



## **CUPERTINO: PRIVATE MUSIC LESSON RATES & POLICY**

### **FLAT-RATE MONTHLY TUITION:\***

~ Best Deal ~

- 30 minute lessons: **\$265.00** per month
  - 45 minute lessons: **\$325.00** per month
  - 60 minute lessons: **\$375.00** per month
  - 90 minute lessons: **\$495.00** per month
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- Add a family member to the private lesson for an additional \$125 per month for 60-minute lessons
  - Add a family member to the private lesson for an additional \$175 per month for 90-minute lessons
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### **HALF-MONTH TUITION = 2 lessons per month:**

Both lessons must be scheduled within the month you are paying for. Contact the Office Manager for scheduling.

- Two, 30 minute lessons: **\$150.00** per month
  - Two, 45 minute lessons: **\$175.00** per month
  - Two, 60 minute lessons: **\$210.00** per month (\$65 per additional member)
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### **ONE-TIME “SPOT” LESSON = 1 lesson:**

- One, 30 minute lesson: **\$80.00**
  - One, 45 minute lesson: **\$95.00**
  - One, 60 minute lesson: **\$110.00** (\$35 per additional member)
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### **\*ABOUT FLAT-RATE MONTHLY TUITION:**

The “flat-rate monthly tuition” is a set monthly price regardless if a month has 3, 4 or 5 weeks/lessons in it. Regardless of holidays or how long the month is, “the flat-rate monthly tuition” stays the same all **12 months**.

- BNM will be **CLOSED** on all major Holidays and break-weeks. (see last page for details)
- You will be sent a monthly invoice via email on the 20th of every month.
- Your invoice, which is for classes in the coming month, is due on the 25th of every month.

**Invoice emailed on the 20th of each month are due in advance on the 25th for the following month:**

- A 10-day grace period starting on the 25th of each month - If payment is not received within 10-days of the due date, a \$25 late fee may be added to your invoice. We would like to avoid this as much as possible!

*Thank you for your prompt payment!*

***MAKE-UP LESSONS & RESCHEDULING POLICY:***

You pay in advance for a set schedule, but we realize that sometimes you may need to reschedule a lesson or two.

- **Reschedules:** Reschedules are for future lessons that need to be changed due to foreseeable events coming up in your schedule; therefore you need to reschedule the lesson or lessons; i.e. a doctor’s appt or short trip away.
  - **You must give us a minimum 24-hour notice to be considered for a rescheduled lesson\***  
*\*Unfortunately, without a 24-hour notice, the lesson will be forfeited.*

- **Make-ups:** Makeups are for lessons that a student was unable to attend due to illness or family emergency.
  - A 24-hour notice is not required but same-day notice *is* required so we can inform our teachers.
  - Due to the limitations of our teachers’ availability and room openings, makeups are limited to:

**1 makeup per 60 days.** If a make-up isn’t scheduled within 60 days of the originally scheduled lesson, that lesson is forfeited.

- To reschedule or request a make-up, you must contact the Office Manager at 408-828-2735 or by email: [jerbear@benaturalmusic.live](mailto:jerbear@benaturalmusic.live)
- If your teacher has to miss a lesson due to sickness or for any other reason, BNM will reschedule the missed lesson. If that’s not possible, a credit may be issued to your billing for the following month.
- **BNM Holidays & scheduled break-weeks are not subject to reschedules.** (See last page)

***GOING ON VACATION; NEED TO HOLD YOUR SPOT WHILE YOU’RE GONE?***

- If you leave for more than 2 weeks, you can pay 50% of the tuition *per month* to save your scheduled spot. Without a 50% payment, we cannot guarantee your regular scheduled spot and you will have to contact us for openings when you return.

***30-DAY NOTICE BEFORE DISCONTINUING LESSONS:***

- Be Natural Music **requires a 30-day written notice** if you are planning on discontinuing lessons.
  - Please email us at [jerbear@benaturalmusic.live](mailto:jerbear@benaturalmusic.live) or text the Office Manager @ (408) 828-2735

***FORMS OF PAYMENT ACCEPTED:***

**Cash, Check, payment through Invoice, Paypal\*, Credit/Debit Cards\***

***\*Please add \$5 when paying by Paypal or Credit Card to cover convenience fee***

**Mail your check to:**

*Be Natural Music*  
20009 Stevens Creek Blvd  
Cupertino, California 95014

---> You can pay online through the **invoice** we email you

---> We accept Credit/Debit Cards at our studio

---> We accept **Paypal:** [billing@benaturalmusic.live](mailto:billing@benaturalmusic.live)

\*Please note who you are paying for (student’s name)\*

I have read and understood the terms and conditions stated above for the Be Natural Music - Private Music Lesson Policy & Rates. By signing below, I agree to these terms and conditions.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

~BNM Private Lesson Policy 2022~

\*Disclaimer: Be Natural Music’s Policy is subject to change at any time.

## ***CHECK OUT OUR WEBSITE & SOCIAL MEDIA:***



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## **Things all students need for their lesson:**

- A 3-ring binder (& sheet protectors)
- A metronome

For **GUITAR** and **BASS** students, you will need the following:

- Picks (medium / heavy for rock guitarists & thin for country/folk guitarists)
- Guitar / Bass tuner
- Practice Amplifier (+ 1 to 2 cables)
- Melbay Book 1 may be required for your lessons (ask your teacher)
- Instrument case, Guitar strap & Guitar Strings (9 gauge) + peg winder

For beginning **PIANO / KEYBOARD** students, you *may* need the following:

- Schaum Pre – A (The green horizontal book)
- Schaum book – Book A (The vertical red book)
- The Hanon – Boogie Woogie Book
- The Hanon – Blues Book

For **DRUM** students, you will need the following:

- Drum sticks & Drum pad
- At-home drum kit or electric drum kit for practice
- Drum book (ask teacher)

## **Good Practice Habits for ALL Students:**

- 15 - 30 minutes a day for practice for 5 days a week is recommended for each student
- \*\*It's always better to practice a little every day, then for a longer period once a week\*\***

We greatly appreciate you hiring *Be Natural Music* for your music instruction!  
Feel free to contact us anytime: (408) 828-2735 / Email: [jerbear@benaturalmusic.live](mailto:jerbear@benaturalmusic.live)

**~ 2022 BNM School Year Schedule ~**  
**No classes on the following Holidays & Break-Weeks:**  
**Holidays & Break-Weeks are not eligible for rescheduling**

- **Winter Break 2021: December 22, 2021 - January 2, 2022**
- **Private Lessons start: January 3**
- **RRB Classes start: January 10**
- **Martin Luther King Day: January 17**
- **President's Day: February 21**
- **Spring Break: April 19 - 23 (*Tuesday - Saturday ONLY*)**
- **Memorial Day: May 30**
- **Summer Break: July 4 - July 9**
- **Labor Day: September 5**
- **Indigenous Peoples' Day: October 10**
- **Veteran's Day: November 11**
- **Thanksgiving Break: November 22 - 26 (*Tuesday - Saturday ONLY*)**
- **Last day of BNM classes: December 21**
- **Winter Break 2022: December 22, 2022 - January 4, 2023**

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