

## Adventus MusIQ and MakeMusic's SmartMusic Software



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"Let me not mince words: I love these products. Adventus has addressed the very issues I tend to take with educational technology, and have produced a method of instruction that truly walks the Middle Path, in that it is a computer-based educational tool that both allows and encourages the student to explore and learn on their own, yet also encourages interaction between students, their teacher, and their parents.

*In a world where technology isolates us from one another more often than it brings us together (the jury is still out on social media), MusIQ succeeds in making technology-based education more effective than the traditional-only methods, and enables a single instructor to foster significant development in musical understanding and skill to an entire class without sacrificing the essential interpersonal experience of the student-teacher relationship.*

The traditionally nominal levels of music development that schools and many traditional methods of music instruction have offered in the past, which usually only emphasize rhythm and singing, cannot begin to compete with this program in which students reliably and consistently develop superior reading, listening and compositional skills.

The significance of these findings cannot be overemphasized."