



22 June 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

## Music Tuition - Academic Year 2026/2027 for Years 7-10: Instrumental & Voice.

We are again pleased to offer to our students individual tuition in a wide range of musical instruments & voice for the next academic year on the terms and conditions detailed below.

For students entering **Years 7-10** in September 2026, the college guarantees **30 lessons** over the course of the academic year. The annual cost of these lessons is £520.50. As summarised below, parents/carers have the option of paying for the lessons in full at the start of the academic year or opting for 10 monthly payments. Payments in full should be made by BACS. If you choose to pay monthly, these payments can be made by standing order, which parents will have to set up themselves.

As we are committed to paying the instrumental/voice teachers for the full year, we request that parents/carers sign up for a full year's lessons. Students will not be able to cease lessons mid-term and we would like to draw your attention to this area of the contract. If your child is in year 9 and in receipt of free school meals, or qualifies for Pupil Premium funding, some financial help may be available for these lessons. Please contact Miss Perry for further information before completing an application form.

<p><b>Years 7-10</b> Thirty 20-minute individual weekly lessons in one of the following: Brass, Drums, Guitar/Ukulele, Piano, Saxophone, Upper Strings, Voice, Woodwind</p>	<p>Annual Tuition Fees: £520.50 Payment Options:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Lump Sum Payment of £520.50 by 1 October 2026 (BACS)</li> <li>• 10 payments of £52.05 by standing order from 1 October 2026 – 1 July 2027.</li> </ul>
<p>BACS payments details</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Account Name: Staploe Education Trust</li> <li>• Sort Code: 20-60-53</li> <li>• Account Number: 13581284</li> <li>• Reference: STUDENT SURNAME+FIRST NAME+INSTRUMENT (e.g. PERRYGEMMPIANO)</li> </ul>

All tuition is delivered during the school day. Individual lesson times are shown on the termly Music Tuition timetables displayed on noticeboards the Performing Arts Centre. It is the responsibility of students to remember to attend tuition, and to check these timetables each week on the morning of their lesson, if possible, prior to Registration with their Form Tutor. Students will not be collected from subject lessons to attend their music lesson. Lessons take place on the same day each week, but where possible the lesson time is rotated so that students do not miss the same academic subject each week. Students should excuse themselves in advance from their academic classes with the class teacher.



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If you wish to enrol your child for music tuition, please complete the form located here: [Music Tuition Academic Year 2026-27 – Fill in form](#)

Or scan the QR code



by **Monday 6 July 2026**.

Any payment you make should include a reference as follows:  
STUDENT SURNAME+FIRST NAME+INSTRUMENT (e.g. PERRYGEMMPIANO)

First payments (or full payment if you choose this option) should be received in college by **1 October 2026**.

If you have any questions regarding this information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Gemma Perry'.

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