

- **Where are the lessons?**

Lessons are downstairs, where we have twenty private studios equipped with keyboards, drum sets, and guitar amps. We also have one studio upstairs that is wheelchair accessible.

- **Where do I wait for my child?**

You can wait downstairs, where there are tables and chairs, or browse around the store. The school is not responsible for providing before or after-class care for students. Parents with students under the age of eight are required to remain in the school during classes.

- **What else will we need for lessons?**

You may need to purchase a book and necessary accessories to play. For example: drumsticks for a drummer, guitar picks for a guitar player, etc. As stated before, all amps, keyboards and drum sets are in the room, so you will only need to bring your accessories and instrument.

- **Who do I speak to about cancelling a lesson?**

If you should need to reschedule a lesson, call us anytime at 814-459-2585. If you call when we're closed, leave a message with your name and number and we'll get back to you.

- **If I take lessons, do I have to perform? Are there recitals?**

Here at World of Music, we think playing any instrument should be fun! We do have several recitals a year, but they're on a voluntary basis only. Call today to be scheduled!



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Music Lesson Information

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to get started!

Frequently Asked Questions

- ***How much are lessons? How do I pay?***

Lessons are \$80/month for a 4-week month and \$100/month if there are 5 weeks.

Lessons are paid monthly through an automatic withdrawal from a checking or credit card account.

- ***How long are lessons, and how often are they?***

Lessons are half an hour long and we have you come once a week, so you have time to practice between lessons. There's a one month minimum requirement and all lessons require a two weeks' notice to discontinue.

- ***Are they group lessons?***

No, each lesson is an individual, private lesson. This way, the student can receive the teacher's full attention and the lesson can be tailored to the student's individual needs.



- ***How young is too young?***

For children, starting at the right age is crucial to the success of their lessons. Some may say, "the sooner the better," but this attitude can actually affect them negatively. A young child may feel overwhelmed or frustrated, which can lead them to become disinterested in music altogether. Our teachers see the highest success with students who start lessons between 8-12 years old. Additionally, we teach beginning adult students. Contact us, and we'll be happy to provide more guidelines for a specific instrument in accordance to the student's age.

- ***When are the lessons?***

Monday through Saturday, after school and evening times. Saturdays we're open 10 – 5pm. Availability depends on the individual teacher's schedule.

- ***Do I have to have my own instrument?***

Yes, so you can practice and progress at home. We carry a variety of new and used instruments for purchase and many band instruments may be available to rent. If you're interested in renting please contact us for more information.

- ***Are the teachers experienced?***

Definitely. All of our teachers are established musicians at various levels in their careers – from professional theatre performers to local rockers who have been playing since childhood. When lessons are scheduled, we try to match you or your student with a teacher who will be able to teach them the style of music the student wants.

- ***Do I have to pay for the lessons if I don't come?***

We have you pay for your lessons a month at a time. If you have to miss a lesson, simply reschedule it at the counter or by phone. Please ask an associate for more details about cancelling lessons.

- ***What about holidays?***

On most major holidays, there are no music lessons. All announcements regarding school closings are posted on our student bulletin board downstairs. You can also pick up a copy of this year's schedule for school closings at the front desk.

