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Dear Parent/Carer

INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS

From September 2023 we are hoping to make instrumental lessons available to all pupils. This could be an opportunity for those who started to learn an instrument at primary school to pick this up again, or for others to try something new.

The benefits of learning a musical instrument are well documented; pupils will develop their confidence, patience, and creative skills.

The instruments we can offer are:

- Piano / Keyboard
- Guitar (Electric or Acoustic)
- Voice
- Drum kit
- Violin
- Flute
- Saxophone
- Clarinet

These are the instruments we currently have available in school. Lessons on other instruments are also available, but these would need to be hired from the music service, unless your child already has their own instrument. Lessons will take place on a rota basis, during school time. Pupils will need to be committed to attending lessons, as well as practising at home.

There will be a cost, but we will not know exactly how much until we have an idea of numbers.

If you would like to take up this opportunity for your child, or would like any further information, please complete the form below and return it to Student Services or email me, before Friday 30 June 2023.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me on jshirley@newman.cumbria.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Shirley

Mrs Shirley
Teacher of Music

**EXPRESSION OF INTEREST
INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS**

Pupil name: Form Group:

Instrument:

Please return to Mrs Shirley, Music teacher or Student Services by Friday 30 June 2023.

