

## Merion Mercy Academy Music Lesson Information 2018-2019

We are excited and delighted to be able to offer private music lessons through Merion Mercy Academy. Our teachers are excellent, the rates are lower than they should be, and the convenience, beyond compare. The time is now to dream big and begin (or continue) the journey of becoming a musical artist.

Private lessons are open to all students and faculty members. The lesson days and times are dependent upon teacher availability and are scheduled between 7:30 – 9 a.m. and 2 – 6 p.m.

### Lessons offered -

Voice (Mondays and Thursdays) – Andrea Broido ([Abroido@verizon.net](mailto:Abroido@verizon.net))

Cello (Wednesdays) – Susan Lerner ([Suelern@aol.com](mailto:Suelern@aol.com))

Violin, Viola, Bass and tuba (Tuesdays and Thursdays) – David Brown ([malaguena312@gmail.com](mailto:malaguena312@gmail.com))

Electric, Folk and Classical Guitar (Mondays) - Chris McCarter ([cmccarter@waldronmercy.org](mailto:cmccarter@waldronmercy.org))

Piano (Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays) – Irene Moretto ([Irenemoretto212@gmail.com](mailto:Irenemoretto212@gmail.com))

Each semester will include twelve lessons.

The fee for one semester of (12) thirty-minute lessons is \$400.

The fee for one semester of (12) forty-five-minute lessons is \$575.

The fee for one semester of (12) sixty-minute lessons is \$700.

Of this tuition, \$50 must be paid at the time of registration, before lessons begin. Please bring your lesson check to Ms. Latham, in the Music Room, made out to Merion Mercy Academy. The remainder will be billed through the business office.

**Discontinuing Lessons** If a student wishes to discontinue lessons part-way through the semester, or is dismissed before the end of the semester, lesson fees will not be refunded.

**Make up and Missed Lesson Policy:** A teacher will offer two make-up lessons per semester if the teacher is notified twenty-four hours in advance of the missed lesson. Lessons will also be rescheduled if the student is out of school due to illness, as long as the private teacher is notified via email first thing in the morning. *If the lesson is missed without notification, for any reason, the student will forfeit that lesson and it will not be made up.* (Music Scholars, if you miss lessons without alerting your teachers, your scholarship will be in Jeopardy. If you find yourself in that situation, please discuss your circumstances with Ms. Latham immediately.)

**Lessons during the School Day:** If a student wishes her lesson to be give during the school day, and has the ok of the private music teacher, both must agree to be flexible in terms of missed lessons in case a student's academic teacher does not allow the student to miss the class. Students must notify the teacher whose class she will be missing, and ask permission, *at least twenty-four hours in advance*, and notify the music teacher as to any change in the lesson time.

**Lesson Time Preferences:** Please reach out via email to the private teacher as soon as you decide to pursue music lessons through Merion Mercy. Lesson times fill quickly, and lessons will begin September 17<sup>th</sup>.

If you have any questions, please email Cara Latham at [clatham@merion-mercy.com](mailto:clatham@merion-mercy.com), or call her at 610-664-6655 x 107

I have read and understand the Private Music Lesson Polices. Please register my daughter, \_\_\_\_\_  
for \_\_\_\_\_ minutes to study \_\_\_\_\_ with (teacher)\_\_\_\_\_.