

# About the Instructor

Hello Hello Hello! My name is Jared and I am a Twin Cities-based performer, director, and musician. I graduated with a BFA in Theater Performance with an emphasis in Musical Theater and Vocal Pedagogy from Baylor University. I studied under the Vocologist Lauren Weber to combine contemporary and classical styles of singing to help students accomplish their personal goals as a singer. Whether you are just starting and want to strengthen your voice or you are a singer looking to refine technique and expand your range, I will create a lesson plan specifically tailored to each individual student's needs. I believe that your voice is an important extension of your body and you should learn to love using it in any capacity whether singing in the shower, on stage, or enjoying some car karaoke! My goal as an instructor is to provide students with the tools necessary to achieve their own personal goals while feeling both empowered and inspired.



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***Private Voice  
at Elevé***



## ***Beginning Voice***

Are you just starting out on your vocal journey? Do you want to bring your shower voice out of the bathroom and into the world!? Lessons are programmed around each individual student's needs. For students just starting out we will focus primarily on the basic fundamentals of singing. Using both songs selected by students and tried and true vocal exercises we will work on breathing techniques and pitch accuracy in order to create the basis for proper singing.



## ***Intermediate and Advanced***

If you already have specific goals in mind, lessons can be a great way to refine technique and expand your vocal range. Using registration and phonation exercises we will be able to dive deep into the musicality of each song. This is also a great time to define artistry and explore genres and styles that speak most to you as an artist! We will learn to tell the stories within these songs, together. My background in Musical Theatre has also given me the skills to help select and curate audition packages and cuts to help complete a well-rounded songbook for any performer.

## ***Skills Taught in our Studio***

### ➤ **Pitch Accuracy**

Learn to match pitch and sing according to written scores.

### ➤ **Breathing/Support**

Breathing is the basis of singing. Learning to breathe will support a healthy sound and help relieve tension and vocal stress.

### ➤ **Style**

Learn techniques specific to each genre to help convey a distinct and specific sound

### ➤ **Storytelling**

Singers are storytellers, and each song conveys a message that is connected to the artist performing. Learn to convey your own personal meaning within each song you choose to perform.

