# **Private Lessons Agreement**

# What you can expect from me:

By enrolling your child in my studio (Dekalb County), you can be assured that he/she will be treated with respect and care. I strive to give my students individualized instruction that draws upon their inherent creativity and establishes a firm foundation in technical skills. Feel free to contact me with any questions about instrument rental/purchase options, local youth orchestra auditions/performance opportunities, and summer programs.

### What I expect of students:

Students are expected to show personal responsibility, respect, integrity, determination, and effort. Please prioritize punctuality and encourage your student to make music at home (in play and in practice) regularly. *A complete list of studio policies can be found below.* 

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#### Lesson Schedule:

Private lessons are conducted on a weekly basis for either 30 or 60 minutes. The length of the lesson will remain the same regardless of tardiness. Each student is designated an ongoing weekly time slot and is expected to attend all scheduled lessons.

#### **Cancelled Lessons:**

In the event that a lesson must be cancelled, please notify me 24 hours in advance whenever possible. I will do my best to communicate my own cancellations as far in advance as possible, and make-up lessons will be scheduled on an individual basis.

# Payment:

Rates are \$55 per hour or \$30 per half hour. An additional fee of \$15 will be added to in-home lessons to account for gas and teacher travel time. Weekly payment can be made at the beginning of each month with Venmo, Paypal, cash, or check.

## Materials:

Students will be informed of any required music or materials during their lessons. These items should be purchased by the student unless a they are borrowing a copy from me. Students may be charged with replacement costs for any lost or damaged borrowed materials.

I can't wait to work with you and your child! Please sign and date below to verify that you have read and agree to abide by the policies listed above.

| Student's signature     | <br>Date |
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| Parent's signature      | <br>Date |
| <br>Teacher's signature | <br>     |