Music education can happen safely during this period. Here are some tips to think of when planning for in-person instruction:

- Measure your room yourself
  Many blueprints do not take into account instrument lockers or other objects built after the room was completed.

- Create contingencies, working with administrators to utilize alternative spaces
  Alternative spaces could include: cafeterias, auditoriums, football stadium/bleachers, gymnasium/bleachers, etc.

- Create a traffic and spacing plan
  - Create aisles using tape
  - Make approaches one way, making best use of existing entrances and exits
  - Use dots to determine where students may stand

- What are your gathering spaces?
  - Instrument/folder lockers
    Can these be spread out to reduce density or can you stagger collection/drop-off times?
  - Hydration areas (particularly for outdoor rehearsals)
    DOE has recommended shutting off water fountains and common use hydration stations

- Limit contact / sharing
  - Understand your NEW music distribution and return process
  - Are you able to put one student on each stand, rather than share
    Can your students bring in their own wire stand?
  - Understand what students typically share and create a plan for these
    Rosin, Mallets, etc.
  - Develop a cleaning plan for shared instruments
    Work with your music dealer to identify safe ways to disinfect.
    Different plans are needed based on instrument type.