

23 September 2020

Dear Parents/Carers

Re: Instrumental Lessons

This year, students have the opportunity to learn the guitar, piano, singing, drum kit, trumpet, violin, cello or flute in individual lessons. If your child would like to take up this opportunity, they will attend a 20 minute lesson once per week. You can choose whether your child will attend a solo lesson (alone) or a paired lesson (with one other pupil). These lessons will be on a rotation system so that pupils do not miss the same subject each week.

Students who choose to study music for GCSE in Year 10 and 11 have lessons provided for free, while the academy significantly subsidises lessons for students in other year groups. Prices for lessons are listed on the reverse of this letter. Please note that we cannot guarantee lessons, it is dependent on the number of pupils choosing to take that instrument.

Lessons are taught in practice rooms in the music department by instrumental teachers, all of whom are highly trained musicians. All instrumental teachers come to us recommended and have been through the normal police and DBS checks. Social distancing and cleaning of the equipment will be carried out in line with Academy policy.

If you would like your child to attend instrumental lessons this term, please fill out the reply slip attached and return to Miss Hadley by **Friday 25th September**. We will contact you again to confirm whether your child has successfully gained a place for instrumental lessons and to explain payment systems.

If you would like your child to have instrumental lessons but you are concerned about payment, please contact the Academy's finance department on finance.lse@oasisuk.org to set up a payment plan or for financial support.

If you have any further queries regarding the Music education that your child is receiving please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours faithfully



Ms Emily Boxer and Ms Helen Hadley
Deputy Principal and Subject Lead - Music



Reply Slip – Instrumental Lessons

Please return this form to Miss Hadley by 25 September 2020

| | Solo lesson | Paired lesson |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|---------------|
| Cost per term (10 lessons) | £50 | £25 |
| Cost per lesson | £5 | £2.50 |

I would like my son/daughter to attend weekly instrumental lessons (***please circle appropriately***).

The instrument he/she would like to learn is: (*please circle appropriately*).

Piano Ukulele Voice/Singing Guitar Drums

Violin Trumpet Flute Cello

Other:

I would like my child to attend:

Paired lessons

Solo lessons

Child's Full Name:

Parent Signature:

Date: