

Instrumental tuition is offered in upper and lower strings, woodwind, brass, percussion and guitar. From September 2020, group/individual tuition will be charged as follows:

- Group lesson of 3 at £52.00 per term
- Group lesson of 2 at £68 per term
- Individual lesson (20 minutes) at £124.00 per term
- Individual lesson (30 minutes) at £178.00 per term

Group singing lessons are also available by invitation to students who participate in the choir and are free of charge. Recommended numbers will be five or six per group. Individual or shared singing lessons will be available for students working towards exams and will be charged for.

1. Rastrick High School will guarantee a minimum of 30 lessons of 20 minutes duration during a school year.
2. A regular programme of monitoring, assessment and reporting on student progress is offered. Parents will have the opportunity to meet instrumental staff at a parent's evening held in January.
3. The experience gained through playing together and performing is recognised as being of benefit for all young musicians in terms of developing their musicianship as well as their own personal skills. All students receiving instrumental/vocal tuition are expected to play/sing in the relevant school ensembles.
4. Individual instrumental tuition for one instrument will be free of charge to GCSE and A level music students. Lessons in a second instrument will be charged at the agreed rate (see below).
5. Where students are entitled to free school meals, fees may be reduced by 50%
6. Fees will payable on a termly basis prior to the start of the term.
7. The charges are fixed for the full academic year and will be reviewed annually.
8. **If a student wishes to cease instrumental lessons one full term's written notice is required.**
9. Rastrick High School instruments can be hired for £10 per term (subject to availability).
10. Lessons will take place during the school day, usually on a rota system to avoid missing the same lesson each week.