



# HERONSGATE

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## **MUSIC TUITION AT HERONSGATE - 2020/2021** **Return by 3 July 2020**

Thank you for your interest in receiving Instrumental tuition at Heronsgate. We acknowledge that these are difficult times and we are working with all our teachers and partners from MKET and MK Coop to deliver lessons.

A number of our students during the COVID 19 lockdown received online lessons and these have been highly successful and well received. They have helped to keep students motivated, allowing them to continue learning with our professional colleagues.

We normally offer 34 lessons in the academic year. We acknowledge that things may not be normal in the Autumn term and therefore we will start the Autumn Term by offering 6 lessons to begin with. These lessons will start from 14 September.

Lessons are delivered by specialist staff from MKET and MK Coop. We offer expert, dedicated and creative tuition on keyboard, piano, violin, viola, cello, oboe, flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet, trombone, drum kit, guitar and voice. Other instruments may be taught, please contact the school for more information.

Lessons will be delivered during the school day with a timetable. As part of the service you will receive a copy of the timetable and a music practice book. Timetables will be emailed to you and placed on the music noticeboard.

The cost of this tuition package is as follows:

**6 lessons X 30 minute individual lesson £98**

**6 lessons X 20 minute individual lesson £66**

### **Music Contract and payment**

Enclosed is the music contract for our records so that we can ensure your child receives the information and teaching necessary. We will contact you to confirm the start date and times of lessons.

You must sign up with our Direct Debit provider, Go Cardless following completion of the form using the link <https://pay.gocardless.com/AL0002SPV1CB2Q> You will receive communication directly from Go Cardless.

By signing the form and completing the Go Cardless Direct Debit you are entering into a contract with the school for the lessons you have requested. Lessons cannot be provided if you have not set up the agreement with GoCardless.

## **Forms must be returned to the Music Department by the following dates:**

Lessons commencing from Autumn Term – 3 July 2020

Lessons commencing from Spring Term – 1 November 2020

Lessons commencing from Summer Term – 1 March 2021

Any forms received after these dates will be considered for the following term.

## **Hiring Instruments**

Heronsgate has a limited number of instruments that can be hired through the school. Please contact the Subject Leader for Music for an application form.

## **Deadline Dates for Discontinuing**

Written notice must be given via [yamaha@mket.org.uk](mailto:yamaha@mket.org.uk) for withdrawal from lessons by the following deadlines.

Discontinuing at the end of Autumn Term – 30 September 2020

Discontinuing at the end of Spring Term – 31 January 2021

Discontinuing at the end of Summer Term – 31 May 2021

## **Attending Instrumental lessons at School**

- It is the student's responsibility to catch up on work missed during academic classes.
- The student must ask for permission to leave the class lesson for music tuition, **before** the class lesson begins.
- Music lessons may continue on days when special events are timetabled although we will do our best to make appropriate changes in advance.

## **General Points for lessons**

- Any problems which the student may have with music lessons must be discussed with the Subject Leader for Music as soon as possible.
- Lessons should also be arranged with the music teacher when there is to be a known period absence. In such cases, the teacher may give extra time prior to and after the absence in lieu of the time missed.

If you have any more questions please contact the Subject Leader for Music, Mr Daggett, at Walnut Tree Campus.

Yours sincerely

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Paul Daggett  
Subject Leader for Music

