

1TO1 AND GROUP TUITION

(INSTRUMENTAL AND VOCAL)

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WHY SHOULD I LEARN AN INSTRUMENT OR TO SING?

- Did you know... **singing or learning to play a musical instrument improves brain function**, in particular executive function and working memory. While listening to music engages many parts of the brain, making music is like a whole brain workout, using and strengthening practically every area at once. In children, music can even accelerate the development of these functions and strengthen the areas of the brain responsible for processing sound, language development, speech perception and reading skills.
- Research has shown that **music can boost academic attainment** and shows a positive relationship between music-making and performance in other subjects. A Canadian study found that school music participation is linked to higher exam scores in English, maths, and science. As well as this, music is an effective way to engage with SEND pupils and develop the language skills of EAL learners.
- Learning to sing or play an instrument has long been found to **boost self-esteem and enhance wellbeing, particularly in children**. A 2009 study even found the better a child's music skills, the more likely they were to have strong friendships and higher levels of wellbeing.



WHAT INSTRUMENTS DO OUR TEACHERS TEACH?

Please see the list below, for instruments that we currently offer. It may not be possible to offer every instrument in your school but we will do our best to accommodate your request. You may like to opt for an after school lesson at one of our music centres. Please let us know if you would like more information about this.

Woodwind

Bassoon
Clarinet
Fife
Flute
Oboe
Recorder
Saxophone

Strings

Cello
Double Bass
Viola
Violin

Brass

Baritone / Euphonium
Cornet
French Horn
Tenor Horn
Trombone
Trumpet
Tuba

Voice

Singing

Percussion

Drum-kit
Orchestral Percussion
Djembe Drum

Guitar

Acoustic Guitar
Electric Guitar
Ukulele

Keyboard

Keyboard
Piano



WHAT DOES IT COST?

Group lessons vary in length depending on the group size, whilst the cost remains the same at **£62.50 per lesson for 10 lessons** per double term, as follows:

2 students share a lesson for **20 minutes**

3 or 4 students share a lesson for **30 minutes**

5 or 6 students share a lesson for **45 minutes**

Individual lessons

20 minutes Individual (weekly) for **£125**
for **10 lessons** per double term

30 minutes Individual (weekly) for **£187.50**
for **10 lessons** per double term



DO YOU OFFER DISCOUNT / SUBSIDIES?

B&NES Music Service and Music Education Hub offers discounts for pupils in receipt of Free School Meals* (we will also work with your child's school if they are in receipt of Pupil Premium).

For pupils in receipt of Free School Meals*, assistance is available towards tuition costs in schools - parents/carers can have a 50% discount on lessons.

*Please note this does not include the Universal Infant Free School Meals and if your child does meet the criteria for Free School Meals the 50% discount will only be applied to one instrument



HOW DO I APPLY FOR LESSONS?

[CLICK HERE TO APPLY](#)

WHO CAN I SPEAK TO FOR MORE INFORMATION?

Estelle Greeley : Lead for B&NES Music Service and Music Education Hub



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