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MUSIC LESSON EXPECTATIONS

TEACHER RESPONSIBILITIES

I will:

- ◇ Help students succeed in reaching their musical goals.
- ◇ Provide a professional environment that is conducive to learning and music-making.
- ◇ Teach students how to practice effectively and to be independent learners.
- ◇ Arrange performance opportunities in the form of studio recitals, when possible.
- ◇ Teach music theory, musicianship, proper instrument technique and skills and repertoire.
- ◇ Teach to the individual before me, adjusting to needs, strengths, and weaknesses of the student.
- ◇ Provide a wholesome, encouraging atmosphere that will help the student overcome frustrations and any challenges.
- ◇ Have open communication with the parent to exchange ideas, thoughts, and concerns.

Signed:_____ Date:_____

PARENT RESPONSIBILITIES

I will:

- ◇ Get my child to scheduled lessons on time.
- ◇ Pay for lessons monthly in a timely manner.
- ◇ Provide a proper instrument for my child to practice on daily.
- ◇ Help my child find practice time **daily**, free from interruptions, distractions, and other commitments.
- ◇ Sit down with my child, if needed, and help them practice (younger ages especially)
- ◇ Encourage my child in their practicing and musical endeavors. Offer a lot of praise!
- ◇ Provide opportunities to expose my child and listen to great music (including classical) in the car, at home, etc.
- ◇ Communicate well with the teacher so you both have a mutual understanding of where the student is at, and what is needed to help the student grow.

Signed:_____ Date:_____

STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

I will:

- ◇ Arrive at my lesson on time with books, assignment notebook, any other supplies, and clipped fingernails (if appropriate).
- ◇ Come with a good attitude and be willing to try new things, even if they're hard.
- ◇ Find a consistent time in my daily routine to practice my lessons faithfully and carefully.
- ◇ Practice with intention every day, with good instrument technique and using ideas & strategies as explained by my teacher.
- ◇ Read my assignments each week and practice everything assigned. Complete any weekly theory or other written assignments before my next lesson.
- ◇ Be a good listener at each lesson, and not play instrument at inappropriate times (ie. when your teacher is giving instruction).

◇ Communicate respectfully to the teacher your victories and challenges.

Signed:_____ Date:_____