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Piano Lessons **STUDIO POLICY** Accompaniment

1. PAYMENT INFORMATION

- 1.1 First Introductory lesson/audition is 30-minutes/one hour and costs \$35.00/70.00.
- 1.2 Each Academic year has **40 lessons** (September – June, excluding Christmas holidays and March break).
- 1.3 Tuition reserves your **exclusive lesson time** through Academic year, it is **not an hourly fee** for services rendered. It is a Musical Education with specific intention and purpose. (In many school systems across Canada, achievement in RCM Examinations is recognized for credit towards secondary school graduation.)
- 1.4 Students are **responsible for paying for the time slot** being held for them through September-June. That is the number of lessons that are in each month, not the number of lessons for which they are present.
- 1.5 Tuition rates are based on the even monthly rate (4 lessons per month) and are payable in the form of **10 post-dated cheques**, dated the **first day** of each month from **September** through **June**. Cheques must be ready by the first lesson in September.

MONTHLY TUITION SCHEDULE (4 lessons per month on average)*

45 min lessons	60 min lessons	60 min lessons level 9 or 10 RCM ARCT	Individual Consultation (not a year contract)	Piano Accompaniment
\$ 160.00	\$ 200.00	\$ 240.00	\$ 70.00/hour	\$ 50.00/hour

- Tuition FEES include: taxes, piano tuning 2 times per year, electricity and heating

2. MISSED LESSONS**

- 2.1 **Fees are not refunded for missed lessons** due to reasons other than on the teacher's account.
- 2.2 The **teacher is not obligated to make up those missed lessons** unless she is responsible for the absence. In the event of the teacher's absence rescheduling or reimbursement will be made.
- 2.3 Missed lessons due to illness (only) can be re-booked if given 24 hours notice. Then that missed lesson shall be credited towards reappointment. A **maximum of two (2) such reappointments** are permitted per Academic school year per student (September-June).
- 2.4 **Other extra curricular activities** of the student, resulting in missed lessons, or which appear to be **in conflict** with the piano lessons schedule, shall not be considered as a reason for a piano lessons rescheduling, **unless a full charge is paid for the lesson carried over.**
- 2.5 Time lost because of a student's lateness cannot be made up.

**Tuition fees do not include the cost of music books*

*** As per the Policy of the Ontario Registered Music Teachers Association*