

## Bucks Music Trust fees 2019/20

### Direct billing to parents

#### Instrumental teaching – available on all instruments subject to availability

- 33 lessons per academic year and all fees are payable per term in advance
- Outstanding fees at the end of a term may result in withdrawal of tuition
- Parents are billed directly whether lessons are in music centres or schools, except where a school has agreed to subsidise pupils using pupil premium.

Individual lessons			Group lessons	
Length	Tuition only rate	Music Centre members discounted rate	All group lessons are 30 minutes	
20 minutes	<b>£156</b>	<b>£130</b>	Small Group	<b>£106</b>
30 minutes	<b>£236</b>	<b>£200</b>	Large Group	<b>£76</b>

- Small Group is for 2/3 pupils – up to Grade 2
- Large Group is for 4 – 6 pupils – up to Grade 1 and is intended to follow on from WCPM for those pupils who want to continue learning or start learning an instrument
- Longer lessons are available for senior students – enquire at [musicservice@bucksmusic.org](mailto:musicservice@bucksmusic.org)
- Individual lessons have discounted rates for Music Centre members to recognise the value of playing in ensembles to the development of instrumental skills. The discounted rate shown above is for lessons and **does not** include the Music Centre membership – this remains at £80.

#### Music Centre membership £80 per term

- Membership gives access to all ensembles at our Music Centres, including Hi-Gain
- Details of all Music Centre timetables are on our website: [www.bucksmusic.org](http://www.bucksmusic.org)
- Some activities during the year, such as Masterclasses and holiday courses will have discounted rates for Music Centre members

#### Instrument hire

- All instruments from our stock (subject to availability) can be hired at a cost of **£25 per term**
- Loans are available to all young musicians in Buckinghamshire, but priority is given to BMT Music Centre members

#### Subsidies to promote opportunity for all children

- Subsidies can be applied to all fees listed above

Students eligible for Free School Meals		<b>50% reduction</b>
Siblings	2 <sup>nd</sup> child	<b>15% reduction</b>
	3 <sup>rd</sup> child	<b>30% reduction</b>
	Each subsequent child	<b>50% reduction</b>

- BMT encourages schools to support families eligible for FSM by subsidizing the remaining 50% of lessons fees using Pupil Premium
- Other exceptional subsidies may be applied in discussion with the Director
- Employees of BMT and BMEH partnership organisations qualify for a 15% subsidy on all fees