

SOUTHEND HIGH SCHOOL FOR BOYS

ACADEMY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

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Dear Parent(s)

**RE: Peripatetic Music Lessons for Autumn Term 2017/2018 (Sept –Dec 2017)
*Music students going into Year 11***

As you will be aware, students who are undertaking a GCSE in Music are eligible for free weekly instrumental lesson with a tutor provided by Southend Music Services. These lessons last for a duration of 15 minutes and take place either during the school lunch hour (1.00pm-2.00pm) or after school (3.30pm-4.30pm)

As the Academic year 2017/2018 is the last year of your son's GCSE, he continues to be eligible for these free lessons for both the Autumn and the Spring term. However, he will no-longer receive free instrumental lessons in the summer term. This is because his coursework deadline falls early into this term, after which point there is no further benefit to be gained from instrumental lessons in terms of the exam outcome.

Please complete the attached document informing us of your son's lesson requirements; you will then be emailed directly to confirm your lessons for the upcoming two terms. Provided you have already paid the required deposit/levy, no further amounts are due from you in regards to these lessons. Failure to return the attached form by the deadline date could mean that your son loses his lesson slot.

If you would like for your son to have a double lesson, or an additional lesson on a different instrument, the cost of this extra lesson will be borne by you. Each lesson costs £7.50, which means an annual course of 34 lessons totals £255.00. This is broken down into the following termly charges: £90.00 for the Autumn term, £90.00 for the Spring term and £75.00 for the Summer Term. All amounts are payable in advance of the start of the new term.

The procedure for booking these 'extra' lessons is through Wisepay; parents will need to log onto Wisepay to select and pay for their desired instrument and time slot for the Autumn term.

Parents of GCSE and A-Level Music students are given early access to Wisepay to allow them to book double slots, if desired, from Friday 2nd June. However Wisepay will open to all other parents of students currently having lessons on Friday 9th June.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Worth



**PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN TO MRS HOWLEY IN THE
FINANCE OFFICE BY FRIDAY 26TH MAY 2017**

**Year 11 Peripatetic Music Lessons
Autumn Term 2017/2018**

Student's name:

Student's form:

- I wish for my son to continue with his "levy" lessons YES / NO
- I have already paid the required levy of £90.00 YES / NO
- Preference 1 (day and lunch/after school):
- Preference 2 (day and lunch/after school):
- Any times which your son would not be able to attend lessons:
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- Please provide any other notes you feel may be useful:
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Contact email address:

NOTE: Please be mindful of pupils who travel by contract bus and of new Year 7 pupils when requesting lunch time sessions only.

Parent's name:

Signature: Date:

