Musicality Studio Policy 2024-2025

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TUITION

Tuition is based on a ten month year (Aug-May) and covers 32 lessons. Tuition can be paid in full or, for your convenience, in payments by auto draft. There is a discount for paying for 2 semesters in full. If you choose to pay in payments, each installment will be processed by auto-draft on the 1st of each month (Aug-May). If the funds are not available on the first, a \$30 late fee will be applied to your account. Please communicate with us before the 1st if there is a problem with your payment. All students commit to reserve their time slot for one full semester and thus, remit payment for the entire semester. You will receive a calendar indicating the weeks of lessons, dates of concerts, and days we are closed. Because learning music is a life-long endeavor, we expect students to stay enrolled Aug-May. A change of time slot can be requested for the second semester if needed. If you do not wish to continue from one semester to the next, opportunity to un-enroll will be given in December. In order to prevent auto draft from running on the first of January, you must submit the withdrawal form by Dec 16th. If you fail to unenroll by Dec 16, your account will be charged for January. Summer session is 2 months (June and July). Students who continue through the summer will have first choice of the following Fall semester time slots. In April, you will have the option to withdraw or continue for summer. A \$50 deposit, along with the re-registration form, due by April 15 will hold your spot for summer. If you choose not to re-register by April 15, your spot will not be reserved for summer. You will have to reregister as a new student.

Fall Semester (16 lessons): Aug 8-Dec 14 Spring Semester (16 lessons): Jan 6-May 10 Summer Classes: (7 lessons): June- July (TBA)

We strongly believe in the class learning environment as our best option for weekly lessons; however, private instruction is available by request, invitation, or for special needs.

OTHER FEES

- ANNUAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$50 for per student- Due upon first registration and again yearly for returning students on August 1.

- CONCERT FEE: (Due Nov 1 and April 1): \$30 per student.

- If you do not wish to continue from Fall semester to Spring semester, opportunity to un-enroll will be given the last month of each semester. If you fail to unenroll by Dec 16th of the last month of the semester, your account will be charged for January. At the end of the spring semester, for students who want to continue in the summer, an opportunity to secure your spot will be given. Students not registered by April 15 for the summer will lose their spot for summer.

PAYMENT METHODS

For Semester Paid in Full, we accept the following cash, check, or paypal.

AUTO DRAFT IS REQUIRED FOR MONTHLY PAYMENTS. Families must keep a card on file for payments to be auto drafted on the 1st of each month.

Other forms of payments will not be accepted for monthly pay students.

All payments are non-refundable.

A 2.5% processing fee will be added to all online payments.

\$30 late fee for unavailable funds

MUSICALITY HEALTH AND SAFETY PROCEDURES

Currently we are teaching all students in person. We have put several measures into place to ensure the safety of our classrooms. We require students to wash their hands before they come into class. They will also use hand sanitizer as they enter class. Our classrooms and instruments will be sanitized.

SYMPTOMS

We ask that teachers and students do not come to lessons if they have a fever. If a student becomes sick, please stay at home. We ask that every teacher and student be 24 hours completely symptom and fever free before returning to the studio.

CANCELLATION POLICY

If your child will not be attending a lesson, please let us know.

Missed classes will not be rescheduled, credited, refunded, or made up. In the event Musicality cancels a class, we will offer make-up lessons on the scheduled makeup lesson days at the end of the semester. Lessons missed due to weather and school closures cannot be guaranteed a makeup. If Musicality has to cancel a lesson (for any reason other than weather related or school closures), we will offer a make-up lesson one of these ways:

1. A makeup lesson on the scheduled makeup days at the end of the semester

2. A makeup lesson on another agreed-upon day/time.

3. Zoom lesson

Make-up lessons may be made up in group form even if your child is enrolled as a private student.

TERMINATION OF LESSONS

We assume students will take lessons year round. Student registered for one semester are expected to continue into the next. Each semester, by continuing lessons you make a new commitment to reserve your spot for the entire semester and thus remit payment for the entire semester. To discontinue lessons, a withdrawal form must be submitted. All fees will be due for the remainder of the semester. You will receive an invoice for the remaining balance. If you do not attend lessons during this time, your remaining tuition will still be due and any previous payments will not be refunded. To discontinue lessons at the end of the fall semester, a withdrawal form must be submitted by Dec 16th or you will be charged for January. To discontinue lessons at the end of the spring semester, a withdrawal form must be submitted by May 16th. A re-registration form will be sent out to all students in April to secure your summer spot. This form and \$50 deposit is due before April 15. After April 15, all unsecured spots will be opened to the public. Students who choose to take a break from lessons or for any other reason will lose their spot and will be added to the bottom of the waiting list and registration fees must be paid when signing back up.

FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE: If you are in need of financial assistance, please contact us. We have a limited amount of discounts and scholarships available. If you need assistance or would like to donate to our scholarship fund, please contact us at info@musicalitystudio.com.

We reserve the right to update or modify this Policy at any time and without prior notice. Any updated versions will be provided to all current students. Your continued use of this studio following any such changes constitutes your agreement with all posted policy updates, and you will be subject to the associated revised terms. You may access the most current studio policies at any time on the website or by request.

MUSICALITY STUDIO 2024-25 CALENDAR AND FEES

August 8 - May 10

Sept 2	CLOSED Labor Day		
Oct 31	CLOSED		
Nov 25- 29	CLOSED Thanksgiving holidays		
Dec 14	Concert Day (Times TBA)		
Dec 16-20	Extra Week in case of makeup lessons needed		
Dec 21- Jan 5	CLOSED FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS		
Jan 6	First day of Spring Semester		
March 24-28	CLOSED FOR SPRING BREAK		
May 3	CONCERT DAY		
May 5-9	Extra Week in case of makeup lessons needed		



	1 semester in full	2 semesters in full	5 monthly payments
1 HR HYBRID PIANO LESSONS*	\$600	\$1150	\$120
30 MIN BUDDY LESSON	\$550	\$ 1050	\$110
30 min private	\$675	\$1300	\$135
45-60 min Large Class	\$400	\$850	\$80

*Hybrid of private and group- Piano ages 8+ only

Tuition covers a total of 32 lessons Aug- May FALL SEMESTER- Aug 8-Dec 14 SPRING SEMESTER- Jan 8- May 10

Commitment to 16 week semester required.

\$50 due in August/at registration for new and returning students