

Mission

The Academy of Music strives to provide quality musical instruction to the communities surrounding York County, South Carolina and to serve as a professional training lab to foster a lifelong appreciation of music.

Program FAQ

How do I register my child?

Registration can be submitted via email, through the mail or may be dropped off in the music office.

Registration forms can be found at <https://forms.gle/dhXuoYgBa9RbJxfF7>

Is there a registration fee?

Yes, only new students are required to pay a registration fee of \$50.00. This fee is due with the first installment payment at the time of registration.

What is the cost of tuition?

Tuition is based on several variables including instructor level, the length of the lesson, and the instrument of study. For full details please refer to the tuition chart of the inside panel.

How many lessons does the tuition cover?

The tuition for the Fall 2024 session covers 13 lessons.

When will my child's lessons be?

Lessons are set up between you and the instructor. Once your child has been assigned an instructor, the instructor will contact you directly to set up the lesson day and time.

Where are lessons held?

Lessons will be held in the Music Conservatory on the campus at Winthrop University.

For a full list of FAQs and policies, please see

www.winthrop.edu/cvpa/music/academy-of-music.aspx

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Instruction for

Fall 2024



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Lessons in

Guitar - Voice - Strings - Piano

Brass - Woodwinds - Percussion

We offer traditional, private weekly lessons to pre-college students. Lessons are taught by our talented team of instructors made up of University faculty, graduate students, and undergraduate music majors studying at Winthrop. All University faculty and graduate students hold degrees in their instrument, and have previous teaching experience. Our undergraduate student instructors are majors in the field in which they teach. These students are carefully selected by their professors to teach in the Academy program, and are supervised by the administration and faculty.

Private Lessons in:

Guitar

Piano

Composition

Strings

- Violin/Viola
- Cello/Bass

Brass

- Trumpet*
- Horn*
- Trombone
- Euphonium*
- Tuba*

Woodwinds

- Flute*
- Clarinet*
- Oboe*
- Bassoon*
- Saxophone*

Percussion

(Examples)

- Snare
- Marimba
- Drum Set
- Other*

*Lessons in every instrument may not be available each semester. If an instructor can not be secured by the beginning of the semester, a full refund will be offered, and the student will be placed on a waiting list.

TUITION RATES

Payment plan available

Tuition is based on the instrument of study, the length of the lesson, and the experience level of the instructor.

TUITION RATES

Undergraduate Instructor (dependent on availability)	Fee	Payments
30 minute private lesson	\$342	\$85.50 ea.
45 minute private lesson	\$462	\$115.50 ea.

Graduate Instructor (Piano Only)

30 minute private lesson	\$420	\$105
45 minute private lesson	\$540	\$135

University Faculty

30 minute private lesson	\$690	\$172.50 ea.
45 minute private lesson	\$840	\$210 ea.
60 minute private lesson	\$1,020	\$255 ea.



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FALL 2024 CALENDAR

Fall Session (13 Weeks)

FALL SESSION BEGINS the week of August 26th.

Sept. 2nd	Labor Day (closed)
Oct. 11th-14th	Fall Break (closed)
Nov. 27th-29th	Thanksgiving (closed)
Nov. 29th	End of fall session
Dec. 8th	Academy Recital (3:00)

Payment Plan

The first payment is due with registration. The remaining payments are due on the 16th of each succeeding month (Sept, Oct, Nov). Credit card payments may be paid online https://secure.touchnet.com/C20256_ustores/web/index.jsp or a check may be dropped in the brown lockbox outside of the music office.

Withdrawal/Refund Policy

No full refunds will be made after September 6th 2024. If a request for a refund is made before lessons officially begin, a full refund minus a \$25.00 processing fee will be granted. If a request for a refund is made after the official start of the semester, it is the responsibility of the student, parent, and/or legal guardian to pay the \$25.00 processing fee in addition to the tuition for the remainder of the month.

Make-up Policy

If the student must miss a lesson, the instructor should be contacted at least 24 hours in advance of the scheduled lesson. With proper notification, instructors will make up lessons missed when possible, however they are *not* required to make-up more than one missed lesson caused by the student's absence.