

7th July 2021

Instrumental Tuition

Dear Parent/Carer,

As a Performing and Creative Arts specialist academy, music is at the heart of everything we do. Alongside weekly classroom music lessons, students have the opportunity to receive individual lessons through our instrumental lesson provision. Learning to play a musical instrument is an invaluable skill that boosts students' confidence and develops their creativity.

Instrumental tuition is heavily subsidised at KAA and we are able to offer a sequence of 10 thirty-minute lessons for £100 each term, working out at £10 per week. If you are registered as Pupil Premium, we charge £50 per term - therefore £5 per week. We offer lessons in most instruments, including piano, singing, guitar, flute, clarinet, saxophone, drum kit and violin.

Instrumental lessons take place during the school day, and rotas are designed (where possible) to ensure that students do not miss the same thirty minutes of a classroom lesson every week. Timetables are displayed outside the music department. Students **MUST** be fully prepared for their lesson, remembering their instrument, books, sheet music and other relevant equipment each week.

To sign up for instrumental lessons, please email me via p.rigby@kaa.org.uk with the following information:

- Your child's full name
- The instrument that they would like to play
- Their standard on this instrument - whether they are a beginner or have taken grades before

Fees must be paid for via www.parentpay.com each term - details for this will be given out in September when you are fully enrolled at the academy. Lessons will roll over each term, but if at the end of any sequence of lessons you decide not to continue, please email me. Lessons cannot be stopped midway through a term.

The deadline for signing up for instrumental lessons is Friday 3rd September 2021. Lessons will commence in the week commencing 13th September 2021.

With best wishes,



Mr. P Rigby
Head of Music