

Student Testimonials from Piano Courses at CT State Norwalk (Anonymous):

- *I highly enjoyed Professor Mangone's passion for piano and willingness to help students throughout their music journey. She is the definition of an amazing teacher. The material presented in this course kept me interested and challenged me in a way that promoted growth. Her enthusiasm and feedback made the course even better and pushed me to improve my skills. Overall, she is a great educator and I would definitely recommend her to anyone that would like to step into the world of piano. – December, 2023*
- *Sight reading skills is like learning a language to communicate and understand. Great learning experience, truly worthwhile. – December, 2023*
- *Professor Mangone is incredible! I had no idea how an online piano class was going to work. I never imagined learning as much as I did! I surprised myself and am so happy I signed up for this class. Prof. Mangone has great video tutorials that we watched each week - they are easy to understand and very helpful. She also records and uploads these unedited, which attests to her skill as a pianist and an instructor. The one-on-one video lessons were really great too. She gives great feedback and is also very accommodating/understanding of the fact that everyone has different types of piano/keyboard. She has encouraged me to continue playing beyond this class and I am so grateful! - July, 2024*
- *The video tutorials were so effective at teaching the course material and made it easy to understand. In addition, the one-on-one video lessons provided helpful personal feedback. - July, 2024*
- *I love this teacher. Would take another class with Professor Mangone anytime. - July, 2024*
- *Everything she is honestly a fantastic professor. – December, 2024*
- *She is amazing and very patient. – December, 2024*
- *I especially enjoyed the weekly piano lessons and getting feedback and encouragement. – December 2024*
- *I learned more from this piano course than I have from any other piano course I have ever taken. Professor Mangone allowed me to build a solid foundation in reading sheet music and piano technique that no piano teacher has previously allowed me to build. She followed the pace at which I was learning, didn't hold me back from going ahead, and was very encouraging throughout the entire course. Her knowledge of music and her ability to give good and valuable constructive criticism has made me a better piano player. - December 2024*

- *Very impressed with the format of learning piano online. All instruction is clearly presented and personalized. Videos are outstanding. – December 2024*
- *I've really liked how my professor has made the class very organized and has made the class fun and easy to complete, all while still learning valuable information. – July, 2025*
- *As this was an online class, I really liked the weekly one on one lessons with the professor. They made sure we were on the right track and that we were ready for the recitals. – July, 2025*
- *She is very talented and knowledgeable – July 2025*
- *This is a zoom individual class. She is wonderful – July 2025*