Make a Melody Piano Studio Policy

I. Student requirements

- 1. Every student *must* have access to a piano. If digital, the keyboard must have all 88 keys as well as weighted or hammer-action keys. This is necessary to mimic the feel of a real piano.
- 2. At the start of lessons, we will discuss books to aid in your piano learning. These are not deducted from piano tuition and should be purchased promptly by the student/guardian to ensure a smooth transition into lessons.

II. Schedule

- 1. For the most part, I follow the Dysart public school system for semester start and end dates. See the attached page for the calendar with all dates.
- 2. While I am not often sick, I reserve the right to reschedule lessons if necessary for my own health.

III. Payment

- 1. Payment is due at the beginning of each quarter. I will send an invoice to the email you provide when they are due.
- 2. Tuition is considered late after the 5th of the month, and a \$25 late fee will be applied. With multiple late payments, I reserve the right to suspend lessons.
- 3. As my studio continues to grow or I gain more certification, tuition rates are subject to change.

IV. Missed lessons

- 1. Rescheduling within 24 hours is only in cases of illness or emergencies and is available for make-up at 7:00 pm and 7:30 pm on weekdays. Bad traffic, work conflicts, and mixed-up schedules are not excused. One free absence is built into the payment each quarter.
- 2. Piano requires diligence, and multiple absences take away from learning. Please make every effort to attend lessons as it is the best way to improve your piano skills.
- 3. To allow some flexibility with scheduling, I will send out a master schedule and contact list for swapping lesson times. Only people who consent to giving out their information will be added to the list. Students/parents are responsible for contacting and scheduling swaps on their own.

V. Discontinuation of lessons

1. Any discontinuation of lessons requires 30 days notice.

I understand and agree to follow the studio policy of Make A Melody Piano.

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2024-2025 School Year Pricing

30-Minute Lessons

	DATE	DAYS OFF	PRICE
Quarter 1	Aug 5-Oct 4		\$280
Quarter 2	Oct 7-Dec 20	Oct 14-18, Nov 25-29	\$280
Recital	Dec 9		Free
Quarter 3	Jan 6-Mar 14		\$280
Quarter 4	Mar 24-May 23		\$280
Camp	May 26-28		\$280
Summer	Jun 2-Jul 25	July 4	\$280

45-Minute Lessons

	DATE	DAYS OFF	PRICE
Quarter 1	Aug 5-Oct 4		\$360
Quarter 2	Oct 7-Dec 20	Oct 14-18, Nov 25-29	\$360
Recital	Dec 9		Free
Quarter 3	Jan 6-Mar 14		\$360
Quarter 4	Mar 24-May 23		\$360
Camp	May 26-28		\$280
Summer	Jun 2-Jul 25	July 4	\$360