

KESWICK CHRISTIAN SCHOOL PIANO LESSON TERMS AND CONDITIONS 2024 - 2025



LESSONS

Students will not only learn how to play the piano, but will also be taught to appreciate various styles of music. Lessons are designed to extend the music education of the student by exposing him/her to the world of good music. Thirty minute lessons will be scheduled once weekly for each student according to the student's academic schedule. Classroom teachers will partner with parents and piano teacher in arranging the day and the time of the lesson.

IT IS THE STUDENT'S RESPONSIBILITY TO REMEMBER THE DAY AND TIME OF HIS/HER LESSON, TO BRING HIS/HER BOOKS and FOLDER, AND TO BE PREPARED.

A STUDENT MUST HAVE A PIANO OR KEYBOARD AND METRONOME AT HOME TO BE ACCEPTED INTO THE PROGRAM.

ATTENDANCE

There may be a day during the school year when the student is unable to come to his scheduled lesson due to an illness. We do not want your student to miss a lesson; therefore, we will have the student make up that lesson with other students in a group lesson or on another day when the piano teacher is available and the time can be arranged with the classroom teacher's consent. If your student is absent to a vacation/s planned during the school year, their lesson is forfeited. If your student is going to miss a lesson due to a preplanned absence or becomes ill on the day of their scheduled lesson, please send your piano teacher an OnCampus message as a courtesy.

A minimum of 29 lessons are scheduled per year. If your student's lesson falls on a scheduled holiday or day off, the lesson will be made up.

MAKE-UP LESSONS

Make-up lessons will be scheduled by the teacher and may be scheduled in a group format.

PERFORMANCES

All students will participate in the annual Spring piano assessments and a Spring Recital. All 2nd-8th grade students will also participate in a Christmas chapel.

PROGRESS EVALUATION

Each student will be given a folder that needs to be brought to each lesson. Weekly assignments, along with any other communication from the teacher will be inside the folder and require parent initials for practice logs.

Students are expected to practice for 15-20 minutes on 5 days of the week.

If at any point during the school year it is determined that the student is not committed to consistent weekly practice, the parents will be notified and the continued participation in the piano program will be assessed by the Fine Arts Director, the Piano Program Director and the piano teacher.

It is expected that each family will attend the Piano Program meeting at the beginning of the school year.



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REGISTRATION FEE FOR PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS - \$100.00

This fee is used for the purchase of method books, sheet music, piano maintenance, and piano festival registrations.

LESSONS (2ND GRADE AND UP)

Lessons are scheduled for ¹/₂ hour per week, a minimum of 29 lessons per year. Students will be scheduled on a first-come, first-served basis as teachers' schedules permit, with students in the upper grades being given the first priority.

FEES AND BILLING SCHEDULE

Registration Fee for Private Piano Lessons (non-refundable)	\$100.00
Annual Tuition for Private Piano Lessons (29/year)	\$900.00
Three payment options are available:	
1. Paid in full at beginning of year	\$900.00
2. Paid in 2 installments by semester	\$450.00
3. Paid in 9 monthly installments	\$100.00

NOTE: August will be used for scheduling and other weeks throughout the year are available for makeup lessons. The \$100.00 monthly payment does not directly correlate to the number of lessons given in the month. The yearly total is divided evenly over a 9-month billing cycle.