

# Ukrainian National Suzuki Association (UNSA)

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Dear friends!

I would like to inform you about the financial support for Ukrainian teachers and students which we receive from around the world.

Now we are distributing funds to those Suzuki teachers who need it and have the opportunity to spend this money.

- At the moment, 2500 UAH has been sent to Suzuki violin teacher **Olga Skuridina in Severodonetsk**, Luhansk region. Unfortunately, this city is subject to bomb attacks. Olga hadn't opportunity to leave the city.
- We sent 5000 UAH to Suzuki violin **Margarita Kruk in Lviv**. She, her husband and son transport people across the border to Europe in cars, feed them and give them a place to sleep. She needs money to buy gasoline and food to help people.
- We sent 5000 UAH to Suzuki piano teacher **Alexandra Pershina in Kharkiv**, which is under severe bomb attacks. This money will help her get out of town.
- We sent 5000 UAH to Suzuki violin teacher **Olena Pitsan who left Kharkiv** and now she is in Poland.
- Yesterday we sent 7500 UAH to Suzuki violin teacher **Olga Skuridina**. We hired a private car to take our colleague out of the city of Severodonetsk, which was completely bombed by Russian troops.

Most of our students with their parents are either abroad or in a safe place in Ukraine. The association is also ready to help families, but at the moment no one has asked for help.

The money we collect on my personal account and on the account of the association. The money that will remain after the end of the war, we will distribute as financial assistance for the Ukrainian teachers and Suzuki students. Teachers will have to restore their jobs, buy tools and start teaching students again.

Also, UNSA will provide any financial assistance to our students who will need it.

## Balance of accounts on 13.03.2022 08:45

- 43 423 UAH

- 1 077 EUR (my personal bank account)

We have 335 EUR and 9900 PLS (from Polish Suzuki Association) in the bank account of the association.

I think there were more SWIFT transfers, but they haven't arrived yet.

Best regards,  
Nataliia Koptienkova,  
Chair of UNSA.