Theme: Play skillfully and shout for joy (One Sound, One Spirit)

Duration: June 22, 2025 1PM – 6PM (About 5 Hours)

♦ 1:30 – 2:00: Heart Before Skill (Sheng)

Focus: Spiritual Foundation & Attitude Check

- Opening prayer + devotional (not a full lesson but just a brief explanation) (Psalm 33:3)
 - Nej cia li hu nkauj tshiab rau nws mloog. Nej ua tib zoo ntiv tej xov qeejlaus thiab qws zoo siab hlo.
 - Sing unto him a new song; play skillfully with a loud noise.
- Team Share-Out:
 - o "Why do you serve?" (Vim li cas koj thiaj li xav los hu nkauj rau Vajtswv.)

2:00 - 3:00 : Worship Team Vocal Basics (Sheng)

Focus: Basics of singing

- Breathing and pitch warm-up
- Practice:
 - Sing 1 familiar song slowly with focus on:
 - Breathing
 - Mouthing Position
 - Warm up

♦ 3:00 – 4:00 : Song Structure & Flow (Vamyeejkoob)

Focus: Following the Musician

- Teach common sections:
 - Flow of a song
 - Basics of notes and beats

- Pitch matching (play note → team matches by ear)
- 7 tones
 - Do Tonic (God)
 - This is home base. No tension, full rest.
 - Analogy: God the center of it all. Where everything begins and ends.
 - Chord Type: Major
 - Re Supertonic (Child Running to Dad)
 - A light tension note that often moves to the dominant (5).
 - Analogy: A child who runs to Dad when scared. Needs protection.
 - **Chord Type:** Minor
 - Mi Mediant (Middle Child)
 - Sits in the middle, doesn't pull strongly in any direction. Adds color.
 - Analogy: The middle child—emotional, unsure, sometimes overlooked.
 - Chord Type: Minor
 - Fa Subdominant (Mom)
 - Prepares the way for the dominant (5).
 - Analogy: Mom supportive, gently pointing toward resolution.
 - **Chord Type:** Major
 - Sol Dominant (Dad)
 - Strongest tension toward home (Do/1). It wants to resolve.
 - Analogy: Dad authority figure who leads the family back home.
 - **Chord Type:** Major
 - La Submediant (Daughter)
 - Feels sweet but avoids going home—commonly used in deceptive cadences.
 - Analogy: Teenage daughter lovely but unpredictable, delays closure.

- Chord Type: Minor
- o Ti − Leading Tone (Dog)
 - The most unstable tone. It desperately wants to resolve to Do.
 - Analogy: A dog pulling on a leash—always leading toward home.
 - **Chord Type:** Diminished
- Practice:
 - o Rehearse songs in sequence

♦ 4:00 – 5:00: Leading Without Chaos (Niam Nyiaj)

Focus: Team Communication & Emotional Feelings

1.

2.

3.

Feel free to add more.

♦ 5:00 – 6:00 (Optional): Encouragement & Challenge (Sheng)

Focus: Spiritual Growth & Commitment

- Ask what they learned that they can apply
- Closing prayer: Unity, growth, and Spirit-led worship