

The Music Academy

These fees are DUE UPON REGISTRATION from all students and are required in order to secure your spot in our program.	
Registration Fee for New Students (once yearly per family / Sept-Aug)	\$30
Registration Fee for Returning Students (once yearly per family / Sept-Aug)	\$25
Deposit: first of 11 payments described below. Remaining 10 payments are due on the 1 st of Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec, Jan, Feb, Mar, Apr, May, June	see below

<i>Private Music Lessons</i>			
	Based on Weekly Fee	Yearly Fee: Sept 12-June 7 One make-up lesson in Dec and one in June is included (see EMC Calendar for Holiday closings)	Payable in 11 Monthly Payments of:
Weekly Private Lesson	\$23 ½ hour lesson per week	\$736 ½ hour lesson per week	\$67 ½ hour lesson per week

<i>Bands</i>				
Participation in a Band will enable your child to develop his or her musical skills in a group setting. Several community performances and formal concerts are available throughout the year.				
Band	Day/Time	Criteria	Description	TUITION
Black Jacks	Mon 6:00-7:00	ages 10 & up	The Band Director will lead the students in learning and performing songs from rock and pop genres. Additionally, students will have an opportunity to flex their own creative muscles as the ensemble composes and arranges original music for themselves. Students will learn how to function and excel in an organized and supervised combo group, ultimately culminating in an expressive and accurate performance. Charts are arranged to cater to the student's individual capabilities in order to facilitate and maximize musical and technical growth. The Bands consists of guitars, bass guitar, drum set, hand drums, vocals, and sometimes horns and keyboards. A vocal coach, percussion coach, choreographer and acting coach will assist the bands as needed. PLEASE INQUIRE AT THE FRONT DESK IF YOU WISH TO AUDITION FOR A BAND.	\$384 for the year \$200 Performance Fee for the year covers all events TOTAL: \$584 \$53 per month
Brain Freeze	Mon 7:00-8:00	audition required		
Beginner Band	Mon 8:00-9:00	ages 8 & up		

Make-up Policy

When you enroll in a private or group lesson at EMC, you are reserving a weekly time-slot or a chair in a group lesson/band. It is the student's responsibility to attend all lessons and classes as scheduled. Instructors are contracted and paid by EMC based on your registration, NOT on your attendance. If a student misses a private lesson due to a student conflict, INCLUDING ILLNESS, one make-up lesson will be offered each semester.

Fall Make-up lessons will be held between December 12-15, 2011. Winter/Spring Make-up lessons will be held between June 4-7, 2012.

If a lesson is cancelled by EMC due to inclement weather, teacher conflict, etc a credit will be promptly applied to the student's account and NO MAKEUP lesson will be scheduled. EMC reserves the right to offer a qualified substitute instructor when necessary. We do not guarantee that your lesson will remain with the same instructor throughout the year. We do, however, promise to provide a highly qualified music instructor who is proficient in the instrument the student is studying. Please see the Policies page at the back of this brochure for EMC's withdrawal policy.

Music Recital

Music students who are recommended by their teachers may participate in a formal Music Recital.

The Recital is to be held at The Women's Club of York on Sunday, February 19 at 2:00 pm. (Snow date-Sun, Feb 26) Admission is free.

A Performance Fee of \$55 will be charged to all participants, and will be due January 15, 2012.

This fee will off-set expenses associated with the recital, such as renting the recital hall, paying the accompanist, running rehearsals, printing the programs, planning the event, etc.

Additional Possible Community Performance Opportunities

Students will be selected based on their readiness. A \$15 Performance Fee will be charged per event to NON-BAND students.

EMC Open House: Sat, Aug 27
New Freedom Fest: Sat, Sept 17
NF Battle of the Bands: Sat, Sept 24
Shrewsbury Fall Fest: Sat Oct 15
Open Mic Nite: Fri, Oct 22
Christmas Tree Lightings: Nov-Dec
SES Holiday Shoppe: Fri Dec 2
Holiday Celebration at Pullo Center: Sun, Dec 11

EMC Open House: Sat, Jan 7
SHS Battle of the Bands: Jan ?
EMC Spring Showcase: Sat Mar 31
Open Mic Night, Fri, Apr 13
Open House: Sat April 28
Shrews Elem Family Fun Fest: Fri, May 18
EMC's 20th Anniversary Spring Concert at the Pullo Center:
Sun, June 10

