

September 2024

## SUBSIDISED INSTRUMENTAL TUITION 2024-25

Dear Parent/Carer

Myton School has a lively and colourful music programme with concerts during the school term. If you wish for your son/daughter to be part of this and to receive instrumental tuition in 2024-25 please complete the contract and return to the Finance Office as soon as possible as allocation of lessons will be done in priority of when application is received.

Once the contract has been received you will be invoiced. It is important you understand that by completing the contract you are committing to pay for the Autumn term fees, the school uses external providers (Peripatetic Music Teachers and Steel Pan Academy) and you will be entering into a contract for their services. GCSE & A-Level Music students will be given a 25% discount against one instrument only from Year 10. To apply for this please email <a href="mailto:finance@myton.co.uk">finance@myton.co.uk</a>

Invoices for music fees are issued in advance at the start of each school term and are payable within 14 days. Any queries on invoices should be made to the finance office who can be contacted on 01926 405747. Please be aware that if there are outstanding financial commitments to the school (unpaid music fee invoices) these must be settled before entering into additional commitments such as school trips.

Signing this contract means that you will be charged for the whole of the Autumn Term, notice to stop lessons from the end of the Autumn Term must be given by the start of October half term.

To stop lessons from February half term notice must be given by the start of the Christmas holidays. To stop lessons after Easter, notice must be given by the start of February half term (year 11/13 students will automatically be taken off after Easter).

To stop lessons after May half term notice must be given at the start of the Easter holidays.

It is the student's own responsibility to check timetables and to arrange a change to time via the Performing Arts technician if necessary (e.g. if they have a test or exam or lessons such as Food Technology when they would be cooking). All students are expected to practice on a regular basis and it is expected that parents will support this at home. All lessons are on a rotating timetable, which does mean that students will need to miss part of a class lesson to attend their instrumental lesson. It is the student's own responsibility to catch up any work that is missed and to return promptly to class after the lesson. No refund will be given for lessons not attended by students.

May we remind you that **instruments should NOT be left in school overnight**. The school cannot be held responsible for any loss or damage to instruments borrowed or owned by students. May we also remind you that any instrument in your child's possession should by covered by your home insurance while it is on the school premises. Please ensure that your child's name and form are clearly marked on the case. During the school day students may arrange to store their instrument in one of the storerooms within the department. Instruments must not be left unaccompanied in practice rooms.

Thank you for your support of music at Myton

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## CONTRACT OF STUDY FOR SUBSIDISED INSTRUMENTAL TUITION AT MYTON SCHOOL 2024-2025

The students will receive thirty lessons over the academic year. These lessons will be charged for at rates shown on the contract (all lessons last 20 minutes, except for steel pans which last 30 minutes).

Please contact the Finance Office for details on financial assistance available on 01926 405744.

Name of Student Year Group (as of Sept 2024)	
Instrument (please tick)	
Woodwind: Flute ☐ Clarinet ☐ Saxophone ☐ Oboe ☐ Bassoon ☐	
Brass: Trumpet/Cornet □ French Horn □ Tenor Horn □ Trombone □ Euphonium/Tuba □	
Strings/Guitars: Violin/Viola □ Cello/Double Bass □ Guitar (Classical) □ Guitar (Acoustic/Rock/Bass) □	
Piano: Piano □	
Other: Voice □ Drums □ Steel Pans □	Please indicate if you wish to be
<ul> <li>The school guarantees a minimum of thirty lessons over the academic year (this does not necessarily mean ten lessons per term).</li> <li>Lessons are for 20 minutes.</li> <li>Steel Pan Lessons take place in groups only – 30 minute lessons</li> <li>Availability is subject to demand of each instrument.</li> </ul>	considered for one of the following discounts  50% discount (in receipt of FSM)  25% discount GCSE Year 10 upwards/A-Level Music Students  75% GCSE Year 10 upwards/A-Level Music Students in receipt of
All instruments excluding Steel Pans	FSM ☐ Up to 50% discount Hardship
□ Individual £120 per term Current Instrumental Grade	Fund (subject to eligibility)
or Beginner □	
□ Steel Pans (group) £50 per term	
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