



Music Ed Insights



Three Insights to take with you from... **Beyond Eclectic Strings with Beth Fortune**

Go eclectic with your program.

- Consider specializing for a span of time - more than just a day or week.
- Unit ideas - bluegrass, jazz, or rock.
- Do not give up when students push back - they are also used to “classical” - if previous teaching has been successful, they might have developed the same biases as us.

Position yourself along with the students as a learner.

- It's scary, but they will respect you more.

Be creative in finding sources of outside instruction.

- Don't be afraid to ask anyone you find.
- Grants are often available for this kind of thing; dig for them.

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