



Student letter 2021-12-30

To student parents on our line two "Growing with music"

Dear parents,

This second year with Corona has been stressful, both for you and for us. But we also often heard how important it is to focus on playing an instrument and making music with others. You forget everything else for a little while. Learning to play an instrument makes difference! We are very happy that we mainly could teach physically and we had many great concerts with absolutely wonderful performances - to the delight of many!

A big thank you for your trust and the support you give your children! Thanks also for the patience to still stay outside our houses. Unfortunately, we will have to continue with that. Still, we are keen to keep in touch with you! For talking to your teacher, send an email and set a phone time. All teachers nowadays are paid working hours for parent talks. We also ask you to read emails from your teacher and answer asap. Sometimes, a reading receipt is enough, sometimes your comments are needed.

We have noticed that some students are a bit careless in bringing all equipment for the lessons. Can you help? There are often individual notes on the sheet music which help your child with continuous learning. For each lesson, your child must have their homework folder/diary and the playbook - and of course their instrument if it is not a piano 😊 Copied sheet music must be inserted in the folder. If you do not have a binder/diary, feel free to buy our red binder which also has a good register. We want every student to have at least ONE real playbook. Buy the one that your teacher recommends - and please buy it immediately, not until many weeks later. The older students often need more books. It will be a good collection for life then.

We are often asked to recommend how much exercise at home. For children up to 9 years, it should be at least 20 min / day, which can be divided into two sessions. For children older than 9 years, it should be 30 minutes a day and of course more if the child feels like it. We have students who practice one hour a day and that of course gives very good results. Still, most important is continuous exercise, several days a week.

The homework folder/diary is the written link to the homework. Here the teacher notes each lesson what to practice. Read with your child and ask the teacher if something feels unclear! Does exercise feel difficult at home? Follow the teacher's tips, which are certainly clear tasks that must be repeated a clear number of times each day. You can also get a temporary exception and take part in a lesson to know how the teacher works. Learning to play an instrument is a handicraft. The more you master the craft, the more you can get creative with it.

Much good-to-have information can be found on our website www.lundsmusiksalong.se

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| 1.) Teaching weeks | 2.) The concert calendar |
| 3.) Corona rules | 4.) How to cancel |
| 5.) ABRSM - what is it about? | 6.) Summer courses and music camp 2022. |

There are also pictures and videos from our concerts and much more. Even our FB LIMUS Music School provides pictures and small everyday stories. If you want to reward us for this year, feel free to write a positive review on Google - more people will find us! 😊

Thanks again for this year and HAPPY NEW YEAR 2022! Warm greetings



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