



# EDGEMEAD PRIMARY SCHOOL

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## APPLICATION FOR CLASSICAL GUITAR TUITION 2018

**Date of Application:**

Pupil's surname \_\_\_\_\_ First name \_\_\_\_\_

School Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher \_\_\_\_\_ in 20 \_\_\_\_\_

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Instruments played by the applicant:

Instrument	Duration	Teacher	Grade	Last exam & result

Further information that might affect this application:

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**For 2018 the fee structure is as follows:**

**GUITAR TUITION: R1 100 per term (30 minutes tuition per week)**

**THEORY CLASSES – GRADE 1 & 2 in Music: - R120 per term (from Step 3/Grade1 practical)**

**MUSIC DEPARTMENT REQUIREMENTS - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

- Applicants may only be accepted if their **school fees are paid up to date**.
- All applicants are required to do an **aptitude test**. Parents will then be advised as to whether or not their child is eligible to be accommodated in the Music Department.
- Pupils will be chosen on merit and successful applicants will start tuition as soon as there is a vacancy.
- If there are no vacancies, parents will be advised that their child has been placed on the **waiting list**.
- All new pupils will be on a **trial period of 6 months**. **Progress reports** will be sent to parents **regularly**. Continuation of tuition is dependent on progress.
- Pupils from **Grades 3-7** are generally taught during school hours.
- **Grade 2** pupils are taught after their school day.
- Pupils may only study **one instrument, or voice, during school hours**.
- Pupils are required to own a suitable guitar, as they are required to practice daily. The guitar teacher will advise you on what type, make and size guitar your child will require.
- **Please do not purchase an instrument without the advice of the guitar teacher.**
- Pupils are required to **practise daily**.
- Pupils are required to **attend all lessons**, unless absent from school.
- Pupils are required to attend **Theory classes** when they reach Step 3/Grade 1 practical level. Parents will be advised as to when their child should join these classes. **Beginner theory** is taught during the practical lessons.
- **Fees** are set per term and not per lesson. **Music fees are payable in advance**, at the beginning of each term. If fees are not paid within the first 2 weeks of the term, lessons will be suspended until such time that the fees are settled.
- A **full term's notice, in writing**, must be given if lessons are to be terminated. Please complete a **Discontinuation Form** - available from the music teachers.
- **Music fees may be paid by debit order.**
- External Examination and Eisteddfod fees must be paid separately.
- Parents are required to purchase all the necessary music tuition books, before lessons commence.

I, Mr/Mrs \_\_\_\_\_, parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, agree to comply with the Music Department Requirements if my child is accepted.

Parent's signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO MISS DUNN**

**PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE**

**Circle ALL characteristics that describe your child**

Shy                      Aggressive                      Talkative                      Sociable                      Thoughtful

Argumentative                      Bossy                      Whines                      Talks back                      Leader

Cries easily                      Entertains self                      Enjoys reading                      Enjoys Maths

Likes to draw and paint                      Enjoys manual toys and activities

**Circle what most closely describes you child’s learning and work habits**

Perfection-Seeking                      Hurried                      Meticulous                      Imaginative

Number of hours your child watches TV each day. \_\_\_\_\_

Number of hours your child uses the computer each day. \_\_\_\_\_

List any special interests and hobbies of your child.

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- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

List your child’s other extramural activities.

- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Does the family participate in other musical activities? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, state what. \_\_\_\_\_

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If your child has had any previous musical instruction, please describe it.

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Describe how your child exhibited an interest in music and singing.

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How long will your child be able to practise each day? \_\_\_\_\_

How long will you, as parent, be able to help your child practise each day? \_\_\_\_\_

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