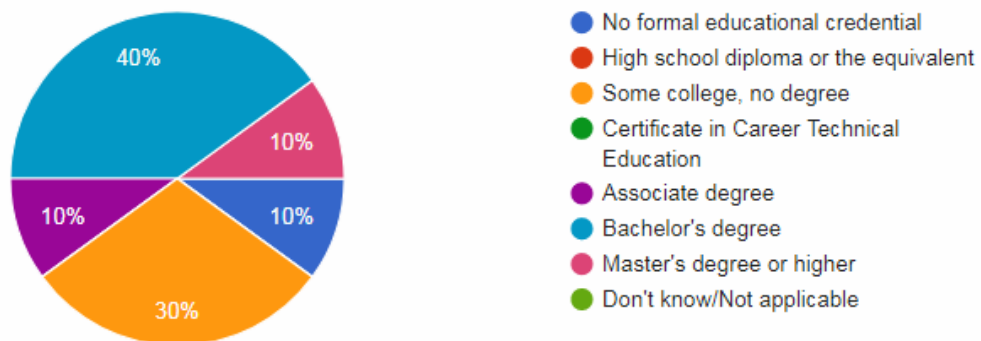
If you checked "other" in the previous question, please specify.

1 response

While we don't need any additional piano teachers at the moment, we always are looking for teachers that work well with all ages and have a good reputation in the community.

For the occupation, what is the minimum educational requirement for a successful applicant?

10 responses

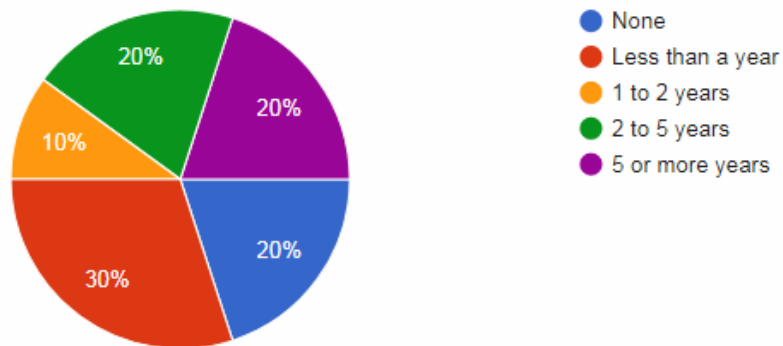


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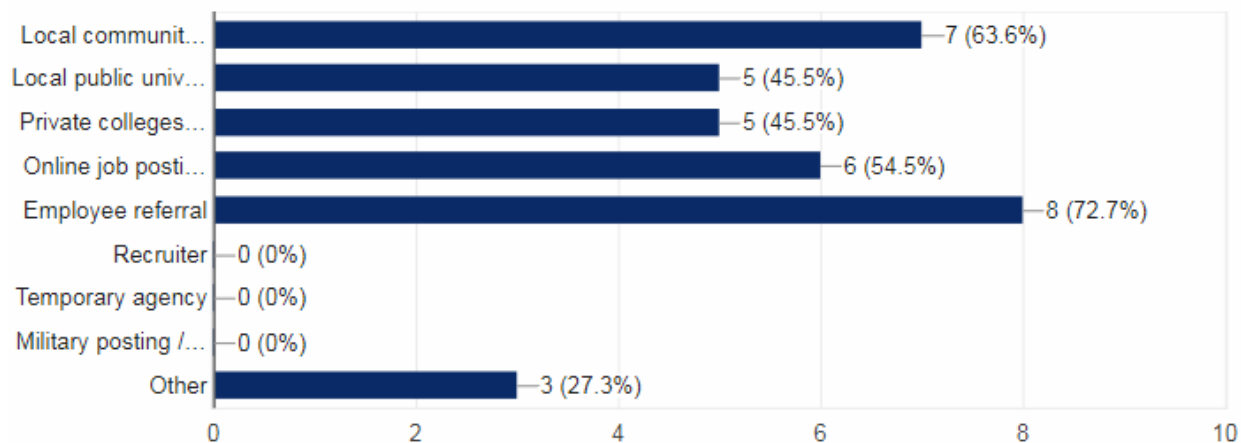
Please indicate the minimum prior work experience required to enter the occupation

10 responses



From where does your studio source or hire qualified candidates for open positions? (select all that apply)

11 responses



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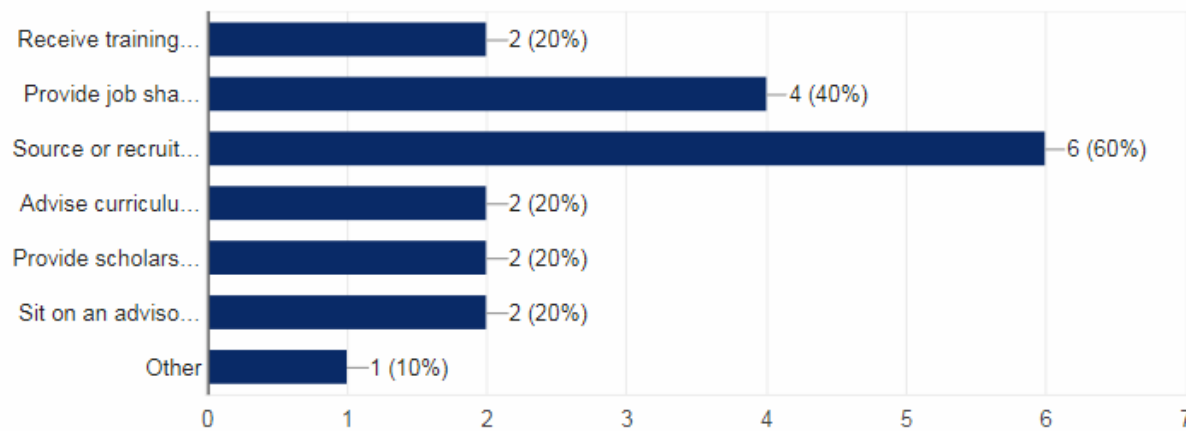
If you replied "other" to the previous question, please specify source.

3 responses

Established, well-vetted local references
Craigslist, though you usually need to look through many candidates in order to find the few well-qualified candidates
Word of Mouth

For which of the following areas are you interested in partnering with your region's community college? (select all that apply)

10 responses



If you answered "other" to the previous question, please specify.

1 response

Not interested

Timestamp	Email Address	Do you employ piano teachers at your location?	If you answered yes to the previous question, please describe the type of employment.	If you answered "other" to the previous question, please specify.	Do you anticipate employing additional piano teachers in the next 12 months?	If you answered yes to the previous question, how many piano teachers total do you expect to employ in the next 12 months?	What is the salary range for piano teachers at your studio? (check all that apply) \$17.00 to \$30.00 an hour	How many students do your piano teachers teach on average?	We are interested in determining the level of difficulty there is to finding qualified applicants to teach piano. What issues do you face in hiring for this occupation? (Please check all that apply) Insufficient pool of qualified candidates.	If you checked "other" in the previous question, please specify.	For the occupation, what is the minimum educational requirement for a successful applicant?	Please indicate the minimum prior work experience required to enter the occupation	From where does your studio source or hire qualified candidates for open positions? (select all that apply) Local community colleges, Employee	If you replied "other" to the previous question, please specify source.	For which of the following areas are you interested in partnering with your region's community college? (select all that apply) Receive training services for current development Advise curriculum Source or recruit from the colleges Provide job shadowing or	If you answered "other" to the previous question, please specify.
11/8/2017 21:49:59	guitarlina@gmail.com	Yes	Permanent, full time		Yes	3-5		10 - 20 students			Associate degree	Less than a year				
11/9/2017 22:13:24	jimhurley@openstrings.net	No			No						Bachelor's degree	5 or more years	Other	Established, well-vetted local		
11/10/2017 17:00:58	galinasm@galinasmusicst	Yes	Permanent, part time	Employee based company offering full and	Yes	5 to 6		> 30 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates		Bachelor's degree	Less than a year	Local community colleges, Local public		Source or recruit from the colleges	
11/10/2017 18:25:44	anna@musictimeacademy	Yes	Contractor		Yes	18	\$30.00 to \$40.00 an hour, \$40.00 More than \$70.00 an hour	10 - 20 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates, Candidates do not have the required	While we don't need any	No formal educational		Local community colleges, Employee		Provide job shadowing or	
11/11/2017 11:21:19	john@lamorindamusic.corr	Yes	Other	We have several piano teachers that teach at our	No		\$40.00 to \$50.00 an hour	20 to 30 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates,		Bachelor's degree	2 to 5 years	Local community colleges, Local public	Craigislist, though you usually need to look	Source or recruit from the colleges, Sit on an	
11/15/2017 13:50:19	dave@rightstartmusic.com	Yes	Contractor		Yes	6-8	\$50.00 to \$60.00 an hour	10 - 20 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates,		Some college, no degree	None	Local public		Receive training services for current	
11/16/2017 10:53:16	info@harmonymusicsschoo	Yes	Contractor		Yes	6	\$40,00 to \$50.00 an hour	10 - 20 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates,		Bachelor's degree	5 or more years	Online job postings,			
11/16/2017 13:28:00	stariandmusic@gmail.com	Yes	Contractor		Yes	1-2	\$50.00 to \$60.00 an hour	10 - 20 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates,		Master's degree or higher	1 to 2 years	Employee referral		Other	Not interested
11/22/2017 8:23:23	r1975r@aol.com	Yes	Contractor		Yes	5	\$40.00 to \$50.00 an hour	> 30 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates, Candidates lack		Some college, no degree	None	Local community colleges, Local public		Provide job shadowing or	
11/22/2017 15:49:21	gk@gkmusic.org	Yes	Contractor		Yes	2	\$40.00 to \$50.00 an hour	10 - 20 students	Insufficient pool of qualified candidates		Some college, no degree	2 to 5 years	Local community colleges, Online job	Word of Mouth	Source or recruit from the colleges	
11/30/2017 12:49:50	gillsmusic@hotmail.net	Yes	Contractor		Yes	1		20 to 30 students				Less than a year				