

# WELCOME!

Dear 4<sup>th</sup> Grade Student:

Welcome to the Beginning Strings class! I am very excited you have made the decision to play such a great instrument. This year you are going to learn a lot about how to be a good musician. And hopefully you will have a lot of fun, too! You will learn about the instruments in our class and how to read music, and you will even get to show off for your friends and family.

There are a lot of fun pieces in this book, and we are going to play them all! I know you will work very hard, and I promise it will pay off. If you ever have any questions about anything, I am always more than happy to help. So please don't hesitate!

We're going to have a great time this year. Congratulations on your fabulous choice. I am really looking forward to a wonderful year of music making with you!



Sincerely,

Miss Maruko