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## JAZZ MUSICIANS SHARE TALENTS



Andrew Berinson, a seventh-grader at Ligon Middle School in Raleigh, gets advice from pianist Richard Johnson of the Thelonious Monk Institute of Jazz. The institute is a nonprofit educational organization made up of distinguished jazz musicians. It is visiting six schools in North Carolina this week to introduce 'Jazz in America: The National Jazz Curriculum.' The group conducted classes and gave a performance at Ligon and at Knightdale High School on Tuesday. Monk, who died in 1982, was from Rocky Mount.

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