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Because we are musicians and educators ourselves, performing, teaching, creating, and learning are at the heart of everything we do.

MakeMusic began with Finale®, which continues to revolutionize the world of music notation. We developed SmartMusic® to extend our reach as educators to home practice and to provide every student with immediate feedback. Garritan® virtual instruments allow our computers to more closely match the sounds in our limitless imaginations, and the MusicXML™ file format came from our belief that music was meant to be shared – with everyone.

We create innovative solutions to help musicians change the world.

we believe so strongly that our products will transform your music program that we offer **free trial** versions of both SmartMusic & Finale



smartmusic features:

- 1 built-in click track & tempo control
- 2 loop difficult sections to master technical challenges
- 3 click a note to play the pitch, see the note name or a fingering chart
- 4 built-in tuner & keyboard
- 5 hear **My Part & Accompaniments**
- 6 automatic assessment score
- 7 green notes are correct
- 8 red notes are early, late, or the wrong pitch

smartmusic improves student practice

Practice is integral to success, but without an educator present, it's easy for students to practice incorrectly.

With SmartMusic, educators can extend their reach into home practice and provide specific guidance to each of their students.

With SmartMusic, students can:

Play or sing with accompaniment at home, hearing their part in context with pitch and rhythmic references.

Receive immediate feedback on their performance with pitches and rhythms played correctly appearing in green, and played incorrectly in red.

Record their performances for self-assessment and instantly share the results with their teacher.

With SmartMusic, teachers can:

Create and send assignments that students can complete at home.

Receive completed student assignments, hearing their performances and seeing their assessments.

Provide feedback and encouragement to students, closing the practice loop.

Collect audio recordings, grade, and better track and document each student's progress.

When every student comes to the classroom already knowing how to perform the notes, you can devote class time to focus on the music.





Visit smartmusic.com and get your free trial today

repertoire library

We know that *what* students practice is just as important as *how* they practice. SmartMusic includes an unrivaled repertoire library and makes this music discoverable for students, encouraging both exploration AND practice.

Students at all skill levels have access to the world's largest digital sheet music library with accompaniment:

Nearly 5,000 ensemble titles for choir, concert band, jazz ensemble, string and full orchestra.

More than 4,000 solos, including contest pieces, pop music, holiday titles, and film soundtracks.

Jazz repertoire and innovative tools for learning and practicing improvisation.

50,000 skill building exercises and tools tailored for individual instruments (including percussion and voice) and a host of sight-singing exercises.

Plus, nearly any piece you create or arrange in Finale can become an assessable SmartMusic accompaniment in seconds.

“Parents have commented to me that their children have never practiced so much in their lives!”

Carrie Provost, Orchestra Teacher,
Franklin Middle School, Wheaton, IL

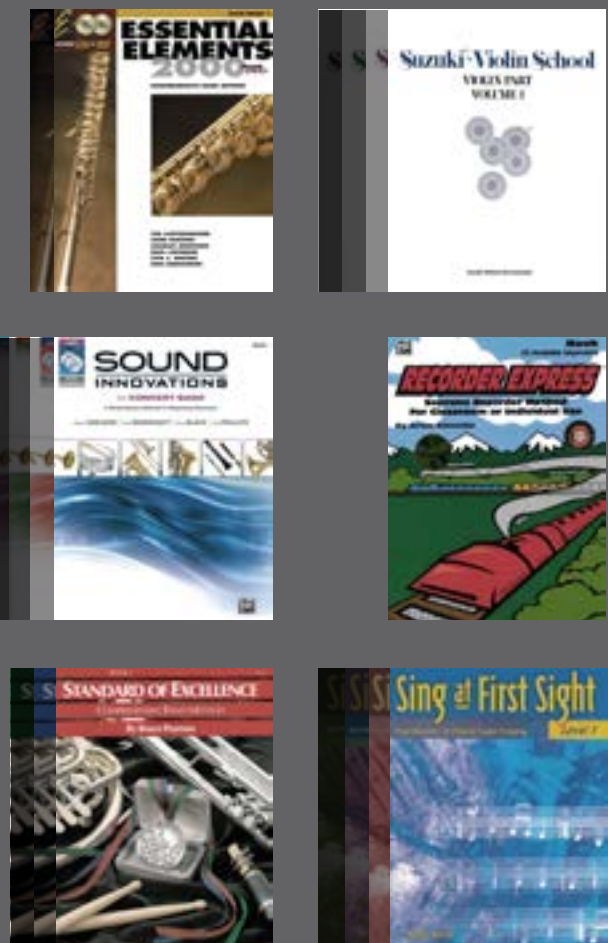
method support

SmartMusic also includes more than 75 of the most popular method books, for all levels, including titles for:

- strings
- band
- choir
- percussion
- jazz
- recorder
- guitar
- and more...

requirements

SmartMusic is sold on an annual subscription basis, which includes access to the entire music library and assignment features. It works on most computers, as well as iPads and iPad minis. A web version, compatible with Chromebook, is scheduled for the 2016 back-to-school season. View system requirements at: smartmusic.com/support.



finale is the world leader in music notation

It's the software trusted by educators and:

Publishers – to engrave sheet music, methods, and scores.

Composers and arrangers – to share their creations.

Copyists – to help create the music heard on Broadway, TV, and at the movies.

With Finale you can:

Create SmartMusic accompaniments.

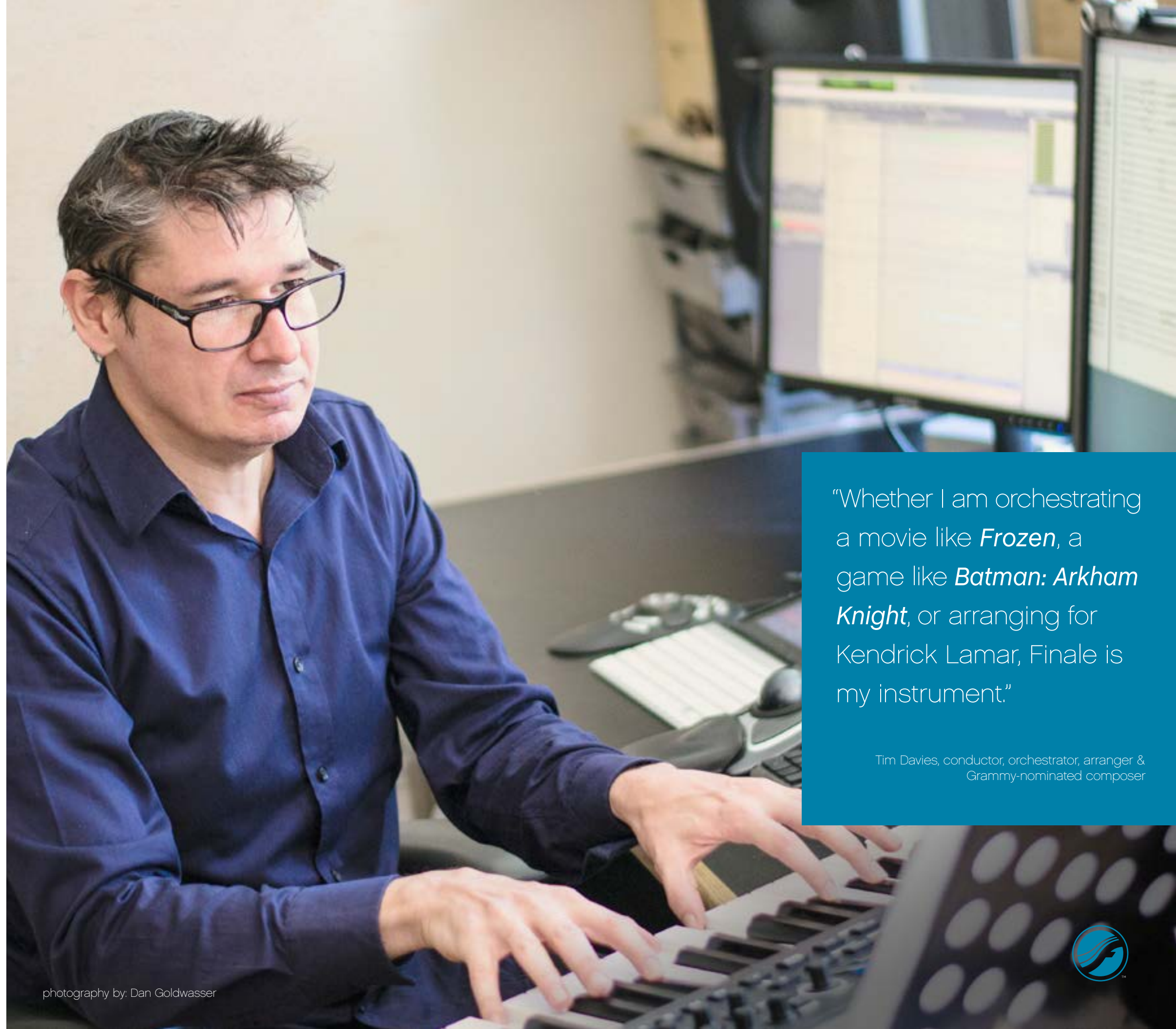
Quickly produce music for any instrument or ensemble.

Instantly transform music with tools to transpose, harmonize, and more.

Hear realistic playback of your music with world-class Garritan sounds and exclusive Human Playback.

Share your music in more ways, **including:**

- Printed pages or PDF files and graphics to be placed in text documents.
- Audio files including .MP3, .WAV, and .AIFF.
- MusicXML and MIDI files to share with other music software.
- Finale files, interchangeable with the free Finale Notepad and other Finale software.



“Whether I am orchestrating a movie like *Frozen*, a game like *Batman: Arkham Knight*, or arranging for Kendrick Lamar, Finale is my instrument.”

Tim Davies, conductor, orchestrator, arranger & Grammy-nominated composer

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music education resources

Finale is equally flexible in the breadth and scope of education tools it offers teachers and students, whether they're learning to read notes or creating Schenkerian analysis.

Integrated support of SmartMusic empowers band, orchestra, and choir students to perform every note correctly – before the first rehearsal – freeing class time to focus on higher-level instruction.

In the classroom, Finale offers you an extra set of hands with:

More than 1,000 ready-made and editable music education worksheets, individual and classroom flash cards, jazz improvisation worksheets, ear-training worksheets, and engraved repertoire documents.

Tools to create harmonic analysis and figured bass and to easily place musical examples into everything from quizzes to dissertations.

An exclusive Exercise Wizard that helps you create custom exercises or lessons for your entire ensemble in minutes.

The Finale AlphaNotes font, which places note names or solfège syllables inside noteheads, perfect for use with beginning music students.

Plus, with the **free, downloadable Finale NotePad®**, all your students can play, print, and edit any Finale files you share – as well as create their own masterpieces.

No matter what you teach, Finale's easy to use, time-saving features help you customize music curriculum to meet the individual needs of all your students.

“Using Finale to create custom SmartMusic accompaniments has been an invaluable tool in my teaching!”

Lisa Galvin, Director of Bands,
Hilliard Heritage Middle School



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