

# Our Policies

## PRIVATE LESSONS, CLASSES, & CAMPS

### *payments & pricing*

Lessons & classes are divided into 9 equal monthly payments. There are a total of 32-weeks of lessons for the school year (September through May).

- ★ Please see the [calendar on our website](#) for holiday breaks.
- ★ Any student beginning throughout the school year is scheduled in at remaining open times. Tuition will be prorated accordingly.
- ★ A one time registration fee of \$50 is charged for all new private lesson students. This includes a new student binder, bag, and first set of method books.
- ★ Private Lesson tuition includes classes, lessons and lesson planning only.
  - Festivals, contests, and recitals are charged extra at appropriate times. Prices will be emailed out prior to signing up a student. No refunds are given.
  - All music ordered for private students will be added to your monthly invoice. Music is ordered on an as-needed basis.
  - Classes & Camps tuition price includes supplies for the enrollment term.

Payments are due by the 10th of every month. A late payment of \$20 will be automatically added to payments not received by the 11th of the month. Auto payments are charged on the day invoices are emailed. We also accept zelle payments, Venmo, cash, or check.

[Current pricing information](#) can be found on the website:

For any accounts that are not paid by the end of the month, lessons will be canceled for the following month until payment is received. All invoices must be paid in full prior to any recital.

### *cancellations & withdrawal*

We have a no make-up lesson policy for parent/student initiated cancellations. Please make sure that the day and time you are setting for lessons at the beginning of the school year is set in your calendar. If a lesson is missed, you always have the option of sending your teacher a video for feedback. Please talk with your teacher about this.

Lessons missed by the teacher will be made up within 30 days.

We follow RISD in regards to severe weather closings. Lessons on these inclement weather days will be held virtually.

Refunds are not given for missed lessons.

Regular attendance is expected and necessary for progress. Teachers reserve the right to withhold students from special events who have missed too many lessons or are not adequately prepared. Additionally, the teacher has a right to drop a student for too many missed lessons.

Commitment to lessons should be very important to parents, students, and teacher. If for any reason you can not fulfill your commitment, you will be financially responsible for the remainder of the semester.

### *priority summer private lessons*

Current students: In order to save your spot for summer lessons, a \$50 deposit is required by April 1. The remaining balance will be billed June 1.

New students: will be accepted for summer lessons beginning April 15 based on availability. A registration fee of \$50 is charged at time of registration. Summer lesson fees will be billed June 1.

### *priority fall private lesson registration*

Current students: In order to reserve your spot for the fall, returning students must pay a \$250 fee. If the student takes at least 6 summer lessons, this fee is waived.

New students: A one time registration fee of \$50 is charged. This fee is non refundable and includes a new student binder, bag, and first set of method books.

### *contact us*

Please feel free to contact us with questions and availability.

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