



Holy Trinity C of E Primary School

"A Church School community aspiring for all to live life to the full"



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Dear Parents

Re: Music Tuition from September 2021

FOR THE ATTENTION OF BOTH CURRENT INSTRUMENTAL TUITION PUPILS AND NEW PUPILS

We are pleased to be able to continue to offer a large number of pupils music tuition in school with Mrs Skeet (strings), Mrs Weir (woodwind) and Mr Agg (piano).

If your child is already having music tuition in school their lessons will continue in September unless you inform us of any changes by Friday 10th September at the latest. **Please complete the online form to indicate that you wish lessons to continue.** However, there are now vacancies for other pupils to learn a musical instrument from September. Arrangements are in place for both individual and small group instrument tuition during the school day.

The instruments available are: Cello, Violin, Piano or Recorder (for Y2 children upwards), Clarinet or Flute (for Y4 upwards) and Saxophone (for Y6).

There will be a hire charge per term for strings/woodwind instruments (approximately £13.70 - £26.90 – available from either Glos Music or Second Wind) and tuition fees are detailed on the attached sheet.

Whilst Mrs Skeet and Mrs Weir cannot guarantee a shared lesson, they will do all they can to group children according to their stage of development in order to give parents their preference where possible. Please note, that the fees for shared lessons with groups of 2 or 3 pupils will be the same. This is to enable the teachers to place each child in the most suitable group as they progress throughout the year without being restricted by differing fees.

Those children (and parents) interested in piano lessons should note that all these lessons will be on an individual basis only and they will need either a piano or a keyboard at home for practise. Please also note that currently there is a waiting list in place for piano lessons.

At this stage we would like parents to express an interest in the preferred instrument and tuition from the range available by **completing the online form by 10th September**. You can access the form via this link - <https://forms.gle/CLALofXMLWPKf5ub9> The music teachers will then contact you directly with more details about the music tuition. Mrs Weir will also check that front teeth, arm-length and hand-size are suitable for learning the chosen woodwind instrument.

For children in Y2 from September 2021: lessons will not start straight away, this is just to find out general interest at this stage.

Yours sincerely

Duncan de Gruchy
Headteacher

Respect

Responsibility

Compassion

Courage

Forgiveness

Truthfulness

