

March 2021

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Peripatetic Instrumental and Vocal Tuition

At Montsaye Academy we are in the fortunate position of having access to excellent teachers for a wide range of instruments through NMPAT. At present we offer lessons on:

Strings (violin, cello & viola)
 Woodwind (flute, clarinet, saxophone, oboe)
 Brass - all
 Keyboard/Piano
 Percussion/ Drum Kit
 Voice
 Guitars (acoustic/classical/electric/bass/ukulele)
 Music technology/DJ/Sequencing course (RSL qualifications)

Lessons are delivered for 33 weeks during term time. The current charges for 2020/21 are as follows;

	Deposit	10 monthly DD payments	Per annum (if pay in advance)
30 minute individual lesson	£20.00	£65.00	£660.00
20 minute individual lesson	£20.00	£43.00	£440.00
30 minute shared lesson	£20.00	£32.00	£330.00

Students who receive FSM -----Fully subsidised-----

A deposit of £20 is required to secure the lesson and the balance is paid via 10 monthly direct debit payments. If your son or daughter is entitled to free school meals, then they will receive free lessons if they attend an extra-curricular music group. If FSM entitlement changes during the contractual term, then remaining fees for the year become payable. Please note, our charges and subscription are reviewed at the end of each academic year in July, in accordance with NMPAT charging, and may be subject to change.

If your son or daughter is interested in continuing or taking up music lessons when they transfer to Montsaye Academy, please could you complete the attached form. This will allow us to take into consideration future demand for lessons when we renegotiate our contract with Northamptonshire Music Service and individual peripatetic teachers. Priority will be given to students who are already receiving tuition when places are allocated. All other students will be placed on a waiting list.

If we receive the attached form, we will send you a formal contract letter in June, with up to date information about fees before adding your son/ daughter to a list and invoicing.



I am sure you will appreciate that availability of face to face lessons for students next year remains subject to the latest government guidance regarding the coronavirus pandemic. This year, a large number of our students successfully accessed their instrument lessons via NMPAT's online provision and continued to make excellent progress.

If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours faithfully

Mrs Natalie Gardner
Head of Music





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I wish my son/daughter to start peripatetic tuition at Montsaye so would like an up to date contract sent to me in June.

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Name of Parent: Signature: Date

Contact number: Address:

E-mail address:

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Name of Student:

Primary School:

Instrument (s) / Voice:

For continuing students only:

Current teacher:

Lessons: in school/out of school

How long they been learning:

Current standard:

Instrument: own loaned