



Extra-Curricular Music Activities

- All students must register, **including existing students** before attending rehearsals. Regular attendance is paramount.
- All timetables are drawn up at the beginning of every term and all information is placed on the two Music noticeboards (one in the Music Department and the other is outside the Senior Hall).
- To keep students regularly informed of practices and performance dates, a group email/MS Team will be also used for each activity.
- Email csawyer@st-andrews.ie for any queries.

Junior Choir

1st – 3rd Years

Thursday 8:05am

register here

<https://forms.office.com/r/XEkvUzJ0zy>

Senior Choir

4th – 6th Years

Wednesday 8:05am

register here

<https://forms.office.com/r/6vbAjy5vW>

Orchestra

All players and levels welcome

Friday 8am

register here

<https://forms.office.com/r/Ry69Pdqu55>

Guitar & Ukulele Group

All players and levels welcome

Lunchtime Fridays

register here

<https://forms.office.com/r/uv6kCBySq8>

Irish Trad Group

All welcome –

beginners to proficient players

Friday Lunchtimes (Nov and Feb)

register here

<https://forms.office.com/r/kSHfbLiENr>

Music Technology Club

Two 8-week courses (Starting Sept and Jan)

Limited spaces

Mondays 8am

register here from 26th August 2022

<https://forms.office.com/r/VRcinM2sb2>

♪ ♪ Watch out for some very exciting vocal, instrumental and song writing workshops throughout the year! ♪



Music Department Private Instrumental Lessons 2022-2023

Individual lessons are available on the following instruments:

- Piano
- Drums
- Voice
- Violin
- Cello
- Double bass
- Viola
- Recorder
- Flute
- Guitar
- Saxophone
- Clarinet
- Bass guitar
- Ukulele

Please contact: musiclessons@st-andrews.ie for any queries. Please note that instrumental sign up will take place through this address **from the 26th of August** once students have their after school sports schedules. **Payment must be made through EasyPayments before the first lesson or your space will not be secured.** Please note priority is given to existing students. Classes start 1st September.

Attendance

Pupils are expected to attend lessons for the duration of the academic year. Those wishing to finish earlier (e.g. exam students) must give **one term's notice**. Regular attendance is obligatory. Pupils unable to attend a lesson should inform their teachers prior to the lesson. Classes take place on a weekly basis. There will be no music classes during school holidays or on days where the college is closed.

Absences/Lessons missed

Lessons missed by the teacher will be re-arranged. Lessons missed by pupils CANNOT be refunded. If reasonable notice is given, teachers may, at their discretion, re-arrange lessons. However, they are NOT obliged to do so.

Fees/Venue/Terms

All lessons will take place in the college after school unless students have a free class during the day. Lessons cost €25 per half hour class. Fees must be paid at the beginning of each term; in August for the first term and at the end of January for the second term. No classes will take place without payment.

Practice

Regular practice is essential to ensure progress, development and enjoyment. Parents are asked to ensure that pupils wholly understand this and are prepared to devote time and effort to regular practice.

Exams

Exams are optional and will be arranged directly with the instrumental teacher. Where an accompanist is required, sufficient rehearsal time will be obligatory before the exam.



Instrumental Lessons Diary 2022-2023

Day	Term 1		Term 2		Full Year	
Monday	14	€350	16	€400	30	€750
Tuesday	14	€350	16	€400	30	€750
Wednesday	14	€350	16	€400	30	€750
Thursday	14	€350	16	€400	30	€750
Friday	14	€350	16	€400	30	€750

Classes take place every day the school is open. TY students are on work experience for 4 weeks in Term 2. These classes will be made up.

Monday Classes	Tuesday Classes	Wednesday Classes	Thursday Classes	Friday Classes
<p>Term 1 Sept – 5, 12, 19, 26 Oct – 3, 10, 17, 24 Nov – 7, 14, 21, 28 Dec – 5, 12, 19</p> <p>Term 2 Jan – 9, 16, 23, 30 Feb – 6, 20, 27 Mar – 6, 13, 20, 27 April – 17, 24 May – 4, 8, 15, 22, 29</p> <p>No class Sept 26, Feb 6, May 1st (you have not been charged for these)</p>	<p>Term 1 Sept – 6, 13, 20, 27 Oct – 4, 11, 18, 25 Nov – 8, 15, 22, 29 Dec – 6, 13</p> <p>Term 2 Jan – 10, 17, 24, 31 Feb – 7, 21, 28 Mar – 7, 14, 21, 28 April – 18, 25 May – 2, 9, 16, 23</p> <p>No class Jan 17 (you have not been charged for these)</p>	<p>Term 1 Sept – 7, 14, 21, 28 Oct – 5, 12, 19, 26 Nov – 9, 16, 23, 30 Dec – 7, 14</p> <p>Term 2 Jan – 11, 18, 25 Feb – 1, 8, 22 Mar – 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 April – 19, 26 May – 3, 10, 17</p>	<p>Term 1 Sept – 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Oct – 6, 13, 20, 27 Nov – 10, 17, 24 Dec – 1, 8, 15</p> <p>Term 2 Jan – 5, 12, 19, 26 Feb – 2, 9, 23 Mar – 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 April – 20, 27 May – 4, 11, 18</p> <p>No class November 24, March 16 (you have not been charged for these)</p>	<p>Term 1 Sept – 2, 9, 16, 23, 30 Oct – 7, 14, 21, 28 Nov – 11, 18, 25 Dec – 2, 9, 16</p> <p>Term 2 Jan – 6, 13, 20, 27 Feb – 3, 10, 24 Mar – 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 April – 21, 28 May – 5, 12, 19</p> <p>No class November 25, March 17 (you have not been charged for these)</p>



Instrumental Teachers 2022-2023

<p>Piano Maja Brooks Grace Park Catriona McElhinney-Grimes</p> <p>Voice Judy Lambert (Maternity Leave) Catrina Scullion (Maternity Leave) Chris Holland Lauryn Gaffney</p> <p>Drums Hugh O'Byrne</p> <p>Guitar Michael Behan</p> <p>Sax/Clarinet Stephen O'Brien</p>	<p>Cello Megan Sherwood</p> <p>Violin/Viola Klara Janu</p> <p>Flute/Sax/Recorder/Clarinet Patricia Carroll</p> <p>Violin Rachel Du</p> <p>Guitar/Bass Guitar/Ukulele Darren Bell</p> <p>Double Bass/Bass Guitar Andrew Csibi</p> <p>Double Bass Maja Brooks</p>
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Emails for all Private Music Teachers

If a student is going to be absent could you please send a brief email to the teacher.

Piano lessons	Maja Brooks	mbrooks@st-andrews.ie
	Grace Park	gpark@st-andrews.ie
	Catriona McElhinney-Grimes	cgrimes@st-andrews.ie
Voice lessons	Judy Lambert (Maternity Leave)	jlambert@st-andrews.ie
	Catrina Scullion (Maternity Leave)	cscullion@st-andrews.ie
	Chris Holland	cholland@st-andrews.ie
	Lauryn Gaffney	lgaffney@st-andrews.ie
Drums	Hugh O'Byrne	hobyrne@st-andrews.ie
Guitar	Michael Behan	mbehan@st-andrews.ie
Sax/Clarinet	Stephen O'Brien	sobrien@st-andrews.ie
Cello	Megan Sherwood	msherwood@st-andrews.ie
Violin/Viola	Klara Janu	kjanu@st-andrews.ie
Violin	Rachel Du	rdu@st-andrews.ie
Sax/Clarinet/Flute/Recorder	Patricia Carroll	pcarroll@st-andrews.ie
Guitar/Bass/Ukulele	Darren Bell	dbell@st-andrews.ie
Double Bass/Bass Guitar	Andrew Csibi	acsibi@st-andrews.ie
Double Bass	Maja Brooks	mbrooks@st-andrews.ie