



DIANA GALLO

Diana Gallo (Private Piano) has been a piano instructor with VPAS since 1997. With a Bachelor of Arts in Piano from Loyola Marymount University and a Master of Music in Piano Pedagogy from Cal Sate University, Northridge, her expertise is in the art of teaching piano. She is currently a member of the Music Teachers' Association of California, and has been president of the local branch in Santa Clarita for two years. Instructing all ages and levels, Diana incorporates rhythm, composition, the basic fundamentals of music, notes, ear training, and reading music. Her students play in recitals at least twice a year, and many are entered in state piano competitions. Diana truly enjoys bringing music into the lives of her students. "My love of music prompted me to focus on teaching. Witnessing a student's excitement when they learn something new or complete a piece, renews my love of teaching at every lesson. By participating in recitals, the student learns discipline by working toward a goal, and can feel a great sense of accomplishment!"