

Taig Egan, a senior at Guilford High School, started taking clarinet lessons in 2017 with David Singer in Southern California after several years of studying jazz guitar. Upon moving to New Haven that summer, he began lessons at Neighborhood Music School with Erik Elligers, and later Julie Asuma-Levene. While at NMS, Taig became principal clarinet in his high school's Wind Ensemble and Symphony Orchestra as well as lead alto in the Jazz Ensemble.

He has played principal clarinet in the CMEA Regional and State Orchestras and in the NAFME All-National Orchestra. He is currently studying with Sam Boutris and will pursue a degree in classical clarinet performance. In February 2020, Taig was named a finalist in the Greater Bridgeport Symphony Young Instrumentalist Concerto Competition.

Watch his submission: Mozart Clarinet Concerto Movement 1

<https://youtu.be/gaFdy6kFWHE>