



# Dallam School

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## Music Tuition Information and Home School Agreement 2022-2023

Dear Parent,

Thank you for enquiring about our music service here at Dallam School. We are proud of our highly experienced, professional and friendly team of Peripatetic Instrumental Staff and their ability to offer a wide variety of instrumental tuition. There are many benefits of such lessons, including:

- Pupils benefit academically in that skills and knowledge gained from peripatetic lessons may benefit their curriculum work
- Pupils who receive peripatetic lessons have the opportunity to participate in a wealth of extra-curricular music activity
- Pupils gain spiritually, morally and socially, especially if they support their lessons by attending one of the extra-curricular groups

### Instrumental Tuition Currently Offered:

If your chosen instrument does not appear in this list, we will endeavour to suit your individual needs and arrange instrumental tutors wherever possible. In this case, please consult with us before submitting the application form.

<b>Brass</b>	<b>Woodwind</b>	<b>Guitar</b>	<b>Strings</b>	<b>Percussion</b>	<b>Voice</b>	<b>Piano</b>
Cornet French Horn Tenor Horn Trumpet Trombone Tuba	Bassoon Clarinet Flute Oboe Saxophone	Acoustic Classical Electric Bass	Violin Viola Cello Double Bass	Drum Kit Tuned Percussion	Soprano Alto Tenor Bass	Classical Jazz  Harp

If you would like to participate in instrumental music lessons at Dallam School, you can return information to me in one of the following two ways:

- You can fill in the paper form overleaf and return it to me at Dallam School
- Complete the online form via the QR code link here:



Please can I request that all forms are returned to me at school as soon as possible. If you have any questions regarding any aspect of instrumental lessons at Dallam School, please do not hesitate to contact me at b.parker@dallamschool.co.uk

Yours faithfully,

*Mr B Parker*  
*Head of Music*

## Instrumental Tuition at Dallam School Terms and Conditions

### Fees:

**£10.00 for 20 minute lessons**

**£15.00 for 30 minute lessons**

Tuition fees may occasionally be increased. Parents will be given one terms notice in writing if any increase occurs.

### Scholarships

From Year 10, if a student opts to study GCSE Music then they are awarded a 20 minute lesson in the instrument of their choice in order to prepare them for the practical elements of their course. If a Sixth Form student opts for either A-level or BTEC Music Performance then they are awarded a 30 minute lesson in the instrument of their choice. All lessons are subsidised by Dallam School. As music scholars these students will be called upon to contribute to the wider musical life of the school as part of their scholarship terms. **Where a scholar student misses two lessons in a term without prior arrangement free lessons will cease.**

### Invoicing

An invoice for lesson fees will be sent out within the first three weeks of term **by the Peripatetic music teachers**. Fees are due on receipt of invoice and will be paid directly to the teacher, **not Dallam School**. If any fees remain outstanding by the end of each half term lessons will cease immediately.

### Lesson frequency

Lessons are taught on a weekly basis in one of our three practice rooms in the Music Department. We expect students to approach their lessons with a mature attitude and take responsibility for their own actions. It is to be remembered that our music staff are visiting school and therefore the best possible attitude and behaviour is expected of students.

### Terminating Lessons

Either the student or the teacher may terminate this contract, providing that the required period of notice is given to **both the teacher and the Head of Music in writing**, four weeks before lessons are to stop.

### Extra-Curricular Groups

Extra-Curricular groups are at the heart of the Dallam Music Department and are available both during lunch breaks and after school. Any instrumentalist or singer who participates in lessons are strongly encouraged to participate in the groups. Information is available in the Music Department and from Peripatetic and class teachers.

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## Application for Music Lessons 2022-2023

Student's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_

I would like my child to receive individual lessons on \_\_\_\_\_ (instrument)

#### Lesson Length (please tick):

- 20 minutes
- 30 minutes
- GCSE Music Scholar
- A Level Scholar

#### Approximate standard (please tick):

- Complete Beginner
- Grade I -II
- Grade III-IV
- Grade V+

#### Please tick as appropriate:

- My child already has use of an instrument
- We wish to hire an instrument if possible
- We wish to buy an instrument using the Assisted Instrument Purchase Scheme

I understand that 4 weeks' term-time notice in writing is required if my child should wish to withdraw from the scheme at any stage and that I must submit a **Music Lesson Cancellation Form** to Dallam School Reception.

- I have read and undertake to accept the details set out in the Music Tuition Agreement
- I understand I have to pay the invoice within 14 days of receipt

**In signing this form I am consenting to the collection, storage and use of my data in line with the Privacy Notice for Students and Parents which I have read.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Carer) Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please return this form to the Creative Arts Office*