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To: All Parents/Carers of pupils in East Lothian Primary and Secondary Schools

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Instrumental Music Instruction

Further to my letter of 18 June 2018, I am pleased to inform you that registration is now open for pupils who were in receipt of Instrumental Music Instruction last school session and who now want to continue to receive tuition under the new payment scheme this school session, 2018/19.

As previously stated, a new charging policy has been introduced from this school session with the full charge being £280 per annum. A number of concessions also apply:

- Free tuition for families that are eligible for Free School Meals and/or Clothing Grant
- A concessionary rate for families who are on low income and not eligible for Free School Meals/or Clothing Grant
- Free tuition for students using their tutored instrument in Instrumental Music Instruction towards an SQA qualification in secondary years S4-S6
- Free tuition for pupils who are Looked After Children within the East Lothian Council's Social Care system
- A discount will apply if there is more than one child in the family taking tuition.

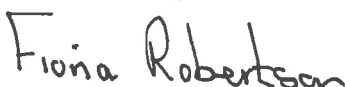
Further information on the service and how to register can be found online at:

www.eastlothian.gov.uk/musictuition

Registration should be completed as soon as possible if you wish your child(ren) to continue to receive tuition and in any event, by no later than Wednesday 5 September 2018.

For pupils who want to engage in the service for the first time, please complete the relevant application form which will be available from the Instrumental Music Instructor at your school. The information is also available through the school office. I have also included a list of Frequently Answered Questions which I hope is of use to you.

Yours sincerely,



Fiona Robertson
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