

## **JANUARY**

## New Jersey Symphony Community Partners Monthly Highlights

This month, musicians served more than **300** community members of all ages, through **4** events in Essex County and **1** special collaboration in Michigan.



## Preschool Mini-Residency

This month, musicians brought music to preschoolers of La Cada de Don Pedro and Ironbound Early Learning Center! Students enjoyed a woodwind and percussion concert, with follow up mini-residency visits to each classroom. This series of visits was made possible through the support of the PNC Foundation.

Sphinx Orchestral Partners Auditions

Each year, the New Jersey Symphony sends two musicians to sit in on the Sphinx Orchestral Partners Auditions (SOPA). They then make their recommendations as to which musicians could serve as substitute or extra musicians in future performances. These auditions are held specifically for Black and Latino musicians, allowing us to build a more diverse sub list. On January 24, Héctor Falcón and Juan Esteban Martinez represented the New Jersey Symphony in Detroit, Michigan.



As always, thank you for your support of the Community Partners program – stay tuned for the next edition of Monthly Highlights!