



**Hordle Primary School Keyboard/Piano Lessons**

If you would like your child to have lessons, they will need to have their own keyboard or piano for regular practise at home. If you need to purchase a Keyboard, I recommend a 'touch sensitive' type as the keys are weighted like a piano for a much better sound and allow the player to change volume by touch and create expression. This is not compulsory though and pupils can still achieve good musical skills with a more basic sort. However, it is important to use keyboards with full size keys! A good value model is the Yamaha PSRE35 but there are plenty of cheaper options and new models frequently become available.

I can supply them with a Keyboard Skills Booklet for practise at home and to be brought to the lesson. Alternatively, if you would prefer your child to use a more traditional piano method, I would recommend a piano tutor book: 'Tunes for 10 fingers' by Pauline Hall - £6:95 for Year 1- 4 pupils or 'Piano Time 1' by Pauline Hall - £8:50 for older pupils. If your child has already started learning, please ask them to bring any music they already have to the first lesson.

Lesson times vary and can be discussed to find a mutually suitable time, before, during or after school. If more convenient, I also teach lessons at my house, a 5 minute walk from school in Woodcock Lane. If preferred, these can be 30-minute long. (£15)

Cost of individual 20 minute weekly lesson = **£10**

- Termly fees are payable by the first lesson of each term. Invoices will be sent out prior to this date.
- Termly fees are not refundable
- Fees for lessons missed through a pupil's absence from school are not refundable.
- Lessons missed through absence of the teacher will be re-arranged.
- Lessons missed because of pupil's participation in a curriculum related activity will be re-arranged, if I have been notified in advance.

If you would like your child to have Keyboard/ Piano lessons, please complete the attached form and return to the School Office or contact me directly.

Please feel free to contact me if you would like further advice.

Kind Regards  
Louise Tubb

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I would like my child to have **Keyboard lessons - (shared / individual)** (please circle)

Name of Child .....Class.....

Parent / Guardian.....

Tel.....email.....

