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Saint Bridget Catholic School



The Greater Richmond School of Music (GRSM) will provide music instruction through extra-curricular private and semi-private lessons in addition to the GRSM Band Program at Saint Bridget Catholic School for the 2023-2024 school year. Instruction will be available for **piano, guitar, ukulele, bass guitar, brass, woodwinds and band percussion** as listed below.

[CLICK HERE to REGISTER Online](#) or scan the QR Code above. Tuition is payable in full up front, half at the beginning of each semester, or in equal monthly payments during the session. There is a one-time Family Registration Fee of \$25 for new students. Please contact GRSM (804-442-6158 or info@grsm.net) for more information.

There will be **NO CLASSES** on [Early Closing days or days that Saint Bridget School is closed](#). **PRIVATE LESSON registration is OPEN YEAR ROUND and TUITION is pro-rated.** Lesson schedule will be emailed the week before each student's first lesson.

Lessons begin the week of **September 4th**
Starting Registrations are **due by August 25th**

Private Lessons

Private lessons provide focused, one-on-one instruction with a [master teacher](#). Students will spend the lesson time being shown all that is necessary for them to practice during the week in preparation for their next lesson, so that they can consistently progress.

Semi-Private Lessons

Semi-Private lessons allow for two students in the same lesson with a [master teacher](#). Students should be within 2 yrs of age of each other, studying the same instrument, at the same level. As with private lessons, practice is the key to success.

Private and Semi-Private lessons are scheduled weekly during the term and are offered in 30, 45, or 60 minute intervals. Other than keyboards, which will be available for on-site use, each student must bring their own instrument to the lesson each week. Limited rentals from GRSM are available for keyboards, ukuleles and guitars at a rate of \$20/month.

Recitals are included in tuition and will be held at the end of each semester for all registered students who are interested.

Private and Semi-Private instruction is offered at St. Bridget as listed below.

Tuesdays 3:00-6:00pm

Piano, Guitar, Ukulele (Michaela Houchens)

Wednesdays 4:00-6:00pm (possibly earlier)

Piano, Bass Guitar, Woodwinds, Brass (Anthony Burnham)



Please list **ALL POSSIBLE TIMES** (within the range provided above) that your child is available when registering.

Lesson length	Per Lesson Rate	Tues (34 weeks)	Wed (34 weeks)
30 minutes	\$30	\$1,020	\$1,020
45 minutes	\$45	\$1,530	\$1,530
60 minutes	\$60	\$2,040	\$2,040



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SIBLING DISCOUNTS

- 25% off each student in a semi-private lesson
- 10% off tuition for third (or more) child in a private lesson
- 5% off tuition for second child or instrument (in a separate private lesson)
- 20% off additional siblings in the same group class

GRSM Band Program

(Gr 4-8)

The GRSM Band Program is a Full Year program which begins the second week of September and culminates with the Spring Concert in May. There are a minimum of 30 teaching sessions provided during the academic year, consisting of lessons, rehearsals, school performances and concerts. As a performance date nears, the band students of each school will join with band students of the same level from the other schools that participate in the GRSM Band Program, and rehearse as a full ensemble.

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. As a performance date nears, the SMCS 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.

Day of Week: Wednesdays 9/13/23 – 5/15/24 (full year)

Time: 3:00-4:00 pm (Anthony Burnham)

Tuition: \$520 (\$58/month, Sept-May)

Materials needed: Lesson Book, Instrument, Folding Music Stand



Appropriate instruments for the Beginning Band are **trumpet, trombone, flute, clarinet, saxophone and percussion** (multiple instruments). GRSM will provide information regarding instrument rental at the first (assessment) lesson. No previous music experience is necessary.

The **Concert Band** is an intermediate level group for students who have had 1-3 years of experience playing a band instrument. In addition to continued development of basic instrumental music foundations, instruction focuses on the finer details of playing in an ensemble. Students in the Concert Band receive instruction on music theory and learn scales to improve technique and expand range.

Students in the SMCS Concert Band may apply for an **“Internship”** opportunity to assist with the **Beginning Band** while awaiting their lesson time.

Day of Week: Wednesdays 9/13/23 – 5/15/24 (full year)

Time: 4:00-5:00 pm (Anthony Burnham)

Tuition: \$520 (\$58/month, Sept-May)

Materials needed: Lesson Book, Instrument, Folding Music Stand



The **Symphonic Band** is an advanced level group comprised of students who have had 4+ years of experience playing a band instrument and/or have demonstrated a high level of proficiency on their instrument. Students in the Symphonic Band rehearse and perform high quality music in many styles and genres. Students learn all 12 major scales and music theory concepts. Symphonic students at SBS receive instruction through private or semi-private lessons.