

DACAPO MUSIC SCHOOL



Terms & Conditions

Welcome

At DaCapo Music School, we believe that learning music is a wonderful opportunity for creativity, self-expression and personal growth. Our goal is to make every lesson enjoyable while helping each student develop the skills and confidence needed to achieve their musical goals.

We appreciate your support and ask that you take a few moments to read through the following terms and conditions so that you understand how our lessons are structured and how we operate.

Lessons Offered

- Piano Lessons
 - Guitar Lessons
 - Violin Lessons
 - Music Theory Lessons
 - Upbeat Music Appreciation Classes for children under 6 years of age
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School Terms, Holidays & Public Holidays

DaCapo Music School follows the South African Government School Calendar.

Lessons take place during official school terms and do not take place during school holidays or on South African public holidays.

Current term dates will be communicated to students and parents at the beginning of each academic year.

Annual Concert

DaCapo Music School hosts an annual concert each year, typically during the month of May. Participation is encouraged as it provides students with a valuable opportunity to perform, build confidence and celebrate their musical progress with family and friends.

Registration Fee

A non-refundable annual registration fee of **R100** per student is payable at the beginning of each year. This fee contributes towards administration costs.

Attendance & Missed Lessons

Your weekly lesson slot is reserved exclusively for you.

If you are unable to attend a lesson, please notify us at least 24 hours in advance. Lessons cancelled with a minimum of 24 hours' notice will qualify for a replacement lesson, which will be arranged at a mutually suitable time where possible.

Each student may receive a maximum of two replacement lessons per school term.

Once this limit has been reached, any further missed lessons during that term will unfortunately be forfeited, even if sufficient notice is given.

Lessons cancelled with less than 24 hours' notice, as well as missed lessons where no notice is given, will be forfeited and will not qualify for a replacement lesson.

Replacement lessons may not be carried forward to the following term and have no cash value.

If a teacher is unable to conduct a lesson, a suitable replacement lesson will always be arranged. These lessons will not count towards the replacement lesson limit.

While every effort will be made to schedule replacement lessons, availability will depend on the teacher's timetable.

Discontinuing Lessons

Students paying via Monthly Instalments (Option 1) are required to provide one full calendar month's written notice should they wish to discontinue lessons.

Students paying via Termly Payments (Option 2) are required to provide one full school term's written notice.

Notice periods apply regardless of lesson attendance during that period.

Books, Exams & Equipment

Lesson fees do not include music books, examination fees, instruments, accessories and equipment required for lessons. These costs remain the responsibility of the student.

Recommended Lesson Frequency

Students working at approximately Grade 2 level and above are strongly encouraged to take two half-hour lessons per week to support consistent progress.

Payments

All fees are payable in advance according to the payment option selected.

Monthly payments are due on the 1st day of each month.

Termly payments are due on the 1st day of the first month of each term.

Payments must be made via EFT.

Please email proof of payment to: mom@dacapomusicschool.co.za

Please use the student's surname as the payment reference where possible.

Banking Details

Bank	Standard Bank
Account Name	DaCapo Music School
Account Number	200582313
Branch	Cresta Branch

Fee Schedule

Registration Fee

R100 per student (non-refundable annual registration fee)

Piano, Guitar, Violin and Theory Lessons

Option 1 - Monthly Instalments

- 1 half-hour slot: R800
- 2nd and 3rd half-hour slot: R720 each
- 4th and additional half-hour slots: R640 each

Option 2 - Termly Payments

- 1 half-hour slot: R2 400
- 2nd and 3rd half-hour slot: R2 160 each
- 4th and additional half-hour slots: R1 920 each

Upbeat Music Appreciation Classes

Option 1 - Monthly Instalments

- 1 half-hour slot: R650
- 2nd and 3rd half-hour slot: R585 each
- 4th and additional half-hour slots: R520 each

Option 2 - Termly Payments

- 1 half-hour slot: R1 950
- 2nd and 3rd half-hour slot: R1 755 each
- 4th and additional half-hour slots: R1 560 each