

2018 ITINERANT MUSIC LESSONS

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

All itinerant students must pay a music lesson levy of \$100 for the year.

Students wishing to take two or more different instrument lessons must pay \$100 for each.

This fee is to cover the cost of photocopied materials which may be needed, and for purchasing teaching resource material and ensemble music. It will not cover any specific tutor books required for lessons. As we see this as a commitment to have lessons for the entire year, **this fee will not be refunded if your daughter ceases lessons during the year.**

To ensure continuation of lessons, please pay before March 15th. Lessons are due to start Week 3 Term 1.

We recommend KBB www.kbb.co.nz Music instrument rental, alternatively, we have a limited number of instruments for students keen to learn the following: violin, tenor sax, trumpet, trombone, French horn, oboe, bassoon, double bass.

Rules associated with itinerant lessons:

1. Absences from a lesson must be excused. Let the teacher know by note or in person before the lesson. Often lesson times can be re-scheduled to avoid clashing with tests or trips. If necessary because of illness, email or leave a telephone message with the music staff. **Students who miss more than two lessons without a valid excuse are likely to be refused further lessons.**
2. All students having instrumental lessons at school are **expected to play in one of the school instrumental groups**. This will allow advanced progression for the student on the instrument as well as having fun making music in a group environment with other instrumentalists.
3. Lessons are **30 minutes duration**, thereby taking up only half of a period. Lesson times move from week to week to lessen impact on other classes. Copies of the lesson timetable will be available at the beginning of each term for students. Students are to use this lesson timetable as a **Music Lesson Pass** to show their classroom teacher when they need to leave/enter the classroom.
4. Students are expected to **practise regularly** to ensure they are progressing to the best of their ability. Parents can be a huge help with this.

Please take note that we usually have more people seeking tuition at school than we are able to fit into the timetable. These rules are written, so that everyone has some idea of what is expected of them.