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Dear Parent/Carer

Instrumental Lessons

We are pleased to work in partnership with Warwickshire Music to deliver an exciting offer for your child to learn to play a musical instrument.

Playing a musical instrument or learning to sing is great fun and helps children to develop self-discipline and confidence. Mastering an instrument can enhance educational attainment and creativity and gives children a sense of achievement. It also has positive benefits on their health and wellbeing.

Instruments we offer in school are Guitar, Drums and Keyboard

Lessons cost from £7.00 per week, charged termly in advance by Warwickshire Music who will provide 33 lessons in term time through the academic year.

If you wish your child to start lessons with a Warwickshire Music teacher in school from September 2023, please click on the enrolment link below to sign up for lessons from **6th September** onwards:

[Enrolment](#)

Alternatively, visit www.warwickshiremusic.org from **6th September** onwards, and click on 'Enrol Today'

Instrument Hire

Warwickshire Music provides new pupils with an instrument free of charge for their first year of playing – this is subject to availability and certain instruments such as keyboards and drum kits are not included.

Free instrument hire is available for all pupils eligible for Warwickshire Music remission. Please see [Payments, remissions and help for families](#).

Remissions and Help for Families

Warwickshire Music Activities

Qualifying pupils will receive 50% remission on Individual Tuition and paid Warwickshire Music Groups.

Instrument Hire

Subject to availability qualifying pupils can apply for extended FREE hire for one instrument for the duration of their period of study. Parents/carers will need to comply with the terms of hire.

Who can claim fee remission?

- Children Looked After
- Families eligible for Free School Meals
- Income Support
- Income-based job seeker's allowance (JSA)
- Income-related employment and support allowance (ESA)
- Guarantee element of state pension credit
- Universal credit
- Both income-based and contribution-based JSA/ESA if you receive the same amount for both. You should also qualify if you receive both but the income-based amount is greater, but not if the contribution-based amount is greater.
- Families who are awarded Child Tax Credit and have an annual income, as assessed by HMRC, not in excess of £16,190 are also eligible to claim remission providing there is no entitlement to Working Tax Credit (unless in respect of a 4-week 'run-on').

More information can be found on the Warwickshire Music Parent Information page.
<https://www.warwickshiremusic.org/parents>

Kind regards,



Adele Blaney

Head of Music

