



praguesirens is the leading international school for contemporary singing in the Czech Republic. Best known for their face-to-face solo singing lessons in an exclusive setting, praguesirens decided in the 7th year of its existence to also offer group courses in selected fields. Following the exclusive and highly individualistic philosophy of the school, these group lessons take place exclusively in small ensembles of 5 to 6 students.

Group singing is an entirely separate genre and group singing lessons can be extremely effective, depending on the student's personal predisposition. In addition to the individual addressing of the student by the tutor during the classes, group singing is also and above all about learning by watching others and listening to others. Students in group classes are often positively inspired by their classmates and motivated to achieve higher goals and greater efforts.

Beyond all group pedagogical arguments, singing in groups is not only an artistic but also a social activity. The students get to know new like-minded people in an intensive process and sometimes group singing is just great fun. On the other hand, attending a group class requires discipline. Individual group members are dependent on one another and being absent from class several times can stress a group.

The cost per group lesson is only 1/3 of a solo lesson. However, each course participant concludes a binding contract for approx. 14 predefined weekly sessions of 2 hours each. Course fees are billed monthly. The fees for the first month are due when the contract is signed.

Each course participant receives a certificate documenting successful participation in the course, a video recording of the final performance, and opportunity to perform on one of the regular praguesirens concerts along with the other solo students of the school. The minimum age for course participants is 18 years.



COURSE III: HARMONIZING

Who is this course for?

This course is mainly for beginners, we'll cover the essential basics of singing, including breathing techniques, vocal warm-ups, and posture. Intermediate singers will have opportunities to fine-tune their vocal abilities and work on more advanced vocal techniques. Ability to read notes is not required, but preferred.

What is this course about?

Led by our experienced vocal coach, you'll be guided through a series of engaging and interactive group lessons, creating a supportive and encouraging environment for all participants. Singing in a group provides a unique opportunity to create stunning harmonies together. We will focus on ear training exercises to help you recognise intervals and pitch, enabling you to blend harmoniously with other singers. Our vocal coach will provide personalised feedback and support, helping you identify areas for improvement and celebrating your progress throughout the course. Get ready to receive interesting homeworks in order to improve your skills even outside of the school, each student also gets an exclusive access to praguesirens video tutorial library. As the course progresses, we'll organise performance opportunity for those interested in showcasing their newfound harmonising skills. In the end of the course the group will have a chance to perform on a regular praguesirens concert along with the other solo performing students.

Each course participant receives a certificate that documents successful participation in the course as well as a video documentation of the final stage performance of the group.

What else do you need to know about this course?

Your tutor Zinana is a certified specialist in popular singing with specialisation in music education. Zinana has rich experience in vocal coaching, songwriting, stage behaviour and acapela group performances.

This course will contain approximately 14 weekly group sessions. One session lasts for almost 2 hours. Course fees are 800 CZK for one session (110 minutes) per person (the cost per 1 hour is just 400 CZK). However, each course participant concludes a binding contract for approx. 14 predefined weekly sessions of 2 hours each. Course fees are billed monthly. The fees for the first month are due when the contract is signed.

