



Excellence in Music

Studio of Piano and Voice

WELCOME, to a fun filled semester of learning Voice! I strongly believe that communication and amazing guidance will bring out the best of your child's ability.

In order to have the required progress, I need guidance from you the parent (Also known as the teacher at home). Please carefully read and sign this contract that will assist you in gaining the maximum use of your child's voice lessons.

LESSONS:

Lessons include: Voice warms ups/ exercises, Science of the voice, vocal technic, Learning to read, sing and write music, Sing in several languages, Ear Training, Composing, Improvising, Sight Singing and Music Theory.

All lessons include use of technology to solidify music theory, sight singing and composing abilities through fun music programs.

Thirty Minutes	Forty Five Minutes	Sixty Minutes
Appropriate for beginner and young students (Age 5- 12)	Appropriate for continuing students Exploring deeper concepts	Appropriate for advanced students Prepare for exams, competitions
\$100 per month	\$150 per month	\$200 per month
Extra Lessons- \$30	Extra Lessons \$40	Extra Lessons \$60

Parents of young beginning students specially ten and younger are encouraged to be in the lesson.

These parents must take notes to assist their child rehearse at home.

EXTRA LESSONS: If a student needs an extra lesson due to deadlines, lack of practice or for FUN let me know ahead of time. Fees are on the above chart.

PUNCTUALITY: Arrive on time for your lessons! Time is very important. Lessons will not be prolonged for late arrivals. Lesson will be given for the remaining time. If there is an emergency please call me ahead of time.

FEES:

What am I paying for? Fees include Tuition, Technology purchases, Student Certificates, Teaching manipulatives (rhythm instruments, cards, toys, crayons, etc.) and Games.

Recital Fees: Fees for the recital venue must be paid separately once I send the newsletter home.

Payment Method: Fees should be paid at the beginning of each month. It may be in cash or a check made out to my name; Oshadhee Satarasinghe.

If you have more than one child attending lessons you may pay in two equal payments.

Those parents that do have more than one child gets reduced fees!

The fees would be as follows; \$95 per month for thirty minute lessons.

\$142.50 per month for forty five minute lessons.

\$190 per month for sixty minute lessons.

MATERIALS:

Home	Class
Acoustic Piano (Tuned) or	Voice Books
Electric touch sensitive 88 Keys with Pedals	Note Book- Teacher
Metronome (Digital or phone app)	Pencils/ Erasers/ Crayons
Practice Journal (Note Book)	Blank Paper/ Music Paper
Binder	

Most lessons will have fun music card games, flash cards and use of worksheets that will reinforce concepts learned during class! Therefore the binder will be of great use for students to store all worksheets or any certificates/ winner cards they achieve.

As parents, please share the responsibility of keeping your child's work in order and up to date.

PRACTICE

Practice does not make one perfect! Perfect practice makes one perfect!

Practice should be a part of your child's daily routine. Creating practice time for them is your duty. Continuous reinforcement is vital for a student's development.

In order to achieve higher goals and accomplishments, perfect practice plays a big role. I, as the teacher will be responsible for writing down the necessary steps. You as the parent must see that it is done daily.

Practice times:

Young /beginner	15- 30 minutes	Easy Intermediate	30-40 minutes
Intermediate	45-60 minutes	Advanced	2 hours or more

Each student must have their practice journal that they must fill in after practice.

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES

All students will be guided and motivated to participate in voice competitions, Music theory examinations and choir performances throughout the semester.

All students will be encouraged to participate in the student recitals at the end of the semester.
Ex: *Spring* and *Christmas*.

MISSED LESSONS

We all have bad days! If you are sick, your lesson will be made up on a day I can fit you in my schedule.

If for some reason you must miss a lesson: for school functions, going out of town and transportation issues, you must inform me 24 hours ahead.

Missed lessons must be made up within the month the lessons were missed unless it was at the end of the month.

Please check my [studio website](#) page to know what times are available each week for make up lessons.

HOLIDAYS

We will follow all school holidays; that is including Spring Break, Thanksgiving and Christmas. Fees will not change for these months.

News Letter for Summer Lessons will be handed at the end of the Spring Semester.

Fill out separate forms for each individual child

Contract Fall Semester -2018

Student Name: _____

Age: _____

Parents Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Emergency Contact Number: _____

Parents email address: _____

Special Accommodations/ Needs: _____

Given Lesson Day and Time: _____

Responsible Person/s picking up student (Other than Parent): _____

Phone Number: _____

I _____ have read and agreed to the above contract and will accept the fees, fee payment methods, materials, practice procedures and terms/ regulations of the above mentioned Excellence in Music- *Studio of Piano and Voice* contract.

_____ Parent	_____ Date	_____ Teacher	_____ Date
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