## Mariah Atkinson



**Teaching Since:** 2008

Courses taught at Private Piano and Yamaha

Musica Academy: Group Classes

**Teaching Location:** NW and SW

**Music Qualifications:** Pursuing Grade 10 (Royal

Conservatory of Music)

**Summary and Other Accomplishments** 

Mariah is an enthusiastic musician who started playing piano at the age of five. She has since achieved her Grade 9 with the Royal Conservatory of Music and is currently preparing for her Grade 10. She has played extensively in church which has given her the ability to easily play off of chord charts and lead sheets. She also plays euphonium in brass band and concert band with The Salvation Army and Westwinds Music Society.

Mariah is a motivated piano teacher with 7 years of teaching experience. She has taught students of all ages and strives to inspire students by providing a fun and enjoyable lessons. She also enjoys encouraging creativity through improvisation, harmonization, and composition depending on students' interests. Mariah will be joining Musica Academy in September 2016 to teach both group and private piano lessons.