

Dan Nebel, Music Lessons Policy and Contract
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Lesson Lengths, Location, and Pricing

I charge a base rate of \$40 an hour and offer ½ hour and 1-hour lessons. Lessons can occur at my home studio in Wheat Ridge, CO, at your residence, at Burns Memorial United Methodist Church in Aurora, or online via Zoom.

Lessons can be pre-purchased in 5-lesson packages (\$200 for 5 1-hour lessons, \$100 for 5 ½ hour lessons) or can be purchased individually. **I will not come to the student's house unless lessons are pre-purchased.**

If I am coming to you, please be aware that as a traveling musician, traffic may result in a late arrival; I will make up the time that I owe you at that lesson, if scheduling permits, or at a later date.

First lessons are ½ price in order to determine if the teacher-student relationship is a good fit.

Payment Methods

I accept cash (preferred), personal check, paypal, venmo, and electronic bank transfers. Payment is due before or at the time of the lesson.

Practice Expectations

I expect all students to practice assigned material daily; consistent 30 minutes of practice each and every day will yield far better results than cramming in a 2-hour practice session just before your lesson. Music should ultimately be an enjoyable experience and a lack of progress (the result of inconsistent practice) will result in a frustrating experience for both of us.

Parents are highly encouraged to attend their children's lessons and play an active role in their practice sessions.

Recital Expectations

I encourage all students to join me in presenting a piece or two on regularly scheduled studio recitals (at least annually). This is a positive, supportive experience and an easy and goal to work towards; goal-setting and performances are essential parts of developing as a musician.

Cancellation Policy

I have a minimum 24-hour notice policy for cancelling/rescheduling lessons (illness, injury, and emergencies are exceptions to this policy). Failure to adhere to this policy will result in charges for lessons that are not received and are grounds for termination of the student-teacher relationship.

Referrals

I offer 1 free lesson for each individual that you refer to me who signs up for regular lessons (so make sure that they let me know you recommended me).

COVID-19/Emergencies

I will adhere to all government rules and regulations in regards to the current COVID-19 Pandemic; if I am not feeling well or find out that I may have been exposed to the virus, I will cancel lessons and ask that you do me the same courtesy. If you and your family want me to wear a mask during your lessons, I will honor that request. Recitals are indefinitely on hold until the pandemic is over. Online lessons are also always an option.

Please indicate lesson length, location, and payment plan:

½ hour 5-lesson package \$100

1 hour 5-lesson package \$200

½ hour pay as you go (Wheat Ridge, Aurora, or online) \$20

1 hour pay as you go (Wheat Ridge, Aurora, or online) \$40

Please indicate your intended payment method:

Cash

Personal check

Paypal

Venmo

Bank payment

I have read, understand, and will adhere to the above policies.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature (if applicable): _____ Date: _____

Teacher Signature: _____ Date: _____