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Voice/Piano Lesson Policy:

Each lesson is \$20.00 for 30 minutes, and \$35.00 for hour lessons. Payment may be made at the beginning of each month, weekly, or bi-weekly.

Missed Lessons

1. The time slot that you have booked for lessons is yours, and of no use to anyone else as long as you hold that time. Make-up lessons will be offered to students who give at least 1 week's notice for planned events (such as school plays and trips), and 24 hours notice for illness and unexpected emergencies. Make-up lessons will take place at another time that is convenient during the week. Failure to notify me in advance will result in a No Call, No Show Lesson payment. Consideration will be taken for students who become suddenly ill, but even in this case should inform me the morning of their lesson if they do not go to school.

2. Students arriving late for their lessons will NOT be given extra lesson time to make up for this. Students who arrive on time but don't start the lesson on time WILL be given the extra time to make up for it. I try to stay on schedule but when a student needs extra help I will give it.

3. There will be no extra charge for times I feel the need to spend extra time with your child. This can and will happen when time allows me to give a little extra, so please let me know when students MUST leave lesson on time.

4. If lessons are canceled due to my illness or otherwise, I will let you know as soon as possible. If canceled lessons are paid in advance, there will either be a make-up lesson if desired or the next lesson is free.

Practice Time

Work with your child to set up a daily, uninterrupted practice time to establish a routine. Students are encouraged to keep a practice record, and to work toward musical goals rather than simply counting minutes. The study of music is rewarding and enjoyable, but it is also work! As you know, your child will only be as committed as you are. To insure that you get your money's worth out of piano/voice lessons, I need parents' help to motivate and support students, and to make music study a productive experience.

Music Books and Supplies

I will try my best to keep books and materials as cost-efficient as possible. Each book purchased must be paid upon receipt. During the year, additional music for recitals and materials such flashcards will be supplied, payable on receipt. Borrowed items must be returned when finished using. If materials are lost, they may either be replaced or the amount paid. If you already have music books/materials, bring them along to your lessons and we'll try to use as many of those as are applicable.

Recitals

There are two recitals, both are required. The first is a peer recital/party in December, and the other a formal recital in spring. Both recitals will be scheduled 2 months in advance to assure that there are no schedule conflicts.

All parents/students over 17 who find these policies acceptable will sign one copy and return it to me before the next lesson. Please keep the other copy for your own reference.

If you have any questions or comments, please ask.

Name _____

Address _____

Phone _____

Email _____