

JWT/SCK

12th July 2023

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re. Instrumental/Vocal Lessons for Year 10 BTEC Tech Award in Music Practice

As your child has opted to study Music in Year 10 and 11, I am writing to you regarding instrumental/vocal lessons. In order to be successful in this course, students must be able to play an instrument or sing to a competent standard. The best way to achieve this is through specialist one-to-one tuition combined with regular daily practice at home. We would expect all BTEC Music students to be having lessons with Herts Music Service or a suitable alternative private provider.

TAA are pleased to be able to offer a generous school subsidy to Year 10 BTEC Music students having lessons through Herts Music Service. With the 50% school subsidy, 20 minute lessons will cost £88.00 per term and 30 minute lessons will cost £176.00 per term. Students will have an average of 11 lessons per term (33 per year).

If your child is already having lessons with Herts Music Service you do not need to do anything. The discount will automatically be applied in September 2023 and lessons will continue as normal.

If your child is not currently having lessons with Herts Music Service and you would like to sign up please click on this [link](#). It is best to do so as soon as possible before the end of term in order to guarantee lessons starting straight away in September.

To apply for further financial support in addition to the TAA subsidy please click on this [link](#).

I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for supporting your child's musical education and wish them every success in their BTEC Music Tech Award qualification.

Yours faithfully

Mr J Wright

Head of Music