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Greater Richmond School of Music

2018-2019 School Year

Schedule and Tuition Form

St. Benedict School

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General Information

Greater Richmond School of Music (GRSM) will provide extra-curricular music instruction at St. Benedict School for the 2018-2019 school year in the form of a band program as well as group classes in piano and private lessons in piano, voice, ukulele, guitar, banjo, mandolin, bass, clarinet, saxophone, bassoon, violin, viola, cello, percussion (not drum set) and trumpet. Registration for music instruction at St. Benedict School covers lessons from **September 4th, 2018 - May 31st, 2019**, with the Fall semester ending January 25th and the Spring semester starting January 28th.

NOTE: Lessons/Classes will **NOT** be held on days that St. Benedict School is closed **NOR** on Early Dismissal Days (NEW). Please see GRSM @ St. Benedict School calendar (<https://grsm.net/wp-content/uploads/2018/08/GRSM-@-St.-Benedict-Catholic-School-Calendar-2018-2019.pdf>) for details. Two music recitals are planned for all registered students of Greater Richmond School of Music (GRSM) who are interested in performing. The dates and location of the recitals will be announced in September.

Registration is currently being accepted for the 2018-2019 School Year. Registration for private lessons is also accepted at any time throughout the term (tuition costs will be prorated for those who register after the start date). Students registering after the start of the term are subject to music lesson and schedule availability. Note: No lessons shall be provided to any students who are not registered with the Greater Richmond School of Music.

Registration Forms should be scanned and emailed to info@grsm.net, faxed to 866-357-0239 or mailed to GRSM, 9109 Dickey Drive, Mechanicsville Va 23116. **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE FORMS/PAYMENT AT SBS.** Tuition is payable in full up front or in equal monthly payments during the session. There is a one-time Family Registration Fee of \$25. Please contact GRSM (804-442-6158 or info@grsm.net) for more information.

Classes and Lessons Offered

Private Lessons

Wednesdays (4:00-6:00pm): Piano, Guitar, Ukulele, Banjo, beginning Violin, Cello (Nathan Aldhizer)

Fridays (3:00-6:00pm): Piano, Voice, Guitar, Ukulele, Banjo, Mandolin, Bass, Violin, Cello, Clarinet, Saxophone, Bassoon, Trumpet (Ivy Haga, Alicia Thompson, Steve Lazar)

| Lesson length | Per Lesson Rate | Wed 34 weeks | Fri 26 weeks |
|---------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|
| 30 minutes | \$28 | \$952 | \$728 |
| 45 minutes | \$42 | \$1,428 | \$1,092 |
| 60 minutes | \$56 | \$1,904 | \$1,456 |

Group Classes

Group classes are currently available for piano. Administration reserves the right to cancel any group with less than the minimum required number of students registered before the start of classes.

Sibling Discount: 20% off additional siblings in the Keyboard Musician group class.

Registration for Group Piano closes Friday August 31st.

Group Piano Classes

| Class | Age/Grade | Day | Time | Per Class Rate | Fall 2018 Term Rate | Spring 2019 Term Rate |
|---|-----------|--------|-------------|----------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Keyboard Musician A (starts Sept 28 th) | 6-9 yrs | Friday | 3:00-4:00pm | \$20 | \$240 (\$48/month) | \$260 (\$65/month) |

Beginning Band

The Beginning Band is a full year* beginning level group for students who are learning to play a band instrument for the first time. Instruction is focused on developing a solid foundation in note reading, tone production, rhythm, articulation, proper posture/hand position, and instrument care and maintenance. Students also learn basic music theory concepts and ensemble skills, such as balance and blend. Beginning Band members at St. Benedict School receive a 1 hr group lesson each week starting the second week in September and culminating with the Spring Concert in May. As a performance date nears, the SBS beginning band students will join with beginning band students from other schools that participate in the GRSM Band Program and rehearse as a full ensemble.

Each student must bring their instrument, lesson book and music stand to class every week. Appropriate instruments for the Beginning Band are trumpet, trombone, flute, clarinet, saxophone and percussion (multiple instruments), and GRSM can provide information regarding purchase or rental options. The minimum age to participate is 9 years old. No previous music experience is necessary.

Sibling Discount: 20% off additional siblings in the Beginning Band class.

Registration for Beginning Band closes Friday August 31st.

Band

| Class | Age/Grade | Day | Time | 2018-2019 Year Rate (Sept-May) |
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| Beginning Band (starts Sept 12 th) | 9+ yrs | Wednesday | 3:00-4:00pm | \$486 (\$54/month) |

* Disenrollment from the program may be allowed only after the student has completed the first semester of classes and upon completion of the GRSM Disenrollment Form signed by the parent/guardian of the student. **This form must be received by GRSM no later than January 7th.** Once it is determined that continuity of the program for the remaining students will not be jeopardized, the registration contract will be terminated at the end of the semester.