



J.W. Gambrell
Composition & Piano Studio

Official website
www.johnwilliamgambrell.com

1. Lesson Times:

Will be determined with each student based on their individual availability. Lessons are offered during weekdays with some exceptions on a requested basis.

2. General Requirements:

The student is expected to practice, attend, and be involved in every weekly or bi-weekly lesson. Following the recommended instructions for the amount of time instructed will give the best results for each student.

3. Supplies:

The student will need the lesson book and supplemental books.

All books and music supplies will be paid for by the student. If needed the supplies may be purchased through me.

4. Types of Lessons:

Lessons are offered at any level and in multiple fields including: piano, composition, songwriting, arranging, and music theory. Hybrid lessons are common for people with multiple interests.

Lessons are offered both online and in person. Online lessons are offered via Zoom or Google Meet. In person lessons are offered upon a personal request basis.

5. Absences:

If a cancellation is made within 24 hours and a make-up lesson cannot be made, the student will still be charged the amount of the lesson unless it was the fault of the teacher. Any other events in which the student will need to miss on the designated day can be easily dealt with by scheduling a lesson on a different time that week. These dates should be discussed in advance.

6. Vacation:

We will have vacation from lessons during the Christmas season (the week of and one or two weeks following) as well as the week of thanksgiving (Wednesday-Sunday). These vacation times will follow closely to the school vacation times. Summer is not considered part of the vacation season and therefore will not be observed, however, times during the summer for vacation can be arranged.

7. Pricing:

My lessons are divided into 3 categories: 30, 45, and 60-minute lessons. Amount of time is based on the student's skill level.

- 30min - \$30
- 45min - \$45
- 60min - \$55

Monthly lessons will be paid on the first lesson of the month for the following 4-5 lessons. A weekly payment plan can also be arranged upon request. ePayment can be made through Venmo or Apple Pay.

8. Parent Involvement:

Parents are expected to help younger students (4-10 years-old) with homework and/or practicing. This means either being in the room to ensure they are focused and complete their assignments or hands on with reading and writing music. Older students are expected to do the work on their own and should not need help on their work.

A parent may be in the room for the lesson if desired, however, they should be out of the view of the student and should not interject or interrupt the lesson.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to contact me.

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