



29th June 2023

Dear Parent/carer,

I am writing to inform you about the instrumental music provision we have on offer at George Spencer Academy from September 2023.

Students have the opportunity to play an instrument of their choice, taught by our visiting peripatetic teachers.

Wherever possible, we aim to continue lessons that have already been started in primary school for continuity. This provision takes place during the normal school day and pupils leave lessons on a rotation basis each week to attend instrumental lessons within the music department. The charge for lessons is £100 per term for 10 lessons. If your child is in receipt of free school meals, then please contact the school for details of financial support available.

Listed below are the instruments we have on offer this year:

Drums	Voice	Flute
Brass	Piano	Clarinet
Saxophone	Guitar and Bass Guitar	Strings

In addition to the provision listed above, we run an extra-curricular programme at George Spencer Academy for musicians of all ages and abilities, regardless of whether or not they have instrumental lessons in school: **Swing Band, Keyboard Club, School Production Band, Flute, Choir, Orchestra, Jazz Combo and GCSE Coursework Support.**

If you are interested in any of the above provision, please fill in the reply slip below and return it to George Spencer Academy or alternatively, email a response with the same information to jbrown@george-spencer.notts.sch.uk

Throughout the academic year there will be opportunities for students to showcase their talents through productions, recitals and regular out of school performances. Pupils are also able to book practice rooms at lunchtimes for individual practise and small-group work.

Please do not hesitate to contact me and I will be happy to answer any further questions you may have.

Kind Regards.

Mrs J Brown
Head of Music
Creative Arts Faculty

Name of student: _____ Tutor Group: _____

My child is interested in having _____ lessons in school.

We do / do not require the hire of an instrument.

Please tick one or more of the following options:

My child has lessons already and is approximately grade _____ standard	
My child has never had lessons	
My child will continue to have lessons outside of school (but would like to join an ensemble)	

I am happy to be contacted via phone or email regarding instrumental tuition at George Spencer Academy.

Mobile number _____

E-mail address _____

Signed _____ Parent/Carer

Date _____