



To parents/carers of pupils who are currently in Y2-Y5

SEPTEMBER 2017-JULY 2018 - INSTRUMENTAL TUITION

We are now in the process of booking instrumental tuition to start in September and run until July next year. Lessons are booked for the whole of the next academic year and there is not usually an opportunity to begin mid-year. Please discuss the tuition available with your child and **return this form (only if you are interested) by Friday 30th June**. Pupils are expected to practise between lessons and attend regularly. Payment must be made prior to the lessons starting in September to confirm your child's place. Having been registered for lessons, a commitment is for **the complete academic year**, as the school has to purchase tuition in advance.

<u>K2M Tuition</u> is class-sized tuition led by a specialist instrumental teacher. The cost for the year is £50 and offers an excellent and more affordable way for pupils to start learning an instrument by being part of a bigger group. Children learn together for around 40 minutes. (Min. of 24 pupils will be required to run these groups.)

- <u>K2M Violin</u> is available for Y3/4 pupils only. (Last year's Y3 can continue). Lessons will now be Thursday afternoons. £50 includes the use of a school violin which may be taken home to practise.
- <u>K2M Guitar</u> is available only to Y5/6. Lessons will be during Tuesday afternoons. £50 includes the year's tuition. Pupils can use a school guitar within lessons but these cannot be taken home. Pupils would need their own guitar to be able to practise at home.

<u>Small Group Tuition</u> Taught by specialist music teachers, lessons usually last twenty minutes and are in groups of four pupils of similar ability. These lessons cost £150 per year and may be scheduled during break, lunchtime or during curriculum time. (Cost reductions are available for those pupils taking free school meals, please ask at the office for details). Pupils will need their own instrument or will need to hire one at an additional cost from Entrust – our lesson providers. This can be organised directly with the teacher in September. (NB School keyboards and the school drum kit will be used within those lessons).

Instrumental teachers will be in school this Tuesday for a concert. If you need to ask any questions about suitability, please let me know.

Places will be confirmed and payment will be requested before the end of the summer term.

INSTRUMENTAL TUITION- PLEASE RETURN TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE BY FRIDAY 30 TH JUNE	
Pupil Name: _	Year Group in September
Pupil Name: _ Please tick the	instrumental lessons you would like to book for your child.
☐ K2M Violin (Y3/4 only ☐ K2M Guitar (Y5/6 only	
Small Groups: (these will be run where we can organise group of 4 pupils of similar ability)	
☐ Singing☐ Guitar☐ Flute☐ Clarinet☐ Ukulele	□ Saxophone □ Drum Kit □ Keyboard □ Violin □ Brass Please state preferred instrument: trumpet/cornet, trombone etc