

# Music School Timetable - 2023/2024

New members are always welcome at our music groups, ensembles and choirs.

Speak to your music teacher or contact us to ask which group is best for your child.

For more info about each group visit: [wfmusiclub.org/music-groups](http://wfmusiclub.org/music-groups)

Group times are subject to change—please check times when booking.

<b>Monday Groups at Walthamstow School for Girls, Church Hill E17 9RZ</b>		
Activity	Age or standard	Day and Time
Debut Guitar Group	Members should have basic technique (be able to fret notes) or have started guitar lessons.	Monday 4.00pm - 4.45pm
Improver's Guitar Group	Grade 1 + (for guitarists who can read some tab and play basic chords)	Monday 4.30pm - 5.30pm
Beats and Bass Music Production	Age 11 to 16	Monday 4.15pm - 5.15pm
Junior Funksters	Beginner to Grade 2	Monday 5.45pm - 6.30pm
Funk in the Forest	Grade 3 +	Monday 6.30pm - 7.30pm
ROCKIT! Rock/pop band (guitar, bass, kit, keys, voice)	Grade 2 +	Monday 6.00pm - 7.30pm
<b>Wednesday Groups at Walthamstow School for Girls</b>		
Waltham Forest Youth Choir	Age 11 to 18	Wednesday 4.00pm - 5.00pm
Wind Band	Grades 1 to 4	Wednesday 4.30pm - 5.15pm
Brass Group	Beginner to Grade 1	Wednesday 4.30pm - 5.15pm
Strings Group	Beginners (who can confidently use three fingers) to Grade 3	Wednesday 5.30pm - 6.30pm
Youth Chamber Orchestra	Grade 4+	Wednesday 6.30pm - 8.00pm
<b>Saturday Groups at Walthamstow School for Girls</b>		
Beginner Mixed Ensemble	Beginner to Grade 2	Saturday 9.00am - 9.45am
Mini Musicians Next Steps	Age 4 to 6	Saturday 9.15am - 10.15am
Mini Choir of Joy	Age 5 to 7	Saturday 10.30am - 11.30am
Little Choir of Joy	Age 8 to 12	Saturday 11.45am - 12.45pm
<b>Instrumental and Vocal Individual Lessons at Walthamstow School for Girls</b>		
Various instruments including: Piano, guitar, violin, viola, cello, flute, saxophone, clarinet, oboe, cornet, trumpet, trombone, drum kit and voice.	20 or 30 minute individual lessons from beginner to advanced levels	Monday to Thursday from 4.00pm Saturday from 9.00am
Music production paired lessons	For students at exam level	Contact us for availability
<b>Instrumental and Vocal Individual Lessons at Chingford C of E Junior Site, Cambridge Road E4 7BP</b>		
Guitar, drum kit, cello, voice	20 or 30 minute individual lessons from beginner to advanced levels	Wednesday from 4.00pm
<b>Music Theory Groups at Walthamstow School for Girls</b>		
Our 30 minute theory group classes teach pupils about the language of music including the elements of notation, key signatures, time signatures and rhythmic notation.	Beginner, Grades 1-3	Monday 4.30pm - 5.00pm
	Grades 4 & 5	Monday 5.00pm - 5.30pm
	Grades 1-5	Saturday 11.30am-12pm
<b>Mini Musicians Baby and Toddler Courses at the Community Hub, Orford Road E17 9LN</b>		
Baby & Toddler Mini Musicians	From birth to 4 years	Friday mornings. For times & availability visit <a href="http://wfmusiclub.org">wfmusiclub.org</a>

# Music School Fees and Term Dates 2023-24

Activity fees	Price per 10 week term
Individual lessons 20 minutes	£158 / £118 low income*
Individual lessons 30 minutes	£236 / £177 low income*
Adult lessons 30 minutes	£270 (£54 per hour)
Instrument hire	£26/ £13 low income*
Music School Membership <i>Students can join one or more group/choir for this fee</i>	£36 / £18 low income*
Theory lessons (30 minute group lesson)	£47 / £36 low income*
Mini Musicians babies and toddlers (birth to 4 years)	£84 (first child) / £68 (second child)
Mini Musicians Next Steps (age 4 to 6 years)	£84 / £42 low income*
<p>* <b>Subsidised fees are available for families on a low income who qualify for school Pupil Premium grants.</b> To receive the Music School fee subsidy for the next academic year please email evidence of your eligibility for Pupil Premium such as copies of your Universal Credit Statement showing housing benefit or reduced Council Tax to the <a href="#">Music Service office</a>. Please note: <b>Evidence must be submitted for each academic year;</b> The Council Tax single occupancy 25% discount and Universal Free School Meals doesn't apply.</p>	

How to book and pay	
Register for 1-2-1 lessons Pay for 1-2-1 lessons and instrument hire	<a href="http://wfmusicub.org/signup">wfmusicub.org/signup</a> <a href="http://wfmusicub.org/pay-online">wfmusicub.org/pay-online</a>
Register for Music School Groups on Eventbrite Pay for Music School Groups	<a href="http://wfms.eventbrite.com/">http://wfms.eventbrite.com/</a> <a href="http://wfmusicub.org/pay-online">wfmusicub.org/pay-online</a>
Register and pay for Mini Musicians, concerts and one-off events	<a href="http://wfms.eventbrite.com/">http://wfms.eventbrite.com/</a>
Hire an instrument	<a href="http://wfmusicub.org/instrument-hire">wfmusicub.org/instrument-hire</a>

Music School Term Dates		
	First half term	Second half term
Autumn 2023	Saturday 23th September to Saturday 21st October	Monday 30th October to Thursday 7th December
Spring 2024	Monday 8th January to Saturday 10th February	Monday 19th February to Saturday 23rd March
Summer 2024	Monday 22nd April to Saturday 25th May <i>Bank Holiday Monday 6th May - no Music School</i>	Monday 3rd June to Monday 8th July

Contact us or visit our website for more information about any of our services			
Email	<a href="mailto:music.service@walthamforest.gov.uk">music.service@walthamforest.gov.uk</a>	Phone	020 8496 1584 / 020 8496 4186
Website	<a href="http://www.wfmusicub.org">www.wfmusicub.org</a>	Follow us on Twitter, Instagram & Facebook	@wfmusicub
Office and instrument hire centre	The School Lodge, Woodbury Road, Walthamstow E17 9SB Open Monday to Friday 9am-5pm during term time.		