

St. Hilary School Music Program

Ensembles and Lessons

September 16, 2013

Dear Parent/ Guardian,

St. Hilary students are invited to participate in the comprehensive music program at the school. The following activities are available to your child:

SCHOOL ENSEMBLES

Choir (grades 3-8) **Hand bell choir** (grades 6-8) ***Band** (grades 4-8)

*Band for instrumentalists with prior lesson or band experience.

Ensemble rehearsals occur once a week during the school day lunch period.



GROUP LESSONS (\$15 per lesson + cost of books) (grades 3-8)

Group lessons occur once a week for a half-hour during the school day.

PRIVATE LESSONS for any instrument (\$25 per lesson + cost of books) (grades 1-8)

Private lessons occur once a week for a half-hour after the school day.

Private lesson times are limited to Tuesday- Friday 3:00 to 3:30, 3:30-4:00, 4:00-4:30 and 4:30 to 5:00

Please note: Requests for private lessons will be filled on a first-come first-serve basis. Once all times have been taken, additional students will be placed on a waiting list.

Instruments offered:

	Woodwinds	Brass	Strings
Piano	Flute	Trumpet	Violin
Guitar	Clarinet	French Horn	Viola
Bass guitar	Saxophone	Trombone	Cello
Drum set		Euphonium/Baritone	Bass
Percussion		Tuba	



In addition to instruments, Composition, Songwriting and Music Theory lessons will be offered. The students will need to have a keyboard that can be connected to a computer and music sequencing software such as Garageband, Logic, Pro Tools, Cubase, or Digital Performer at home.

Thank you!

Sincerely,
Mr. Justin Jue
jjue@sainthilaryschool.com
c. 215-390-3168

General Lessons Information

Scheduling

Private lessons are taught after or before school. Group lessons are taught during the school day, accommodating the students' regular class schedules. Unfortunately, Mr. Jue's schedule changes sometimes and lessons may be postponed or cancelled. It is important that students remember to bring both instrument and books to school so that the lesson can be held as scheduled.

Payment

Private lessons are \$25 per lesson, plus the cost of books.
Group lessons are \$15 per lesson, plus the cost of books.

Payment options:

1. Cash (It is best to mark student's name and date on envelope)
2. Personal Check, made payable to "Justin Jue"

Payment can be made in the first week for the month whether there are four weeks or five.

If any lesson is cancelled for any reason, the credit will be applied to tuition for the next month. You can choose to pay for each lesson too.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me in any way. E-mail is the best way to contact me.

Thank you very much.

Justin Jue

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Permission Slip

Please return this completed permission slip to Mr. Jue as soon as possible.

Student's name _____ Grade _____

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian signature _____

E-mail you check most regularly _____

Phone _____

Please indicate activities of interest:

Ensembles

_____ Choir (grades 3-8)

_____ Hand bell choir (grades 6-8)

_____ Band (grades 4-8) for instrumentalists with prior band or lesson experience

Private Lessons (grades 1-8)

Desired instrument _____

Select all possible days you are available:

___ Tues ___ Wed ___ Thurs ___ Fri

Select all times you are available: ___ 3:00-3:30 ___ 3:30-4:00 ___ 4:00-4:30

___ 4:00-5:00

*Please note: private lessons are filled on a first-come, first-served basis. More lesson times may be added based on scheduling and availability.

Group Lessons (grades 3-8)

Desired instrument _____

___ I DO NOT own an instrument and will rent one from Music and Arts or another store.

___ I DO own an instrument and will not rent one.