

11th November 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Request for Primary School Instrumental Tuition ~ Spring Term 2025

Thurrock Music Services are able to offer your child a wide range of instrumental and vocal lessons at school during the school day. Music Tutors visit the school at a set time, once a week for 10 weeks each term (subject to availability). Please see overleaf for the full list of lessons offered. If you would like to apply for your child to learn to play a musical instrument or receive voice training from January 2025, Thurrock Music Services are able to offer tuition at the following subsidised contribution rates:

| Type of Lesson | Lessons per term | Full cost per term per pupil |
|---|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 10 minute shared lessons (taught in small groups of 2 sharing 20 minutes or 3 sharing 30 minutes) | 10 | £62.08 (Pupil Premium £31.03*) |

* reduced fee for pupils eligible for Pupil Premium (Please contact school office for more information)

By completing this form, you are registering your request for Thurrock Music Services to book a tutor from their pool of staff for the Spring 2025 Term. In the event that a tutor is not available for the instrument you have selected a full refund will be given.

Instrument Hire

Your child will need to bring an instrument to their lesson. There is information on the Thurrock Music Services website (<https://thurrockmusic.co.uk>) regarding instrument hire. If you would like to hire an instrument from us, please e-mail music.services@thurrock.gov.uk to request a Hire Form. Arrangements will be made for you to collect the instrument from us before the lessons are due to begin.

Please complete the details below and return this letter to your school enclosing payment.

| Amount Enclosed | Instrumental Lesson Requested | Student Name |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|--------------|
| £ | | |

Please pay your school

Please return this letter to your school office by
Thursday 9th January 2025

Instrumental/Vocal Lessons Offered to Primary Schools by Thurrock Music Services

| Piano / Keyboard | Strings | Percussion |
|--|---|-------------------------------------|
| Piano* Keyboard | Violin Viola Cello Acoustic Guitar | Drum Kit* |
| Woodwind | Brass | Vocal |
| Recorder Flute Clarinet Saxophone Oboe | Trumpet Trombone | Pop/Contemporary Musical Theatre |

Note 1. Please check with School Office that the school has access to a piano / drum kit before these lessons are requested.

Note 2. The instrumental/vocal tutors cannot attend any school for less than 30 minutes of tuition per week. This means that if your child is the only one selecting a particular instrument, the Music Service will not be able to provide a tutor and your child may be offered lessons on an alternative instrument. If this is not suitable or possible, a full refund will be given.