

RWS BEGINNING STRINGS SERIES

Grade: 1.5

Conductor Score: RWS-2476-01

Playful Puppies

Mekel Rogers

RWS
Beginning Strings Series

RWS MUSIC
COMPANY

RWS BEGINNING STRINGS SERIES

Playful Puppies

Mekel Rogers

INSTRUMENTATION

Conductor Score	1
Violin 1	15
Violin 2 (Viola)	15
Viola	6
Cello	5
Double Bass	5
Piano (Optional)	1

PROGRAM NOTE

Playful Puppies is a musical depiction of adorable puppy dogs playing together in a garden or playroom.

NOTES TO CONDUCTOR

Perform the music with a light, bouncy style throughout.

To accommodate smaller ensembles, the 2nd violin part also serves as a viola TC part, and the cello/bass parts are identical.

I hope you find *Playful Puppies* to be a fun, light, and useful addition to your library and performances.

Please visit my composer page at rwsmusic.com to connect.

Mekel Rogers

ABOUT THE COMPOSER



Mekel Rogers has been involved in music education as a middle school band director and orchestra conductor since 1995. He is a Summa Cum Laude graduate of Appalachian State University, a charter member of the Carolina Crown Drum and Bugle Corps, and the founding conductor of the Union Symphony Youth Orchestra. Mekel is also active as a frequent guest clinician and adjudicator for both concert band and orchestral events.

Mekel's music for concert band and orchestra has been performed internationally and is published by the FJH Music Company, Alfred Music Publishing, Grand Mesa Strings, RWS Music, and TUX People's Music. Mekel's concert band and string orchestra compositions have received several Editors Choice Awards from the J. W. Pepper Music Company.

Mekel's works have been performed at various district and state honor band events, music educator association conferences, adjudicated festivals, and the Midwest Clinic in Chicago. International performances include concert festivals in Canada, Japan, Australia, and the United Kingdom as well as world premieres in both London, England and Paris, France.

Mekel was inducted into the American School Band Directors Association (ASBDA) in 2008 and is a member of the American Society of Composers, Authors, and Publishers (ASCAP).



PLAYFUL PUPPIES

Conductor Score
RWS-2476-00

Mekel Rogers (ASCAP)

Allegro ♩ = 138

3

Violin 1

Violin 2 (Viola)

Viola

Cello

Double Bass

Piano (Optional)

6 7 8 9 10

Legal Use Requires Purchase

© 2024 RWS Music Company

All Rights Administrated by Ariana Productions LLC, 7615 Martha's Cove Lane, Navarre, FL 32566
International Copyright Secured. All Rights Reserved. Printed in U. S. A.

WARNING! This composition is protected by copyright law. To copy or reproduce it by any means is an infringement of the copyright law.

11

Vln. 1 *f*

Vln. 2 (Vla) *f*

Vla. *f*

Vcl. *f*

D.B. *f*

Pno. *f*

11 12 13 14 15

19

Vln. 1 *mf*

Vln. 2 (Vla) *mf*

Vla. *mf*

Vcl.

D.B.

Pno. *mf*

16 17 18 19 20

23

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Pno.

mf

mf

21 22 23 24 25

Vln. 1

Vln. 2 (Vla)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Pno.

f

f

f

f

f

26 27 28 29

Vln. 1

Vln. 2
(Vla)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Pno.

30 31 32 33

Vln. 1

Vln. 2
(Vla)

Vla.

Vcl.

D.B.

Pno.

34 35 36 37