



# Cardinal Pole Catholic School

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Parent/carer of:

19<sup>th</sup> April 2018

Dear Parents/Carers,

## **SPECIALIST MUSIC (INSTRUMENTAL/SINGING) LESSONS AT CARDINAL POLE**

With the Year 11s having successfully completed their coursework, I am pleased to be able to offer some further opportunities to students in Year 7 to study an instrument (including voice).

Places are limited at this point in the year and we currently have vacancies as follows:

- Cello
- Drums
- Guitar
- Piano
- Violin
- Voice

*Please note that there are currently NO vacancies for brass or woodwind lessons.*

Students who take specialist music lessons come out of some of their normal curriculum time each week. This usually operates on a rota basis so that students do not miss the same lesson every week – though in the case of certain instruments this may not be possible. Students are generally taught in small groups.

Lessons are heavily subsidised by the school; but if your child is selected to take specialist music lessons, **you are required to make a contribution of £30.00 per term**. Payment should be made by cheque (payable to Cardinal Pole Catholic School) or cash, and handed in to the Main Office in Reception. **Please make a payment only once your child has been offered lessons.**

It is essential that you and your child undertake to ensure that, should they be selected for specialist music tuition, they practise at home for **at least half an hour every day** and they attend their weekly music lesson **without fail**. Also, your child **must** catch up on work missed in the normal curriculum lesson that they have missed by attending the music lesson.

If you would like your child to be given the opportunity to audition for specialist music tuition this term, please complete the attached slip and return it to the Main Office at the school, for the attention of Dr Maxim by **Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2018**.

Yours faithfully,

*Dr C Maxim*

Dr C Maxim  
**Head of Music**



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**REPLY SLIP: REQUEST FOR CONSIDERATION FOR SPECIALIST MUSIC TUITION - Summer Term 2018**  
**PLEASE RETURN TO THE MAIN OFFICE BY MONDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> APRIL 2018**

Child's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_

I should like my child to be considered for tuition in: *(please tick NO MORE THAN TWO)*

- Cello
- Drum kit
- Guitar
- Piano
- Violin
- Voice

- I understand that there is no guarantee that my child will be selected.
- I understand that, if selected, my child will be given lessons in NO MORE THAN ONE instrument.
- I understand that my child may be taught in a group with other students (one-to-one lessons are not guaranteed)
- I undertake that, if selected, I will ensure that my child practises at home for **at least half an hour every day** and attends their weekly specialist lesson **without fail**. I further undertake to ensure that my child catches up on work missed in the normal curriculum lessons that s/he misses to attend the music lessons.
- I understand that, if my child is selected, I must pay £30 per term, payable by the given deadlines, otherwise my child's lessons will be stopped.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Carer) Date \_\_\_\_\_