

**Music con Brio Tuition 2020-2021 (Updated)**  
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**Tuition Information**

Music con Brio tuition is assessed on a sliding scale, based on annual household income. If you are concerned about tuition, you **must** communicate with the director no later than **within the first week of class**. If no tuition payment is received *nor communication made*, we reserve the right to give your child's spot to another student. If your financial situation changes due to the ongoing pandemic, we are happy to accommodate. Please let us know and we will make adjustments as necessary. **Remember, no one will be turned away because of financial need!**

*What does tuition cover?*

During online-only instruction, tuition covers online solo lessons for 15 weeks each semester. Instruments, music, and equipment are also covered by tuition. Occasional opportunities for group classes or online masterclasses may also be offered.

*When is tuition due?*

Fall 2020 semester tuition is due by Monday, October 12. Spring 2021 semester tuition is due by Monday, February 15<sup>th</sup>. Cash (in a labeled envelope) or checks are acceptable. **Please make checks to Music con Brio, Inc.** and hand them to us in person, leave them in our basket in the Emerson office, or mail them to: **Music con Brio, Inc. PO Box 259452, Madison, WI 53725**. We also have a credit card option available through PayPal, but there is an additional 3% per transaction fee to pay with a credit card.

*What if I am concerned about my ability to pay tuition?*

We recognize that some families may need an individualized payment plan. We also acknowledge that there are other factors that may limit ability to pay, including larger families, unemployment, illness, and multiple children in the program. Please communicate with us (via e-mail, phone or in person) about what will work in your family budget. We will do our best to accommodate your situation. Please note that additional payment options may be offered, including participating in fundraisers or applying for assistance through our student scholarship fund. Please see tuition chart on the next page for more information.

*Why does Music con Brio charge tuition?*

Tuition payments are a vital part of the long-term financial stability of Music con Brio. We ask that every family contribute what they can in order to continue providing the best possible program, teachers, instruments, and equipment for our students.

## 2020-21 Tuition Chart

*Please note that the “per semester” totals are for each 15-week semester, Fall and Spring. Tuition is assessed for both Fall and Spring every year.*

### Tuition for **online solo lessons**:

<i>Family Income</i>	<i>Tuition</i>
\$10,000 and under/year	\$15-\$60 per semester
\$10,000-\$19,999/year	\$100 per semester
\$20,000-\$29,999/year	\$200 per semester
\$30,000-\$39,999/year	\$300 per semester
\$40,000+/year	\$400 per semester

Income verification will be requested for families requesting graduated tuition fees. Acceptable documents include previous year’s tax returns or current pay stubs from all jobs held by guardians of students enrolled in Music con Brio.