



BALMACEWEN  
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## MUSIC TUITION 2018

Dear Parent/Caregiver

Your child has expressed an interest in learning an instrument at school this year. Tuition is provided by experienced tutors, in small groups during school time (usually on a Thursday). Lessons last for 30 minutes and students are grouped together based on their ability – from beginners through to advanced.

**Tuition is available in the following instruments:**

Flute, clarinet, saxophone, oboe, violin, cello, guitar (electric and acoustic),  
kit drumming, trumpet, trombone, keyboard and piano.

**Orchestra:** students who have been learning an instrument for at least two terms (at school or elsewhere) are encouraged to join our school orchestra at no cost. These groups will be advertised in the daily notices soon.

**Instrument hire:**

Instruments need to be provided for lessons (except keyboards, pianos and drum kits). The school has a small number of guitars for hire at a cost of **\$50 for the year**. **Please do not pay any hire money or lesson fees to the school office yet** – you will be invoiced later this term. *Begg's Musicworks* has been a useful place for students to hire other instruments from in the past.

**Fees:**

Music lessons cost \$60 per term, except for piano which is \$90 per term and drumming which is \$75 per term. Invoices will be sent home once lessons are underway. **Please do not pay any lesson fees yet**. Failure to pay fees when they are due will result in your child being unable to continue lessons. Signing up for lessons is a commitment for the year, as we employ the tutors based on our enrolments, **it is important that students commit for the year**.

By completing and returning the form below, you are agreeing to:

- Your child attending weekly lessons during school time
- Pay \$60 per term (\$90 for piano, \$75 for drumming)
- Your child committing to attending lessons for the whole year

Please do not hesitate to contact me at school via email if you wish to discuss this further. Completed forms are to be handed in to the school office by **Wednesday February 8th**. Music lessons will start in the following week.

Kind regards

Johanna Brusse

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I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ in room \_\_\_\_\_ to learn  
(first and last name)

\_\_\_\_\_ (instrument/s) and **agree to pay all associated fees**.

Beginner       Has learned before      Signed

I need to hire a guitar from the school

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