



SANTA CRUZ: PRIVATE MUSIC LESSON RATES & POLICY

FLAT-RATE MONTHLY TUITION:*

~ Best Deal ~

- 30 minute lessons: **\$230.00** per month
 - 45 minute lessons: **\$280.00** per month
 - 60 minute lessons: **\$325.00** per month
 - 90 minute lessons: **\$475.00** per month
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- Add a family member to the private lesson for an additional \$100 per month for 60-minute lessons
 - Add a family member to the private lesson for an additional \$150 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: **\$125.00** per month
 - Two, 45 minute lessons: **\$150.00** per month
 - Two, 60 minute lessons: **\$175.00** per month (\$50 per additional member)
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ONE-TIME “SPOT” LESSON = 1 lesson:

- One, 30 minute lesson: **\$65.00**
 - One, 45 minute lesson: **\$80.00**
 - One, 60 minute lesson: **\$95.00** (\$25 per additional member)
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***ABOUT FLAT-RATE MONTHLY TUITION:**

The “flat-rate monthly tuition” is a set 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.

Invoices 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 831-515-8369 or by email: info@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 hold 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 info@benaturalmusic.live or text the Office Manager @ (831) 515-8369

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

PO Box 2057

Santa Cruz, California 95063

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

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

---> We accept **Paypal:** payments@benaturalmusic.live

Please note who you are paying for

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 _____

PRINT STUDENT'S NAME HERE _____

~BNM Private Lesson Policy 2022~

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

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www.benaturalmusic.live



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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: (831) 515-8369 / Email: info@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 5 - 8 (*Tuesday - Friday ONLY*)
- **Memorial Day**: May 30
- **Summer Break**: July 4 - July 8
- **Labor Day**: September 5
- **Indigenous Peoples' Day**: October 10
- **Veterans Day**: November 11
- **Thanksgiving Break**: November 22 - 25 (*Tuesday - Friday ONLY*)
- **Last day of BNM classes**: December 21
- **Winter Break 2022**: December 22, 2022 - January 4, 2023

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