

Allison Phipps has a Bachelor of Music (Honours) from the University of Manitoba, Marcel A. Desautels Faculty of Music, where she majored in voice. During her university career she received numerous scholarships and awards including the Marcel A. Desautels Faculty Fund Award, Orville J. Derraugh Memorial Recital Scholarship, Don Wright Entrance Scholarships in Music, Margaret H. Tyler Award in Music, and Margaret Toal Scholarship in Voice.

As part of her music education, Allison participated from 2003 – 2015 in the Winnipeg Music Festival in piano, voice, and classical guitar. Allison was most successful in her vocal classes, as she was runner up for the Frances E. Wickberg Trophy in 2004, runner up for the Ladies' Orange Benevolent Association Trophy for the years 2005 and 2006, winner of the Gordon Hignell Memorial Trophy in 2012, and recipient of the Myrna-Lou McGregor Memorial Scholarship in 2014.

Allison has performed with Canzona, Camerata Nova, The Winnipeg Singers, and The Winnipeg Philharmonic choir. She's also performed as a bluegrass/country duo in Winnipeg's Festival Du Voyageur and Fringe Festival.

Allison has been teaching voice, piano, guitar, ukulele, and theory lessons since 2015 in her home studio, "AMusicStudio". She has had the honour of attending an RCM Celebration of Excellence ceremony with one of her piano students who received one of the highest piano exam marks in Manitoba. Allison is an RCM Certified Teacher for both elementary and intermediate piano, and received the 2021 RCM Teacher of Distinction Award for Manitoba.

Allison's main goal is to bring joy to her students through music. She encourages students to try a variety of musical styles and hopes they use music as a language to express themselves.

