

July 2018

Ivybridge Community College Future Musicians

Our scheme for primary musicians will commence on **Wednesday, 3 October 2018**. The aim of this is to provide an opportunity for more children to participate in music and to develop their musical abilities.

We have two pathways for students wanting to be part of Ivybridge Future Musicians. It will be open to students who want to take instrumental lessons at the College during their Future Musician session, but it will also be open to those who do not want to have an individual instrumental lesson but just want to take part in the rest of the sessions.

Day: Wednesday
Times: Session 1 2:30pm – 4:00pm
Session 2 4.00pm – 5.30pm
Venue: Music Department, Ivybridge Community College

Ivybridge Future Musicians is an exciting way for students to begin learning a musical instrument, and also to begin being part of the Ivybridge Music Department. Sessions will focus on ensemble skills, rhythm, pitch, and general musical skills.

Ivybridge Future Musicians will be led by music department teachers from the College. The 90-minute session will involve a wide range of musical activities with students rotating activity for each session. If students want to learn an instrumental instrument, one of the blocks will be their instrumental lesson.

Instruments Available for tuition

At Ivybridge Future Musician sessions, we can offer tuition on;

Strings: Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass.

Brass: Trumpet, Trombone, Cornet, French Horn, Tenor Horn, Baritone Horn, Euphonium, Tuba.

Woodwind: Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Oboe, Bassoon, Recorder.

Other: Piano, keyboard, Guitar, Ukulele, Bass Guitar, Drums.

Fees

There are two pathways:

Individual Instrumental Lessons and Future Musician Fees

£315 – this includes 30 individual, 20-minute instrumental lessons on an instrument of your choice, and attendance at the Future Musician Sessions for the year.

Future Musician Fees

To just come along to the Ivybridge Future Musician sessions, the cost is £35 for the year. There are special rates for those eligible for free school meals. Last year, due to increased demand, we offered two sessions with students attending during session 1 or session 2. We will offer two sessions this year if there is the demand so please express your session preference on the form.

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Term Dates

Autumn Term	3 October 2018 10 October 2018 17 October 2018	31 October 2018 7 November 2018 14 November 2018 21 November 2018 28 November 2018 05 December 2018 12 December 2018
Spring Term	9 January 2019 16 January 2019 23 January 2019 30 January 2019 6 February 2019 13 February 2019	27 February 2019 6 March 2019 13 March 2019 20 March 2019 27 March 2019
Summer Term	24 April 2019 1 May 2019 8 May 2019 15 May 2019 22 May 2019	5 June 2019 12 June 2019 19 June 2019 26 June 2019

Payment is to be made to the Finance Office by Wednesday, 12 September 2018. Payments can be made in cash or cheques made payable to Ivybridge Community College. Payments must be received by the Finance Office and cannot be taken within the Music Department. Payment can be dropped into Millennium Reception, or posted into College (marking your envelope Finance Office). If you return your contract now but later change your mind, you may cancel your contract and receive a full refund if you contact the Finance Office by 12 September 2018.

Instruments:

For the instruments Bassoon, Oboe, French Horn, Trombone, Trumpet, Cornet, Tenor Horn, Euphonium, Tuba, Violin, Viola, Cello or Double Bass we will aim to provide an instrument for the first year of tuition. While we offer lessons in a huge range of instruments, we are particularly keen for students to learn some of the rarer instruments, and so we may be able to loan instruments free of charge to students wishing to learn one of these instruments. Where we are not able to offer a loan instrument, we are able access a special hire arrangement at a very low price from Devon County Council for any of these instruments. Please contact us on musictuition@ivybridge.devon.sch.uk for further information.

For the instruments Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Recorder, Guitar, Bass Guitar, Ukulele, Piano, Keyboard and Drums you will need to provide an instrument for your child. Woodwind instruments can be hired from Babcock LDP Music Services, a service run on behalf of Devon County Council. Please use the online form on their website at www.dmeh.org or telephone 01392 287235. Alternatively, woodwind instruments can be rented from Dawkes. They operate a scheme where part of your rental fee (after the third month) can be used towards the purchase of an instrument at a later date. Their website is www.dawkes.co.uk or you can telephone them on 01628 630 800. Other sources for renting and purchasing instruments include Michael White Musical Instruments – 020 8997 4088, Trevada Music – 01209 714353, and Normans – normans.co.uk.

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Ivybridge Community College
Annual Contract for Ivybridge Future Musicians 2018/19

- The contract is for one academic year. There are 30 Future Musician sessions per academic year and these take place on Wednesday afternoons. Your contribution to the cost of lessons is;
 - £315 for individual instrumental lessons and attendance at Ivybridge Future Musician Sessions (£60 for those eligible for free school meals).
 - £35 to attend the Ivybridge Future Musician Sessions ONLY (£6 for those eligible for free school meals).
- Ivybridge Future Musicians will start on Wednesday, 3 October 2018 and pupils will not be allowed to start lessons unless payment has been received.
- It is the parent's responsibility to provide an instrument, where applicable (although we may be able to help with the provision of brass, double-reed, or orchestrated stringed instruments). Instruments must be labelled on the outside of the case. The College accepts no responsibility for pupils' instruments even when stored at the College.
- Travel to and from the College is the responsibility of the parents/primary school and not the responsibility of the College.

Please return this contract with payment to the Finance Office by Wednesday, 12 September 2018

Pupil Name: _____ Instrument: _____

Primary School: _____ Year 5 Year 6 (as at September 2018)

Preferred Session: Session 1: 2.30pm – 4.00pm Session 2: 4.00pm to 5.30pm
(Please note that at this stage we cannot guarantee that we will run both sessions)

Name of Parent/Carer: _____

Address: _____

Contact telephone number: _____

Email address: _____

Your email address and telephone number will be given to the Instrumental Teacher to enable direct communication.

Individual Instrumental Lessons and attendance at Ivybridge Future Musician Sessions

- I enclose a cheque for £315 payable to Ivybridge Community College (write pupil name and primary school on reverse of cheque)
- I enclose a cheque for £160 payable to Ivybridge Community College and will pay the balance of £155 by 31 January 2019 (write pupil name and primary school on reverse of cheque)
- pupil is eligible for free school meals or in care, I enclose a cheque for £60 payable to Ivybridge Community College (write pupil name and primary school on reverse of cheque)

Attendance at Ivybridge Future Musician Sessions ONLY

- I enclose cash/cheque for £35 payable to Ivybridge Community College (write pupil name and primary school on reverse of cheque)
- Pupil is eligible for free school meals or in care, I enclose cash/cheque for £6 payable to Ivybridge Community College (write pupil name and primary school on reverse of cheque)

RECEIPT: Please fill in your name and address in the box below if you would like a receipt for payment.

Receipt for £_____ for Future Musician fees.

Finance Office Stamp:

Name/Address:
