

*St Levan Primary School*  
*where all children SHINE...for life*

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Dear Families

We are delighted to be able to offer piano and violin lessons within the school day – subject to there being enough interest.

The lessons will be arranged via the Cornwall Music Service Trust (CMST). CMST offer lessons in many local schools and are fantastic providers of quality music tuition.

Families must sign up via CMST and pay for tuition termly. The costs are:

- Group Type 1: Based on a Group of 4 or 5 - 30 minutes = £5.63
- Group Type 2: Based on a Group of 2 for 20 minutes/3 for 30 minutes = £7.50
- Group of 2 – 30 Minutes = £11.25
- Individual 15 Minutes = £11.25
- Individual 20 Minutes = £15.00
- Individual 30 Minutes = £22.50

There are subsidies for children who receive free school meals, children in care, those in receipt of personal independence payment (parent/carer or child) and the children of those currently serving in the British armed forces. You need to mark your entitlement to any subsidy during the sign up process. Please note that subsidies are available for one instrument per child only and cannot be claimed in retrospect - i.e. you must inform CMST of the entitlement before commencement of lessons or you will be liable for fees.

Individual or paired learning is recommended by the CMST – but obviously you can choose as suits your budget.

Violin hire is available via ASONE Hub at a cost of £23.33 plus VAT per term, plus an initial delivery fee of £10. They do not currently have any keyboards for hire. You may find it cheaper to buy a violin online. The instructor can give advice regarding instruments once lessons begin.

For more information, please look on the CMST website <https://cmst.co.uk/>.

To book please follow the instructions attached and visit: <https://ukcmst.speedadmin.dk/registration#/>.

We do hope you will be able to take up this music offer – if you have any queries please ask at the school office.

Yours sincerely

The St Levan Team