

## Harnessing RCM Resources for Teaching Theory Webinar Q&As May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022

### **How long do students have to use the bundle?**

Students will have one full year access to the Study Guide from the date of code redemption.

### **What if students have already purchased the book?**

If your student has already purchased the book, they can either purchase the Study Guide with Exam or the Stand-Alone Exam.

### **Is there a bundle for each level?**

Yes, each bundle is for a single level and is available for Levels 5, 6, 7, and 8.

### **Is this available for levels 9 and 10?**

It is only available for Levels 5 – 8.

### **Can I purchase the bundle and use it with multiple students?**

Each bundle includes only one book, and one Study Guide with Exam. If you have multiple students, they should each purchase their own bundle for the relevant level, which will provide them with their own book and their own access to the Study Guide with Exam.

### **Are there exams available for Prep A to Level 4?**

No, Theory Exams are only available from Level 5 onward.

### **If students purchase the exam alone do they get a year to complete it?**

The standalone exam must be completed within 120 days once it is available in the student's account.

### **Is this available in French?**

The standalone exam is offered in both English and French.

### **Is this accessible to those with visual impairments?**

We are in the process of making the content of the Theory online study accessible based on the AODA and W3C guidelines.

### **Are there online theory courses for Levels 9, 10, and ARCT Harmony and Analysis?**

Not currently.

### **Is there an option to provide neuro-diverse students extra time?**

Candidates who have accessibility requirements may submit a request to the RCM Certificate Program for accommodations:

<https://www.rcmusic.com/learning/examinations/forms-and-services#AccessibilityRequestForm-5>

### **Can we (the teacher) purchase the bundle on behalf of our students from our teacher account? Or do the students have to purchase it from their own account?**

You may forward your email with the bundle offerings/links to your students, and they should be able to make the payment directly.

**How much time is required to complete each of the levels of intermediate theory (Levels 5 – 8) and be ready for the exam?**

Estimated time for completion:

Level 5 – 35 hours; Level 6 – 30 hours; Level 7 – 30 hours; Level 8 – 30 hours

**Do teachers have free access to the online theory program in order to review it?**

RCM certified teachers have access to Audit versions of the Online Theory Study Guides for Levels 5 – 8.

**Can non-certified teachers access this resource for free?**

No, you must be an RCM Certified Teacher to access the Online Theory Study Guides at no charge.

**How do you determine when the student's year begins?**

A student may begin the Online Theory Study Guide at any date and time.

**What is the proctor requirement?**

For students who intend to apply for a high-school credit, we recommend the use of a proctor. This can be arranged by completing and submitting a form to indicate that the exam will be proctored.

Please visit for further information:

<https://www.rcmusic.com/web-forms/online-examination-proctor-confirm>

**Is there a time limit for each exam question?**

There is a time limit on the exam of one hour. There is no time limit for individual questions.

**When students take an exam online do they receive their mark right away or do they have to wait?**

Marks for Level 5 – 8 theory exams will be available within 24hrs of completing the exam.

**Will in-person theory exams be returning?**

We are evaluating the return to in-person theory exams and further details will follow toward the end of June.