

# Allegro Charter School of Music

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<https://allegro.ccsdschools.com>

## Focus/Description

The mission of Allegro Charter School of Music is to produce inspired thinkers and creative members of society through the infusion of music into an academically challenging environment.

Located at 2731 Gordon Street in North Charleston, Allegro prepares students in grades 6-12 for the pursuit of creative work in any field, using music as a medium to inspire and foster creativity, coupled with a strong academic program.

The vision of the school is aligned with the purpose of the SC Charter School Act to "create new, innovative, and more flexible ways of educating children within the public school system, with the goal of closing achievement gaps between low performing student groups and high performing student groups."

## School Category: Charter School

According to the South Carolina Department of Education and the South Carolina Charter Schools Act of 1996, a charter school is defined as a public, nonreligious, non home-based, nonprofit corporation forming a school that operates by sponsorship of a public school district, the South Carolina Public Charter School District, or a public or independent institution of higher learning, but is accountable to the board of trustees, or in the case of technical colleges, the area commission, of the sponsor which grants its charter. All students residing in Charleston County are eligible to apply to a charter school.

Transportation is not provided.

**Grades Offered: 6 - 12**

**Application Grades: 6 - 11**

## Application Priorities (in order):

1. Student living in Charleston County who has a sibling currently attending Allegro Charter
2. Multiple siblings applying and living in Charleston County (If one is accepted, the next sibling is given priority.)
3. Student of Allegro employee or an Allegro Board Member
4. Student living in Charleston County

Find out more by visiting: <https://www.ccsdschools.com/families/students/choice>

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Students interested in being considered for admission should submit an application by published deadline.

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