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Music Lessons for Years 3, 4, 5, 6: Autumn 2021

Dear Parents,

We will once again be offering the following music lessons to pupils in Years 3, 4, 5, 6 on a fee-paying basis in Autumn Term 2021. Please book on ParentPay to secure your child's place. There are places available for the following:

Individual (20 min or 30 min) and Group Lessons: Keyboard, Violin, Guitar, Ukulele, Flute
Individual 30 min (NOT 20 mins) and Group Lessons: Singing
Individual Lessons Only (20 min or 30 min): Drum Kit, Piano
Individual Lessons for Years 4/5/6 only (20 min or 30 min): Bass guitar

We are able to offer individual or group lessons for all of the above except piano and drum kit, which are individual lessons only. Bass guitar is also individual lessons only, and is only available for Year 4 upwards due to the size of the instrument.

The cost of lessons are detailed below, and are very favourable compared with other local providers:

Individual lesson for 20 minutes per week (10 lessons)	£ 99.00
Individual lesson for 30 minutes per week (10 lessons)	£149.00
Group lessons for 30 minutes per week (10 lessons)	£ 60.00

There are 3 terms and lessons are based on 10 lessons per term as a guide, however due to bank holidays and/or teacher availability this may vary slightly i.e. 9 lessons in one term, 11 lessons in the next. Over the whole year there will be 30 lessons.

Generally, group lessons are based on 3+ children in a group for a 30 minute class. However, on occasion due to varying levels of ability within a group, the class maybe adjusted to two children for 20 minutes in order to apply a better level of attention to individual children and improve each child's progress. It should be stressed that this is the exception not the rule.

The lessons are due to commence after the Summer break and **payment is required by Wednesday 8th September 2021 at the latest in order to finalise the timetable and issue to teachers and students.**

N.B Your child will not be added to the timetable and will not receive any lessons until payment is made.

Please login to www.ParentPay.com to book your child's lessons or collect a barcoded letter from the office to pay at a PayPoint store.

Scientific research shows that playing a musical instrument can enhance social and learning skills across the curriculum, as well as general concentration and behaviour.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us. **Please note that 6 weeks notice of cancellation is required, or you may be invoiced for this period.**

Please let us know immediately if your child has been having lessons with us but does not wish to continue this term.

Many thanks.

Yours faithfully

Mrs T.Shaw

