## **Buckinghamshire Music Trust**

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## **Instrumental Lesson Application Form**

This form is to apply for instrumental lessons either at a music centre or at your school. Please return this form by post or email and the music centre will contact you to arrange the details. Once tuition is confirmed, this form constitutes a rolling contract which is only cancelled once notice has been given in writing in accordance with our terms and conditions (see over).

Personal details								
Student's last name:						Forename:		
Date of birth:						Instrument(s):		
Age:						Gender:		
School:						Year of study as of September 2023:		
Home address:								
Postcode:						Home phone:		
Parent/carer title:		Last name				Forename:		
Parent/carer email:								
Student email:								
Parent/carer mobile number (emergency contact):						Student mobile:		
Medical/Dietary/Learning needs:								
Lesson details:								
Location (name your school or music				e)				
Instrument:					Level / Grade:			
Choose one of the following options:  *Group lessons are organised through discussion with BMT and are available where there are sufficient numbers of students of the same ability on the same instrument. A group may be 2-3 students or 4-6 students and rates differ accordingly. Group tuition is not available to students above grade 2 standard.  **For individual lessons of over 30 minutes, please speak to your Music Centre directly who will be able to advise further								
Individual lesson** (30 mins):								
Individual lesson (20 mins):						I am interested in a group lesson (4-6 students) as part of a Music Centre membership □		
Group lesson* (if available):								
Musical background: Please complete if you are already engaged in some musical activity								
Current teacher:						Level / Grade:		
Have you had any Whole Class Instrumental Teaching at your school:  If YES, then please say which instrument:								
List any other musical activities you have done:								



## **Tuition terms and conditions**

Please read these carefully and sign the statement to confirm your application.

Tuition is provided on an ongoing, rolling contract and pupils may only withdraw from activities at the end of a term following submission and acceptance of <u>written notice to your local music centre.</u> (Membership will roll over into the new academic year unless cancelled in the summer term.) The notice submission deadlines for each term are available on our website (<u>www.bucksmusic.org</u>) but will generally be the last day of the mid-term break. If late notice is received, you will be required to pay a late notice fee in addition to your invoice for the term.

Fees are invoiced termly and should be paid on receipt of invoice by cheque (payable to Buckinghamshire Music Trust) or by bank transfer to:

Account name: Buckinghamshire Music Trust

Sort code: 30-90-38 Account number: 61703168 You must ensure that you use the invoice number as a payment reference

Outstanding fees cannot be carried over the end of a term without prior agreement from the music trust central team and may result in tuition or membership services being withdrawn until the account is cleared.

Parents are asked to inform the tutor of any known absences a minimum of one week in so that, where possible, these can be rearranged within the same term. In the case of pupil absence, we are unable to reschedule lessons other than at the tutor's discretion. This includes pupil absences due to conflicting school activities. Where the tutor is absent, parents will be informed via your child's school and lessons will be rescheduled by the tutor in agreement with the school. Where the tutor is absent for more than one week, BMT will endeavour to cover these lessons with an alternative tutor or will provide a refund at the end of the year for any sessions missed through tutor sickness.

We are committed to ensuring that all music trust activities are accessible to all young people and provide subsidies for families who are eligible for the national Free School Meals scheme (for families receiving certain benefits) and for siblings of existing members.

The music trust is responsible for the safety of students whilst they are within the music centre or on a pre-arranged visit or performance off-site and has appropriate Risk Assessment, Safeguarding, Health and Safety, and First Aid procedures in place. Parents must be responsible for their child's safety and well-being at all other times, with particular regard to their journey to and from the music centres.

Please ensure that you inform the music centre directly if any of your personal details change, in particular phone and email contacts, including those named as emergency contacts.

Parents are responsible for ensuring that the music trust is aware of any medical needs and special educational needs regarding their child. Please ensure to complete the relevant section of the form is filled in and where necessary provide the relevant area leader with any further information.

The music trust occasionally takes photos and audio/video recordings of pupils for archive purposes, teacher training and use in our own promotional material and publicity. If you are happy for your child to have their image used in this way please write YES in the box. For anything used by external agencies such as press, specific additional permission will be sought.

The music trust would like to add your details to the mailing list for your chosen centre. Please write YES in the box if you are happy for us to do so.

The Buckinghamshire Music Trust is registered with the Data Protection Registrar's Office and will not use or share this information outside the organisation without the express permission of the parent concerned.

I have read and accepted these terms and conditions and would like to register my child at my chosen music centre as part of Buckinghamshire Music Trust

Parent/carer signature (if by email then typed name confirms acceptance)	Date

You should return your completed form to your local music centre as below:

Amersham Music Centre, Amersham School, Stanley Hill, Amersham, Bucks, HP7 9HH Aylesbury Music Centre, Walton Road, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, HP21 7ST High Wycombe Music Centre, Mill End Road, High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire, HP12 4BA

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