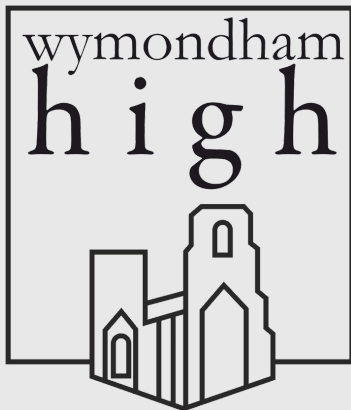




MUSIC LESSONS



**INSTRUMENTAL AND
VOCAL TUITION**

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MUSIC AT WYMONDHAM HIGH



WYMONDHAM HIGH ACADEMY IS JUSTIFIABLY PROUD OF ITS STRONG TRADITION OF CURRICULAR AND CO-CURRICULAR MUSIC. WE ARE A MUSICAL FUTURES CHAMPION SCHOOL (ONE OF ONLY 20 NATIONALLY) RECOGNISING THE ACADEMY'S POSITION AS A REGIONAL CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING IN MUSIC.

We have a vibrant and diverse co-curricular music programme at Wymondham High, with hundreds of students participating each week, either as part of our numerous Academy groups (which currently include the Academy Orchestra, Jazz Band, Choir, Guitar Ensemble, Brass Consort, String Ensemble, School Musical and Sax Choir) and/or through receiving instrumental and vocal tuition in school.

The Performing Arts Faculty, within which Music resides, stages several performances and concerts each term, runs regular trips and tours and produces an annual whole school musical. Music plays an integral part in the life of our Academy; it is a key part of our school culture and participation is high.

“Research shows that at least some musical education has a positive impact on social and cognitive development of children. And these effects are long lasting – better hearing, better motor skills, improved memory, better verbal and literacy skills”

Alan Harvey – Musician and Neuroscientist

OPPORTUNITIES FOR 1 TO 1 TUITION

"MUSIC CAN CHANGE THE WORLD BECAUSE IT CAN CHANGE PEOPLE." - BONO

We are able to offer tuition on the following instruments:

Voice, Piano, Guitar, Bass Guitar, Drum Kit, Keyboard, Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass, Recorder, Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Saxophone, Bassoon, Trumpet, Cornet, Tenor Horn, French Horn, Baritone, Euphonium, Trombone, Tuba and Ukulele

1:1 tuition is also available for students wishing to work towards the ABRSM Grade 5 Theory of Music qualification. All lessons are taught 1:1 and are of 20 minutes duration (unless a longer lesson is specifically requested). Students will receive 33x lessons across the academic year, split equally across the three terms. Lessons take place during the school day with timetables rotated so that students avoid missing the same academic lessons each week. Instrument hire is available through Norfolk Music Service at an additional charge and there is also the opportunity to purchase instruments through the Academy, via our assisted purchase scheme.



COSTS

"THE LANGUAGE OF MUSIC IS
COMMON TO ALL GENERATIONS
AND NATIONS; IT IS UNDERSTOOD
BY EVERYBODY, SINCE IT IS
UNDERSTOOD WITH THE HEART."
GIOACCHINO ROSSINI



LOWER SCHOOL STUDENTS AND NON GCSE /A-LEVEL

Lessons are charged on a termly basis (see terms and conditions)

- Lessons will cost £13.50 per lesson.
- Lessons for students in receipt of the Pupil Premium Grant will cost £6.75 per lesson.

STUDENTS TAKING GCSE OR A-LEVEL MUSIC OR MUSIC TECHNOLOGY

Lessons are charged on a termly basis (see terms and conditions)

- Lessons will cost £9.00 per lesson.
- Lessons for students in receipt of the Pupil Premium Grant will be free of charge.

CAN I AFFORD IT?

Payment plans can be set up to spread the cost of the termly amount – please contact the school via **musiclessons@wh-at.net** to arrange.

If there are still financial barriers to taking instrumental lessons please contact **musiclessons@wh-at.net**. We would rather you reach out than not apply as we will do everything we can to support these great opportunities for our students.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Contact – musiclessons@wh-at.net



1

NUMBER OF LESSONS, BILLING ARRANGEMENTS AND CANCELLATION

Students will receive 33 lessons across the academic year with the first lessons starting in the third week of the Autumn term. Invoices will be sent electronically either via email by the tutor or through the online electronic payments system on a termly basis. Arrangements can be made for payment plans to suit individual circumstances – please contact the school to arrange.

Should you wish to cease tuition, a half term's notice must be given e.g. stopping lessons after Christmas, notice must be given before October half term. Should notice of cancellation be received later than this, you will be billed for an extra half term of lessons (6 weeks) – this is to ensure our peripatetic staff are not out of pocket.

2

TIMETABLING AND ABSENCE

The timetables for each instrument/tutor will be sent via the electronic system to parents/guardians as well as being displayed in the Music department. Please note it is the sole responsibility of the student to make sure they attend their lessons.

If a student misses their lessons for whatever reason, these will only be made up at the discretion of the peripatetic teacher and you may still be billed. If the tutor is absent, the lesson will be made up with the additional weeks of tuition added to the end of the different terms.

3

MULTIPLE INSTRUMENTS, SUBSIDISED LESSONS AND REQUESTS FOR LONGER LESSONS

Please note that students who are receiving subsidised tuition (i.e. those studying GCSE/A-Level Music, those eligible for Pupil Premium or Bursary funding) are only entitled to receive one subsidised lesson. Any additional lessons requested (e.g. for a second instrument) will be charged at the full, non-subsidised rate. Special considerations will be made on a case by case basis upon application for extra funding support.

Requests for longer lessons (more than the standard 20 mins) should be made in writing to musiclessons@wh-at.net to agree the increase of lesson cost.

**"MUSIC IS A MORE POTENT
INSTRUMENT THAN ANY OTHER FORM
EDUCATION BECAUSE RHYTHM AND
HARMONY FIND THEIR WAY INTO THE
INWARD PLACES OF THE SOUL."**

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HOW TO APPLY



1

READ TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Please ensure you read all the terms and conditions as well as the costs related to peripatetic lessons.

Once you have made an application you are agreeing to the terms and will be invoiced for the lessons during the term.

If you have any questions email – musiclessons@wh-at.net.



2

EMAIL MUSICLESSONS@WH-AT.NET

When you are ready to apply, email musiclessons@wh-at.net with the name of the pupil, form group and instrument(s) they wish to learn.

An application form will be sent to you to be completed – once this is completed your child will be added to the timetable at the earliest opportunity, depending on availability.



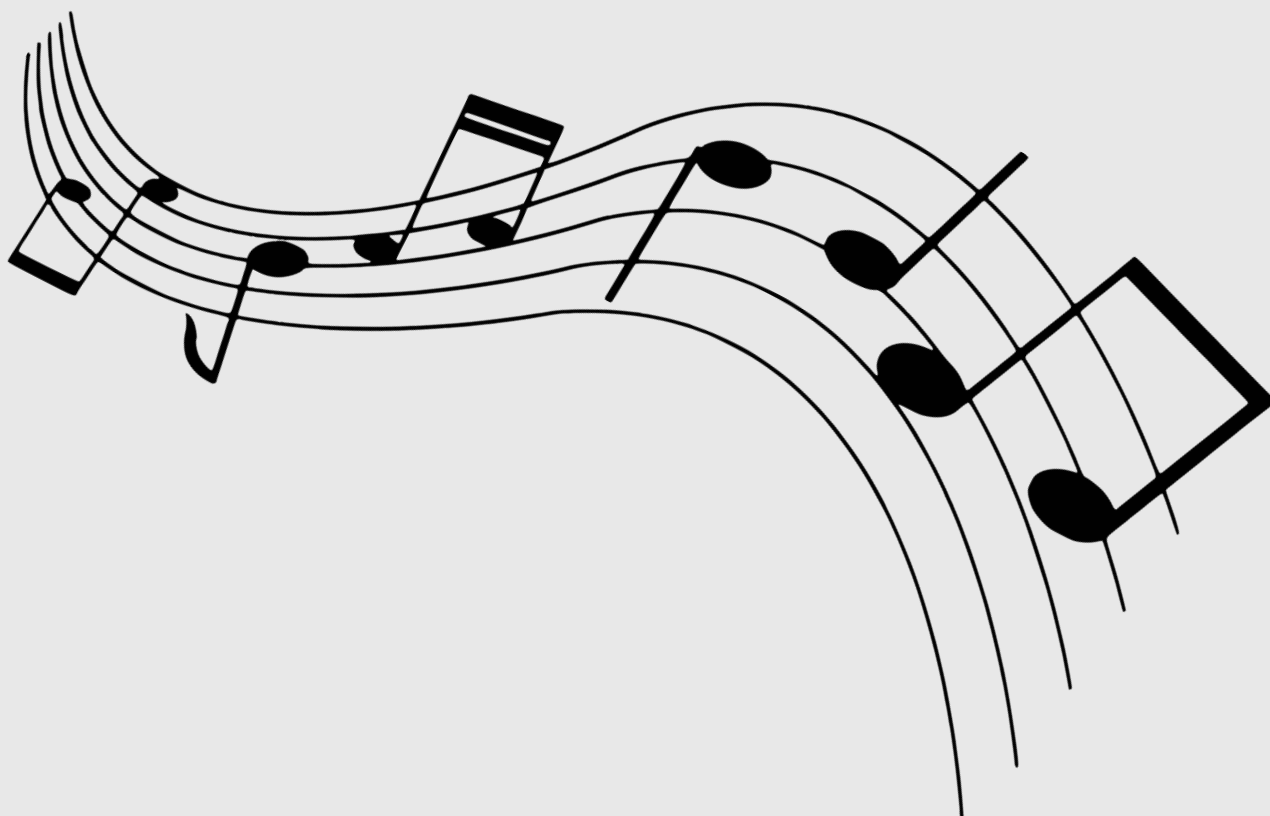
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TIMETABLE

Now the pupil has been added to the timetable you will receive an email invitation to join the online timetable system.

Once lessons have started you will be contacted either by the tutor directly or by parentmail to arrange payment for lessons (if applicable).

All lessons take place in the practice rooms next to the music suite.



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