# Danette Whelan Piano Studio

# Piano Guidelines, Policies and Payment Info for 2023 - 2024

Hi Parents and Students!

Welcome! I'm looking forward to a wonderful year of learning and accomplishment! Here is an updated list of guidelines, payment schedule and policies for the coming year.

- 1. Bring a cell phone or ipad to record lesson instructions. These devices are very helpful and make practice time more productive.
- 2. Organize your time in order to have a sufficient amount of practice time so that you are prepared for your lesson.
- 3. Please arrive on time for your lesson.
- 4. Being a well-prepared student requires the **commitment of both parent and student**.

#### Lesson Fees for 2023 / 2024 Year Per Student

Cash, Check, PayPal, Zelle or Venmo paid by the first week of the month for the entire month in advance.

\$55.00 for half hour \$75.00 for 45 minutes \$85.00 for 1 hour

There will be a \$10.00 supplemental fee for lessons at the student's home, early morning lessons (before 9:30 AM) and late night lessons (after 8:00 PM).

**Late fee**: There will be an extra \$15 charge to the monthly lesson fee if paid past the 8th of the month. This does not apply to September.

## PAYMENT SCHEDULE

Virtual and in person lesson fees are to be paid by the first week of the month during the regular season (September - June) This fee is **NON-REFUNDABLE.** Lesson fees are based on enrollment, not attendance.

All missed prepaid lessons are the responsibility of the parent, caregiver or adult student.

Same day canceled lessons cannot be made up or rescheduled. Students may switch to another student's lesson time *if available* for that week if they are unable to have their lesson at their reserved time. If the studio cancels the lesson, that lesson fee will be subtracted from the following month's lesson fee or the lesson can be made up at a future time.

## Summer Lessons

All students are required to take a minimum of three lessons from the end of the school year through Labor Day. These lessons may be virtual if the student is in a different time zone. If the studio allows, extra time will be spent with each student during the summer months at no additional cost.

"My goal is for everyone of my students to blossom into a *conscious learner* and an accomplished pianist and musician." Please read all about my teaching philosophy, my qualifications, and the exciting musical opportunities I offer my students on <u>My Piano Studio</u> website page.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call, text or email me:

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Musically Yours,

Danette Whelan

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