

12th May 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

From September 2023 music tuition fees will increase in line with the charges made by the Norfolk Music Hub.

Participation in Music and Drama has been a long held and treasured part of the core curriculum at CNS. In order to continue to support our students in expanding their experience in these areas, the governing body has decided to continue to financially subsidise the delivery of extra music lessons for those learning to play an instrument (including music theory & vocal lessons).

Music tuition will continue to be invoiced for 11 lessons at a time, 3 times per year to spread the cost for parents and carers. For students having 20-minute lessons the cost will be £124.74 per 11 lessons or £11.34 per lesson. The actual cost to the academy to deliver each lesson is £12.67, therefore the academy is still making a contribution of £1.33.

- Students who qualify for Pupil Premium (students in receipt of free school meals within last 6 years) will be required to pay £3.40 per 20-minute music tuition lesson.
- Students who study music as a GCSE or A Level subject or are a scholar student will receive a £2.00 per lesson discount.
- Music Theory lessons will be charged at £8.00 per week.
- Families where more than one child has music lessons will receive a £1 per lesson discount for the 2nd & 3rd child (This reduction only applies to parents paying the full rate)
- Students who study more than 1 instrument will receive a £1 per lesson discount for the additional instrument(s). (This reduction only applies to those paying the full rate)
- With the exception of students studying music at GCSE and A level, all students will make a £10.00 per term contribution towards ensembles, regardless of attendance.
- Hired instruments will be charged at the relevant amount per instrument.

If you have any queries in relation to music fees or payment of invoices, please email musiclessons@cns-school.org. Please note payment is due in full within 30 days of the invoice date.

Yours faithfully

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