

Bredon Hill Academy

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April 2026

Dear Parents and Carers

Instrumental Music Lessons at Bredon Hill Academy

I am pleased to share the information about instrumental lessons for next year with you. Please note that, even if you currently have instrumental music lessons in school, you need to complete the form to apply for lessons for next year.

The piano, clarinet, flute and saxophone lessons are invoiced directly by the instrumental teacher termly. The lesson costs are indicated below:

- 20-minute private piano, clarinet, flute or saxophone lesson £16.00 per session
- 20-minute group lesson of 2 (where available) £10.50 per session

All other instruments (cello, drums, guitar, singing, trumpet, ukulele, violin) are taught through Severn Arts. The cost for these lessons is indicated below:

- 20-minute private lesson £16.38 per session
- 20-minute group lesson of 2 (where available) £ 8.19 per session

It is important that your child has an instrument to practise on at home. Please contact Mrs Pilling at BHA for more information about instrument hire if you don't have a musical instrument at home.

If the school is in receipt of pupil premium funding for your child and you would like them to have an instrument lesson, please contact Mrs Pilling directly for more information.

[If you would like your child to have instrumental lessons, please read the attached terms and conditions and complete this online form](#) **no later than Monday 29th June 2026**. We will do our best to accommodate your request for group lessons, but this will depend on the number, and playing ability, of those who apply. Any requests that cannot be accommodated immediately will go on a waiting list and you will be contacted by Mrs Pilling when a lesson becomes available.

Please do not send any money in at the moment as invoices are sent at the beginning of each term.

Yours sincerely

Mrs R E Pilling
Head of Music

BREDON HILL ACADEMY

MUSIC TUITION TERMS & CONDITIONS 2026/2027

If you would like your child to take part in music tuition, we would be grateful if you read the terms and conditions below.

1. Payment must be received within one week of the date of the invoice. Non-payment may result in music tuition being withdrawn and if necessary legal proceedings started to recover all monies owed to the school.
2. Payment of lessons led by Severn Arts are to the school through ParentPay. Payment of lessons for piano, clarinet, flute and saxophone are through a direct arrangement with the teacher.
3. To cancel instrument lessons during the academic year 2026-2027, a four-week notice must be given in writing to Mrs Pilling.
4. It is the pupil's responsibility to attend their music lesson on time. All lesson times are displayed on the music noticeboard outside the music room. Pupils must review their time weekly.
5. Pupils must bring their own woodwind, string, brass or guitar instruments to their lesson. Drummers must have their own drumsticks. Instruments can be stored in the practice room on the day of their lesson only.
6. Lessons missed due to pupil illness or family holiday cannot be reimbursed.
7. Lessons missed due to the music teacher's absence will either be made up during the term or will be reimbursed.
8. Lessons missed due to school trips will either be made up during the term or will be reimbursed.
9. Lessons cannot commence until the school has received the signed form stating that the parent/carer agrees to the music tuition terms and conditions.

Thank you for your support.

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