



18<sup>th</sup> April 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

## Individual Instrumental Music Lessons

The following individual instrumental lessons are available to your child from September 2023:

Flute, oboe, clarinet, saxophone -

Trumpet, cornet, tenor horn, trombone, tuba -

Violin, viola -

Cello, double bass -

Piano -

Voice -

Drums -

Classical guitar, electric guitar, acoustic guitar, bass guitar -

Mrs H Allen

Mrs J Wyndham-Hall

Ms P Ward

Mrs C Johnson

Mr Hession

Mrs J Schofield

Mr I Turner

Mr C Ward, Mr. C Webb & Mr T Pannell

The cost of lessons vary slightly between Visiting Music Teachers (VMT), depending on whether they work on behalf of Cambridge Music Service or are independent/private tutors. Below are the approximate costs of instrumental lessons:

- 20 minutes per week – between £11 and £13
- 30 minutes per week – between £17 to £19

Each term consists of 10 individual peripatetic music lessons, with the allocated VMT. Lessons will be commencing w/k 11<sup>th</sup> September 2023, and a thorough risk assessment has taken place to ensure that the peripatetic provision can return in a safe and secure way. Parents/Carers can view this document if required. If you would like your child to receive instrumental lessons at school, please email Miss Arnold:

[karnold@elycollege.co.uk](mailto:karnold@elycollege.co.uk) with the following information:

- Name of student
- Form group (if known)
- Instrument of choice
- Contact email address
- Contact telephone number

When providing this information, you will also be giving consent for Miss Arnold to pass this information onto our VMT staff who will contact you directly to discuss the details (fees, timetable, hire of an instrument).

For all incoming Yr 7 students for September 2023 entry, Miss Arnold will start to process all requests in early June so please do not be concerned if you do not receive an immediate response.

There is an expectation that students receiving peripatetic lessons will also be involved in ability-appropriate music ensembles as part of the Music Department's extra-curricular program when taking individual instrumental music lessons, when this provision resumes in the near future.

Yours faithfully

Miss K Arnold  
Teacher of Music