



Sarah Walker Studios Group Teaching Policy

Piano Lab & Violin Karate

2025/2026 School Year

Studio Locations:

- Walker Home Studio
- St. Andrew's Lower School
- St. Andrew's Upper School
- Madison-Ridgeland Academy
- Jackson Academy
- Jackson Prep
- First Presbyterian Day School

~ specific day, time & room will be announced closer to the start of each semester ~

Tuition: \$450 per semester which includes all materials and supplies; however violinists must have their own violins and can be easily rented through the studio. Once registered, you will be invoiced for tuition. **Once the first lesson has taken place, the tuition is non-refundable.**

Lessons:

- Fall Semester: 14 Lessons, 1 rehearsal, 1 Christmas recital in Dec.
- Spring Semester: 14 Lessons, 1 rehearsal, 1 spring recital in May.

Arriving for lessons:

Each student should arrive prepared, with all books and materials needed. We ask that students use the bathroom and wash hands thoroughly before each lesson. If a student arrives **15 minutes** late and or unprepared, the teacher may dismiss the student for that day.

Practice:

A detailed practice assignment will be given at each lesson with boxes for check marks that are to be properly followed and checked throughout the week. Find a consistent time each day that your child can practice effectively. Although quality is definitely better than quantity, a beginner should be practicing a minimum of 20-30 min daily; intermediate 30-40 min and advanced 45-60 minutes. Practice is the only way for progress!

Recitals: Recitals will occur at the end of each semester to celebrate each child's achievements. If your child is not prepared to perform, their studio teacher has the right to withhold their performance until they are prepared.

- Additional information and clarification can always be found on our [website](#).