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Dear parents and carers

Learning an instrument or learning to sing develops important personal qualities in young people including **self-discipline and perseverance**, as well as **improving cognitive ability** which underpins all other academic learning. It is also known to **support emotional and mental well-being** and it's a **great addition to your CV**.

Here at Carrington, we have a **strong group of private tutors** who come in during the school day to offer **30-minute one-to-one lessons** at really preferential rates.

If you want to know a bit more, have a look through [this presentation](#).

We also hire out some instruments, such as guitars, flutes, clarinets and trumpets, for only £30 per term so there's no big up-front costs. For those who would really like to do this but feel the costs are too much of a barrier, we have our [ACE Foundation](#) which may be able to support. In this instance, please get in touch to discuss further.

To express an interest for your young person to begin having lessons, [please CLICK HERE](#) and I will contact you.

Please note, if your young person is already having lessons, there is no need to re-apply.

Best wishes

Mr S Winter
Head of Music

