

RECOMMENDED ACCESSORIES LIST FOR VIOLIN STUDENTS

The following is a list of essential and highly recommended accessories for music students.

* indicates that the corresponding item is highly recommended for a student at that level.

** indicate that the item is considered essential for a student at that level.

The prices quoted below are for the 'preferred models' available from Virtuoso Strings. Prices as at 1 Jan 2009.

Items may be purchased online at www.virtuosostings.co.nz. Shipping within NZ is free for orders over \$50.

Item	Virtuoso Strings model, price as of Jan 09	Young beginner violin (aged 6 yrs and under)	Beginner violin (7 yrs and over)	Older beginner	Established violinist
3 named pencils (2B)		**	**	**	**
2 rubbers		**	**	**	**
Pencil sharpener		**	**	**	**
Well set-up violin	Corelli2009 beginner model violin, \$450	*	*	*	
Quality, well set-up violin	Tartini or higher grade model, from \$850				*
Lightweight music stand	Light aluminium stand, \$49	**	**	**	**
Clip auto-tuner	Musedo clip tuner, \$49	**	**	**	**
Basic metronome	Shar metronome, \$39		**	**	
Advanced metronome	Sabine Metronome, \$50				**
Basic rosin	Thomastik-Infeld Dominant, \$20	**	**	**	
Advanced rosin	Andrea Paganini Solo, \$45				**
Basic shoulder rest	FOM shoulder rests, \$35	**	**	**	
Advanced shoulder rest	Kun shoulder rests, from \$65				**
Violin magnetic mute	Bech magnetic mute, \$20				*
Violin display hanger	Stringswing violin hanger, \$30	*	*	*	*
Violin cleaner and polish	Shar cleaner and polish, \$15				*
Violin humidifier	Humidi-Guard violin, \$18				*
Fingerboard cleaner	Fast Fret cleaner, \$15				*
Violin sheet music	Adventures in Violinland, Bks 1A, 1B & 1C, \$29.50 each	*			
Violin sheet music	Violin Suzuki book 1 revised ed, \$22.50	*	*	*	
Violin sheet music	A New Tune a Day, Bk & CD, \$39.50		*		
Violin sheet music	Fiddle Time Joggers, Bk & CD, \$39.50		*		
Practice CD	Violin Suzuki CD of Bk 1, \$39.00	*	*	*	
Violin theory book	All for Strings, theory workbook, \$12.50		**		