

# Learn an instrument at school!



INSPIRE | CREATE | PERFORM

[www.musicforlife.org.uk](http://www.musicforlife.org.uk)  
[admin@musicforlife.org.uk](mailto:admin@musicforlife.org.uk)  
**01244 728 922**

Music, like language, is a fundamental part of human existence and of the societies in which we live. The opportunity to learn to play an instrument enables children to participate in an activity which many will find to be one of the most formative experiences they have as they grow up, developing an interest and a skill which opens up so many possibilities now and in later life. A bonus is that involvement in music has been shown to have a positive effect on other aspects of development - social skills, language, physical coordination and emotional development.

## Why choose Music for Life?

Music for Life offers children something special. We work in partnership with over 100 music tutors who visit 130 schools teaching 4,000 children each week from complete beginners to some of the most accomplished young musicians in the UK. Two national independent reviews of school music services rated Music for Life an "outstanding effective service" offering parents and schools "outstanding value". We have also recently been awarded not-for-profit organisation of the year, where particular mention was given to the quality of work undertaken in schools for all activities under the Music for Life banner.



## Instrumental lessons during the school day

Instrumental lessons take place during the school day, convenient for parents and meaning students become part of a wider community of young musicians in school, avoiding the isolation that can be felt when learning at home. Thousands of students take part in our extra curricular activities - workshop days, concerts and ensembles, with many taking exams. All tutors are DBS checked, and to work with Music for Life, tutors must be first class musicians and are required to meet professional performance standards.



## Instruments offered

Lessons may be available on guitar, piano, keyboard and violin (usually suitable for Year 2 or above) cello, clarinet, saxophone, flute, cornet, trombone, trumpet and euphonium (usually suitable for Year 4 or above) bass guitar, drums and singing. If we are unable to provide lessons on your first choice, we will contact you with the possibility of offering lessons on a second choice if you specify one.



## Course Fees

Specialist teaching of a musical instrument falls outside the National Curriculum, so there is a charge for lessons. This varies as some schools provide a subsidy, but up to date details of course fees for your school appear on our booking form. Music for Life offers the facility to set up a monthly subscription which makes paying for music lessons so much easier. Support with fees may be available, so please get in touch with your school for details if you are in receipt of Income Support.



## Book Lessons

Lessons can be booked online at [www.musicforlife.org.uk](http://www.musicforlife.org.uk) where you will find much more information and a simple online booking form where you can make payment in full or set up a monthly subscription via our secure booking portal. **Alternatively, please email [admin@musicforlife.org.uk](mailto:admin@musicforlife.org.uk) and we will get back to you.**

*"A big 'THANK YOU!' to Music for Life for the wonderful service and great teaching for quite a number of years!"*

*"May I take this opportunity to say how very happy and impressed we are with the level of care and motivational input given to young musicians by ALL of your staff"*

# CLICK HERE to go directly to our booking page

Deadlines for course bookings are as follows:

**31st July** to start in September  
**20th October** to start after October half term  
**21st December** to start in January  
**30th January** to start after February half term  
**31st March** to start after Easter



*"We have been extremely pleased with the service you have provided over the past 9 years. Your admin has been excellent and you have always been helpful and polite."*

[www.musicforlife.org.uk](http://www.musicforlife.org.uk)  
[admin@musicforlife.org.uk](mailto:admin@musicforlife.org.uk)  
**01244 728 922**

@Musicforlife1234

@musicforlifesch

@MusicforLifeSCH



**future talent**  
inspiring young musicians

