

PRIVATE LESSONS, PARTNER LESSONS, & MUSIC THERAPY

Primary Contact _____ Relationship to student _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Email _____

Phone: home _____ work _____ cell _____

Secondary Contact _____ Relationship to student _____

Address _____ City/Zip _____

Email _____ Phone: _____

In case of lesson cancellation (same day), whom should we call? _____

I have read and agree to all of Rhapsody Arts Center's Policies (available on our website and at the studio). I commit to lessons throughout the entire academic year and agree to pay all tuition and fees as listed in this brochure.

x _____ Date _____

Student _____ Birthdate (m/d/yy) _____ Age _____ Grade _____

School _____ Instrument(s) _____ Teacher Requested _____

Would you like to use the MusicStation Lab? **yes** **no** Student Level/Experience _____

Schedule Preference (Please circle at least 3 choices): Private Lessons, Partner or Music Therapy? (circle one)

- MON 1-3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 7-8pm
- TUE 1-3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 7-8pm
- WED 1-3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 7-8pm
- THU 1-3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 7-8pm
- FRI 1-3pm 3-5pm 5-7pm 7-8pm
- SAT 8-9am 9-11am 11am-12pm
- SUN 12-2pm 2-4pm 4-6pm

Partner's name _____

Lesson length: 30min 45min 60min

What is the earliest time you can be here after school?

I prefer a morning time _____

We often take photographs of recitals, classes, or events around the studio. These photos may be used on our website, in brochures, or for other publicity-related purposes. Do you give permission for us to use photographs of you and/or your child in this manner? (circle) Yes No

Please include payment with registration

*****this section not applicable for music therapy*****

Student lesson tuition - 1st payment \$ _____

Annual Registration Fee (\$30/student or \$50/household) \$ 50.00

Book Deposit (\$40 new students, \$20 returning students) \$ 40.00

Discounts _____ (\$ _____)

I would like to donate an additional amount to Rhapsody's scholarship fund \$ _____

TOTAL ENCLOSED \$ _____

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******Music Therapy Students Only******

Check a payment option:

Private Pay Assisting Agency Name _____ Address _____

Agency Pay Case Manager Name _____ Phone _____

Private Lessons

Private lessons are available in piano, voice, guitar, strings, woodwinds, and brass. We also offer private instruction in composition and improvisation. Lessons take place once a week at a regularly scheduled time at 30, 45, or 60 minutes in length. Priority scheduling is given to current students and enrollments received before July 31st. Enrollment is ongoing and tuition is prorated for a mid-year start.

Policies

Rhapsody's private lesson term runs from August 31 through June 8 and the commitment is for the entire academic year. Lesson absence can be excused if the instructor is given at least 24 hours notice. Excused lessons will be made up and students are allowed 3 excused lessons over the thirty-six week period. A full list of lesson and class policies is available on our website (www.rhapsodyarts.org) and at the studio.

Tuition & Fees

Tuition includes 32 private lessons and 4 Ensemble Experiences from August 31, 2009, through June 8, 2010. The academic year is divided into three 12-week trimesters, with payments due upon registration in August, November 20, and March 1. A late fee is applied for past due accounts on the 7th of the month.

Registration Fee—The annual registration fee is \$30 per student taking lessons, with a maximum of \$50 per household. The fee is due upon enrollment. This reserves your spot in the studio and helps cover the cost of recitals, studio events, lab software, festival opportunities, maintenance, and administration.

Book Deposit—All families pay a \$40 (per student) book deposit upon registration. Returning students pay a \$20 book deposit. The money is used to cover book expenses for the student. This is a service we offer to ensure that our students get the correct books they need, when they need them. When the \$40 is depleted, a copy of the expense record is provided and another \$40 is due.

Payments due: upon registration in August, November 20, and March 1

30 Minute Lessons	(basic / master*)
Trimester payments	\$252/ \$300
45 Minute Lessons	
Trimester payments	\$378/ \$450
60 Minute Lessons	
Trimester payments	\$491/ \$585

*see website for list of master level teachers

Payment Plans & Discounts

- Please inquire if you prefer an alternate [payment plan](#) (forms available in the main office). Requires **automatic bank account withdrawal** or **scheduled credit card transaction**.
- Bank account withdrawal payments deducted monthly in equal payments.
- Credit card payments made in two payments per trimester, during weeks 1 & 7.
- Additional one-time convenience fee of \$22 per form submitted for bank withdrawal and \$15 per form for credit card payment plan.

Discounts

- 3% discount on total tuition amount if the entire academic year (all three trimesters) is paid in full by check upon registration in August
- 10% tuition discount for the third student per household (discount applies to lesson of equal or lesser value).
- 10% tuition discount on second instrument tuition of equal or lesser value (same student only)
- Refer a new family and both families receive a \$20 credit (they must list you on their enrollment form)

Forms of Payment

- Check, cash (exact amount), Visa, MasterCard, Discover, money order, PayPal online, or automatic bank account withdrawal

Partner Lessons

Partner Lessons are available for any instrument and all ages. A partner lesson consists of two students and one instructor meeting once weekly for 30 minutes.

Policies

See private lesson policies.

Tuition & Fees

See private lesson policies.

30 Minute Partner Lessons

Trimester payments \$186/student

MusicStation Lab

is supplementary to lesson time and highly recommended for all students. We have 5 computers equipped with composition software and fun music games that engage your child as they reinforce important concepts learned in the lesson. MusicStation is a complimentary service, but students must sign up to participate.

Ensemble Experiences

Four Ensemble Experience weeks appear on the lesson calendar. These weeks are reserved for rehearsals of our School of Rock bands, Chamber Ensembles, Music Appreciation and History classes, Music Mind Games classes, student Recording Studio time, Composition classes, Guest Lecture/Performances, and Studio classes (60 minute classes, 4-10 students per class). During Ensemble Experiences, there are no private lessons (see calendar). Please contact the office for sign-up information.

Music Therapy

Who benefits from music therapy? Anyone who has therapeutic needs in the areas of social/emotional, cognitive, language, sensory, and motor development will benefit from music therapy. Some disability areas may include: autism spectrum, physical disabilities, vision/hearing loss, emotional/behavioral needs, and developmental delays.

Private Sessions—Client meets with therapist for 30 minutes each week. Sessions consist of goal-related music activities such as instrument play/learning, singing songs, movement songs, song writing, improvisation and much more.

Adaptive Lessons—We offer adaptive music lessons for students with special needs whose primary desire is to learn an instrument. Please inquire about which instruments are available as adaptive lessons.

Rhapsody's therapists are music therapy board certified (MT-BC) and have obtained a degree in music therapy.

Therapy Assessment

1st session/60 min. \$82

(required before private sessions)

Therapy Sessions and Adaptive Lessons

Contact music therapist for pricing information

Your Budget

While our rent, utilities, and payroll increases annually, our tuition remained constant during the '06-07 and '07-08 academic years. For 2008-09, our tuition increased just \$1.15 per basic 30 minute lesson, and we have not raised tuition for the 2009-10 academic year. We greatly appreciate those families who support our programs and generously donate extra funds whenever possible, in any amount. We realize you have a choice in your arts instruction, and your enrollment today means a great deal to us and our impact in your community.

Thank you.