# Cedar Heights Music Academy – Music Lesson Agreement

Hello and welcome! I'm excited to begin (or continue) lessons together. This agreement helps set clear expectations so everything runs smoothly.

#### **Lesson Fees**

- Tuition is \$125/month, plus the cost of books and music as needed.
- The monthly fee is the same each month, calculated by averaging the total number of lessons across the year and dividing them evenly.
- Parents may purchase books and music themselves, or I can purchase them and add the cost to the next monthly bill.
- All payments are made through the website and are due on the **first of each month**.

## **Semesters & Scheduling**

- Fall Semester: First week of September last week of school before Christmas break.
- Winter Semester: First week of January last week of school before Spring Break.
- **Spring Semester:** First week after Spring Break last week of school before Summer Break.
- Lessons will not be held on statutory holidays or school breaks. ProD days in the school district are still lesson days.

# **Withdrawal Policy**

- If you plan to discontinue lessons, at least 2 weeks' notice before the end of a semester is required.
- If more than 2 weeks' notice is given, tuition is owed until the end of the current semester.
- If less than 2 weeks' notice is given, tuition is owed until the end of the following semester.

## **Cancellations & Make-Up Lessons**

- If you need to cancel a lesson, please give as much notice as possible.
- Tuition secures your time slot and is still owed regardless of absences.
- The last week of each semester is reserved for make-up lessons (for lessons missed by either the student or the teacher).
- If the teacher misses more than one lesson in a semester, one month's tuition will be adjusted to account for the absences.
- If lessons are canceled due to snow/weather, one month's tuition will also be adjusted.

### **Studio Guidelines**

- Students and parents are expected to treat the studio space and property with respect and care.
- Parents are welcome to sit in on lessons inside the studio.
- If not attending the lesson, parents are welcome to wait in their vehicles.
- Please note: there is no waiting area inside the home other than the lesson room itself.

#### Communication

• Parents can reach me at kaeden@cedarheightsmusicacademy.com.

### Agreement

By continuing lessons, you agree to the above policies. If you have any concerns or would like to make changes, please let me know within **3 business days** of receiving this agreement.

Thank you, and I look forward to making music together!

– Kaeden Ottenbreit

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