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MUSIC DEPARTMENT

Dear Year 6 Pupil, Parents/Carers

This letter is to give you some information about instrumental tuition here at Reepham High School & College and some of the musical ensembles that we have.

We are currently able to offer tuition to pupils currently having lessons and those who would like to start learning for the following:-

- Voice/Singing tuition
- Violin, Viola
- Cello, Double Bass
- Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone, Oboe
- Guitar (acoustic and/or electric), Bass Guitar
- Trumpet, Cornet, Trombone, Tenor/Baritone Horn, Euphonium, Tuba
- Drum Kit, Orchestral Percussion
- Piano

The instrumental lessons take place during school time and we have visiting specialist instrumental teachers. To ensure that the pupils do not miss the same lesson each week, there is a rota system in place and the timetable is sent out to parents as well as being available on the noticeboard. To support the new pupils, we can send messages out to pupils whilst they get used to the transition from primary to secondary schools.

There are charges for lessons – more details available on request, but we think that they represent good value for money when various factors are taken into consideration, e.g. well-qualified and experienced teachers; no travelling to a teacher several miles away; the opportunity to join school and county-based ensembles and the opportunity to take external, nationally-recognised exams. We run various musical ensembles, which take place at lunchtimes or after school:

If you want to know more about music here, whether it's about instrumental lessons or our ensembles, please contact me at the school or come and see me at the Induction Evening in July.

Yours sincerely

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