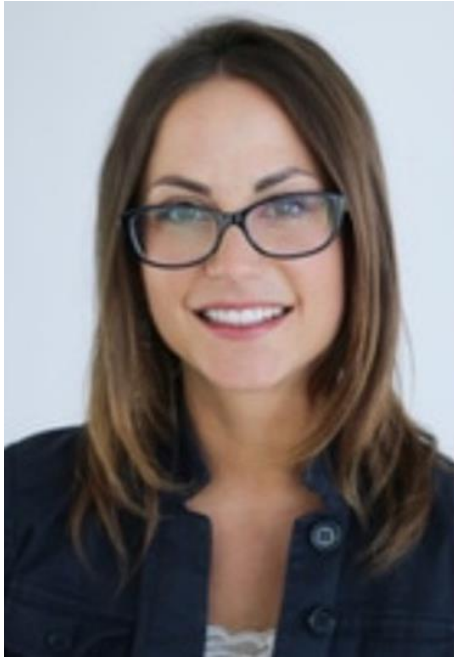


## Jaclyn Ruddy



Teaching Since:

2015

Teaching Location:

NW and SW

Music Qualifications:

ARCT Harmony and

Counter Point, Musical Analysis

Level 10 RCM Piano (currently pursuing)

RCM Elementary Piano Specialist

### Summary and Accomplishments

Jaclyn is an energetic musician who started playing piano at the age of five. She has since achieved her ARCT in Harmony and Counterpoint and also Musical Analysis. This has helped to deepen her understanding of 'how things work'. She is currently pursuing level 10 Royal Conservatory of Music under the direction of Colleen Athparia. Jaclyn is a part of the Alberta Piano Teachers Association, which enables her students to benefit from their festival. She is also a member of the Piano Pedagogy Group, a group of piano teachers that meet once a month to stay current with teaching methods and ideas from special guests and speakers.

Jaclyn has played at the Kiwanis music competition and has always done well during exams and recitals. Her love of music has enabled her to step up and play at the spur of moment for churches, children's choirs and more. She is also an avid choral member who loves to sing and be apart of the 'team spirit'.

She is a highly motivated and a goal oriented piano teacher. Preparing students for recitals, exams and festivals are ways that musical growth is facilitated. She has experience teaching both young children and older adults, coming from a place of patience and care when addressing individual needs. You will find her singing along and playing duets with her students! Jaclyn loves music and her main goal is to create life long musicians.

In her free time she enjoys running outside with her husband and two kids.