Essex Music Service

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For Parents/Guardians at The Appleton School

Our Ref: SchoolTuition23-24

Date: 24 May 2023 Office Telephone: 0333 013 8953

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Requesting Music Lessons at The Appleton School

We are pleased to offer small group/1-to-1 instrumental lessons at **The Appleton School** provided by our team of high-quality tutors. Learning a musical instrument can have many positive effects on a child's social, personal and educational development as well as giving them a great sense of enjoyment and achievement.

To book lessons, please request lessons via this online link by 20th July 2023:

https://ukessex.speedadmin.dk/registration?signupSchoolID=1633#/courselist/25

This will only need to be completed once, and tuition will continue each term unless you choose otherwise. Many parents have used the same online system for instrument hire, registering for county music courses, and for music tuition discount vouchers, and on average the sign-up process takes less than three minutes.

Lessons cost: equivalent to £34.20 per hour (from September 2023 to August 2024), e.g.

Lesson Length	Cost (term)	With Tuition Discount (66%)	Cost for LAC or prev LAC
15 minutes x 10 weeks	£85	£29.07	Free
30 minutes x 10 weeks	£171	£58.14	£29.07

<u>Click here</u> for further details about lessons with Essex Music Service.



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We will match your child with the most appropriate tutor at your school and then **email you an invoice** to pay directly to us Please note that if we do not receive the payment for the invoice, lessons cannot go ahead. This is a change to previous years so please ensure that payment comes to Essex Music Education Hub, not to your child's school.

You might also wish to apply for our <u>Tuition Discounts</u> (66% reduction in fees for low income families), and free lessons available for Looked after Children/Children in Care.

We are also able to offer low cost <u>Instrument Hire</u> for any child in Essex. Applications for all of these can be made on our website.

We look forward to developing your child's love of music!

Yours sincerely,

The Essex Music Service Team

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