

# 2009-2010 LANDON SCHOOL POLICY FOR INSTRUMENTAL LESSONS

Instrumental lessons at Landon School are offered for the purpose of giving each student the opportunity of participation in the Landon instrumental ensembles. Therefore, it is our hope that as quickly as possible, each instrumental student will be encouraged not only to develop skill on his instrument, but to become part of the musical ensembles. We feel that these groups will be of great benefit to your son's growth and development. All students enrolled in the Landon School Instrumental Program classes are required to study privately.

1. Parents will be billed quarterly through the business office. The fee for lessons at Landon School will be \$35.00 for each 30-minute lesson. A minimum of 12 private lessons Fall Semester and 20 Spring Semester are required for full class credit.

2. Lessons at Landon School are given normally only on school days. Lessons will not be given on holidays or during vacation periods except as arranged with the instrumental instructor. Landon cannot assume financial responsibilities during these periods, so payment arrangements must be made with the instructor.

3. Except for sudden illness, the student or parent must give 24-hour notice to the instrumental instructor if a lesson is to be missed, or the normal fee will be charged. If he is in school, a student is expected to be present for all lessons. It is the student's responsibility to notify his instructor, in advance, of any athletic conflict or of other activities that might cause him to miss a lesson.

4. Lessons will be held in the practice room assigned to each instructor.

5. Instruction books can be purchased from the instrumental instructor, or from area music stores. Instruments and music stands are the responsibility of the student, although the instructor will do everything he can to assist. If the student uses a school rental instrument (the very large instruments and percussion instruments), it is his responsibility to keep the instrument in reasonable condition. Any damage to the instrument, other than normal wear and tear, will be repaired and billed to the student. There is a \$50.00 per year rental fee for the use of a school instrument.

6. The minimum length of time a student may take lessons is one school year, with the option to continue lessons on a yearly basis left to the student and his parents. With the scheduling difficulties in a program of this scope, we cannot have students stopping and starting lessons during the year.

7. One instrument change will be allowed the first year a student takes lessons.

8. Included, you will find the phone roster for the Landon School Adjunct Faculty. Please call and arrange an appropriate time for your son's lesson. All times are on a first come-first serve basis. If you cannot find a time that is appropriate, please call Mr. Jackson and he will work with you to find a time or an alternate teacher.

**Please complete the following form and return to Mr. Jackson by September 28, 2009.**

Dear parent,

Your son is now, or has expressed an interest in, taking instrumental music at Landon School. Would you please read the accompanying description of the program and return the application below to Earl Jackson in the Instrumental Music Office located in the Mondzac Performing Arts Center. We must have this form on file as soon as possible. Please select a teacher from the included list, call them, and arrange a time for your son's lesson. Teachers are in charge of their own schedules and times **ARE NOT** arranged through either Dr. Scimonelli or Mr. Jackson. Should you have any questions, please phone (301) 320-1093.

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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Parent Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Parent E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Students Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument Choice \_\_\_\_\_

I have read the material on "Instrumental Lessons", and I approve of my son's participation in the Landon School Instrumental Music Program. I understand that students are only accepted into this individual instruction program on the basis of a full school year contract. No refunds are allowed for early withdrawal or change of plans.

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Parent Signature

Date

I have agreed to take this student for the current 2008-2009 school year.

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Landon Adjunct Faculty Signature

Date

# Landon School

## Adjunct Music Faculty

### 2009 - 2010

Wade Beach  
*Piano*  
(703) 379-9164

David Chapman  
*Piano/Voice*  
(301) 277-2397

Joseph Cunliffe  
*Flute/Oboe/Saxophone*  
(301) 758-1479

Stephen Czarkowski  
*Cello*  
(917) 478-7553

Lee Gause  
*Trombone*  
(703) 560-5579

Andrew Hitz  
*Tuba*  
(410) 519-0109

Brian Hublar  
*Trumpet*  
(703) 582-0828

Mark Jenkins  
*Euphonium/Baritone Horn*  
(703) 968-6745

Clarence Mitchell  
*Trumpet*  
(202) 528-0176

Maria Montano  
*Violin/Viola*  
(571) 232-5901

Jennifer Paul  
*French Horn*  
(202) 374-9869

John Previti  
*Bass*  
(240) 602-8585

Randall A. Riffle  
*Clarinet*  
(410) 519-0109

Theresa Riffle  
*Clarinet*  
(410) 279-6030

Lenny Robinson  
*Percussion*  
(443) 803-4791

Ronnie Shaw  
*Percussion*  
(240) 606-3579

Doug Sorenson  
*Trumpet*  
(301) 648-0318

Robert Spates  
*Violin/Viola*  
(301) 946-0112

Bruce Stanly  
*Trumpet*  
(703) 451-2530

Chuck Underwood  
*Guitar*  
(301) 704-2057

Andrea Verco  
*Violin/Viola*  
(202) 361-3065

Olive Wagner  
*Clarinet/Bass Clarinet*  
(301) 943-1690