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Bolton Music Service

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Bolton Music Service's '**Music Service Direct**' scheme teaches the specialised skills which children need to develop their musical potential. If you sign up for **Piano/Keyboard** lessons at **Sacred Heart R.C. Primary School**, your child will receive:

- A weekly 20 minute lesson in school on their own or shared with a maximum of two other pupils.
- The chance to hire a musical instrument for a small additional monthly payment.
- The chance to become a member of Bolton Music Centre - where your child can join bands, choirs and orchestras each week according to their instrument and standard. There are many groups and ensembles, catering for different ability levels, at Bolton Music Centre. When your son/daughter is ready, their teacher will recommend joining a group. Playing in an ensemble with others is both musically rewarding and great fun!
- An opportunity to be entered for Trinity music examinations (Grades 1-8).
- For Parents/Carers, the opportunity to combine payments into one monthly Direct Debit over 9 months.

How to Register

You will need to register for lessons on-line via the Bolton section of the GM Music Hub website. To reserve your child's place on the 'Music Service Direct' programme, please go to www.gmmusichub.co.uk/bolton and visit the 'instrumental and vocal lessons page'. Please contact our office on 01204 333533 if you have any questions about the scheme.

Chief Executive **Tony Oakman**

Music Service Direct (MSD) Charges 2020/2021

MSD includes weekly music lessons in school provided by specialist teachers from Bolton Music Service. As a member of Bolton Music Service, your child will be encouraged to:

- practise their instrument regularly
- take part in ensembles and concerts
- take music exams when they have reached the required level
- be part of a wide network of young musicians in the Bolton and wider area

Weekly Music Lessons Cost

	Without Instrument Hire <i>(Monthly cost over 9 Months)</i>	With Instrument Hire <i>(Monthly cost over 9 Months)</i>
■ Weekly shared lesson in school, 2 or 3 pupils (20 mins)	£22	£29
■ Weekly individual lesson in school (20 mins)	£44	£51

Bolton Music Service offers a wide range of tuition on most orchestral instruments as well as guitar, piano and voice. See www.gmmusichub.co.uk/bolton for more information. There are many benefits; social and academic, gained by learning to play an instrument and it is a skill which will then stay with your child for life.

If you have any further questions about this opportunity then please do not hesitate to contact us.

Thank you

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