

TO ALL PARENTS OF CHILDREN STARTING MUSIC 2022-2023

Dear Parent/Guardian

2 September 2022

Congratulations! Your child will be learning a musical instrument. These first steps are an exciting time for everyone involved – pupil, parent and teacher, but there may be many questions you would like to ask in relation to this provision.

In order to help parents and pupils begin this musical journey with confidence I have arranged a series of “*New Start*” evenings, which will be held in 3 centres:

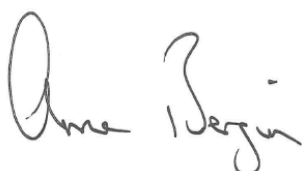
Area	Date	Time	Venue
Omagh/Strabane	Monday 12 September 2022	6.00 pm	Omagh Academy GS
Derry/Limavady	Wednesday 14 September 2022	6.00 pm	Foyle College, Limavady Road
Enniskillen	Thursday 15 September 2022	6.00 pm	Mount Lourdes Grammar School (Main Assembly Hall via Belmore Street)

The format for each evening will be simple and informal. It will begin with an opportunity for you and your child to introduce yourselves to the tutors, followed by a demonstration recital by the instrumental staff (***children should sit at the front of the hall, their instrument is not required***). Please note the commencement times for each session, which will last approximately 1 hour.

Please avail of this opportunity, as we in the Western Region Music Service believe that it will contribute positively to your child’s musical experience and future progress.

I look forward to seeing you at one of our evenings.

Yours sincerely



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