
INTRODUCTION TO GUITAR

with Danny.

Dear Parents/Carers, from September I will be offering Guitar lessons for beginners at St Teresa's. This will be available to students in years 3-6 with classes taking place on Mondays and Tuesdays both in and out of school hours. Years 3/4 lessons will take place in school time and years 5/6 will finish at 4pm and 4.30pm so as not to interfere with the older children's studies. Class size will be no larger than 5 students at a time.

I will be working in partnership with the Treehouse, meaning children whose lessons begin at 4pm can remain in school until then.

There will be Guitars on site for students to use during lessons so there is no need to buy any equipment up front. However, since the Guitars cannot be taken out of school for home practise I have secured a discount with a local music store should you wish to buy your own in the future.

We will be learning basic chords, a few riffs, how to tune a guitar and a little theory including how to read tab (a guitarists shorthand music notation). All presented in a fun and relaxed environment. There are NO tests/grades etc.

I will also be working closely with Jonny the drum teacher to hopefully do some 'band work' together. Where his and my students learn the same songs separately then come together to jam at the end of term!

Lessons are charged at £5 per half hour session and there will be 10 sessions per term, totalling £50 to be paid in full and up front. Payment details will be disclosed on return of the slip below. **Please also check whether he/she plays left or right handed, a good indicator is when playing 'air guitar' the handedness is the strumming hand.** Students can choose to opt out anytime and refunds are issued on a half term basis e.g. Opt out before half term, get a refund for the following half term. Opt out after half term, no refund.

Due to a limited availability, places are issued on a strictly first-come, first-served basis.

I hope this is something the children will enjoy.

Many thanks, Danny

I would like my child to attend guitar lessons:

Name of student:

Year:

Signature of Parent/Carer:

My child is Left/Right handed. (please delete as applicable)