

Morningside Music Studio Private Lesson Policy

Morningside is committed to creating a positive learning and teaching environment for its students and staff. For this reason, it is important that all students and parents understand and abide by the studio policies as outlined below.

Pricing

Participation in private or group lessons will be charged on a semester basis. You have the option of having lessons once per month, twice a month or weekly.

Lessons are 30, 45, or 60 minutes in length.

30 minute lesson - \$40

45 minutes - \$60

60 minutes - \$80

After your first lesson we ask that you commit to continuing lessons for the whole semester. ***Students wishing to discontinue lessons must give the studio a minimum notice of two lessons. Any lessons paid beyond that will be posted to student's account.**

In-home lessons

You may request the teacher come to your home for lesson, In-home lessons will be an extra \$5/lesson.

Registration Fee

Morningside accepts music students of all ages and abilities based on availability year-round. There will be a one time \$15/family registration fee.

Schedule

You will have access to a calendar system with clearly published holidays and other "no session" days. However, if you want to have a meeting on one of those days and instructor is free, that can be added on. You will be given access to an online portal where you can view a calendar, see your scheduled lessons, communicate with your teacher, and review your account and balance details.

Fall 2019 semester will run from September 3 - January 17
Last 2 weeks in January will serve as make-up weeks.

Winter/spring semester will run February 3, 2020 - June 5
2nd and 3rd weeks of June will serve as make-up weeks.

If signing up mid-semester, your cost will be prorated.

Cancellations/make-up policy

Teachers must be given at least 24 hrs. notice when cancelling, unless student is ill, to avoid being charged.

Students will be offered up to two make-up lessons per semester for any missed lessons.

If your teacher has to cancel lesson, they will make it up.

If your teacher is absent, a substitute may replace her/him for that week to maintain consistency for the student.

Weather-related cancellations

Credits will be given if group gets cancelled due to weather. Morningside does not follow the public or private school weather open/close schedules. In the event of weather, the decision regarding lesson cancellation will be made no later than 12 noon of lesson day.

Making payments

Invoices will be sent out at the start of each month and will still be able to be paid online.

Checks, brought to Morningside, or cash would be my preference in getting paid to avoid fees. I will give a 5% discount for cash payments.

Please make all checks out to Morningside Music Studio

but if mailing, please send to my home address, NOT the studio:

50 Melvin Rd. Arlington 02474

Automatic checks sent from your bank is a reliable option.

Please try to make payments within a week of receiving an invoice.

Communication

You will get a separate email with login information for the Portal where you can view your child's schedule, cancel a lesson, see your account, and see practice assignments entered by your teacher.

For questions about billing on online portal contact Dan Fox

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