# Tessa Rae Welterlen

# Saxophone Studio

#### About Me

I am a professional saxophonist and music instructor. I just completed my master's degree in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and relocated to the Salem area, where I am building a studio of enthusiastic students.

### Background

- M.M. Saxophone Performance from the University of New Mexico
- B.M. Saxophone Performance and Music Education from the University of Iowa
- Teaching License through the Iowa Board of Educators for Music K-12
- I have over 8 years of experience teaching all age levels and abilities.

I am experienced in jazz, contemporary, and classical music. My teachers include Dr. Eric Lau, Dr. Kenneth Tse, Dr. Eugene Rousseau, and Glenn Kostur. I have performed in master classes and lessons with saxophonists such as Paris Conservatory Professor Claude Delangle, Vincent David, and Arno Bornkamp, and have performed with jazz artists such as Jimmy Greene, Ingrid Jensen, and Geoffrey Keezer.

## Saxophone Lessons

### Teaching Philosophy

I believe that in addition to musical mastery, the dedicated study of music develops self-confidence, creativity, and problem solving, among many other life skills. I work hard to make sure each individual

gets lessons tailored to their needs, and I provide an encouraging and fun environment to help each student reach their full potential.

#### Studio Rates

Tuition is \$95 per month for 30-minute lessons. Tuition is due at the first lesson of each month. 60-minute lessons are available for advanced students, and are \$50 per lesson. If you refer a friend, you will receive a free lesson!

### Studio Availability

Sign up now for saxophone lessons! Lessons begin the second week of school, and are held in Salem and Albany.

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