



Private Piano Lessons at William Land

Thank you for your interest in piano lessons. I am so happy to offer lessons to the families at William Land. Let me introduce myself. My name is Angela Karren. Some of you will recognize me as Ms. Angela, the attendance clerk in the office. I have taught piano for over 15 years. Before teaching, I accompanied vocal students and many choirs. I studied piano under Dr. Nikki Landre.

I utilize the Faber method of teaching and have found great success with students. I love how it emphasizes note reading with keys to learning being intervals, and musical expression. Students are rewarded quickly through this method and find themselves playing musically very quickly.

Students will learn note reading, theory, technique, scales, chords, and articulation with a repertoire of classical, original, and popular music.

Students will receive private, 20 minute lessons once a week. Lessons will be Monday, Tuesday, or Wednesday. Students are expected to practice assignments throughout the week at home and come prepared to demonstrate a mastery of goals set during lessons. If students do not practice, and are not progressing due to lack of practice at home, they will be placed on a waiting list and their lesson time will be given to another student.

If a student misses a lesson, a makeup lesson will be scheduled during make up week. Make up week will be during parent teacher conference week. No regular lessons will be held that week.

Students need to have a piano to practice on every day at home. Weighted 88 key keyboards are acceptable. Students grades K-6 will be considered. Students will need to be able to sit still and stay focused for 20 minutes. Students need to be able to count to 10, and should know their right from left.

Payments may be made per trimester. Tuition is \$325 per trimester. Payment will be made by September 30, November 18 and March 10. Payment may be made in cash, check made out to Angela Karren, or Venmo @Angela-Karren. If payment is not made, student will be dropped from the class, and their lesson time will be given to another student.

Families will be contacted by Sunday, September 22.