

All beginning and returning students must complete and return the attached registration form. Students who are beyond their first year of instruction are encouraged to provide their own instrument, *if possible*, in order to allow DSBN instruments to be available for beginning students' use.

Each student will receive **two weekly lessons**: one group lesson during school hours and one After-school Band/Orchestra rehearsal.

In-school lessons are *usually* held in the student's home school, but when numbers do not warrant, students will be offered an alternate option.

After-school Band/ Orchestra rehearsals are held at a centrally located school and draw students from a number of different home schools.

Our Music Program runs from the 3rd week of September until the last week of May.

THE AFTER-SCHOOL REHEARSAL IS AN INTEGRAL PART OF OUR MUSIC PROGRAM. REGULAR ATTENDANCE IS AS IMPORTANT AS ATTENDANCE AT THE IN-SCHOOL LESSON.

Parents are responsible for all transportation to and from Band/Orchestra rehearsals, and usually find it convenient to arrange car pools amongst themselves.

The NEIM **Code of Conduct**, which is an essential part of this Registration, is available on our webpage www.niagaramusic.org



PRICE FREEZE
SAME LOW PRICE
AS LAST YEAR!!

AVAILABLE INSTRUMENTS Sept 2009:

STRING PROGRAM: *Violin, Viola, Cello & Double Bass.* Available to students entering grades 4 – 8, **only** in the **Niagara North schools** (St. Catharines, Lincoln, South Lincoln, Niagara on the Lake, Virgil & St. Davids)

BRASS & WOODWIND PROGRAM: *Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bassoon, Saxophone, Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Baritone, Euphonium & Tuba.* Available to students entering grades 4 – 8 in all South schools and grades 5 - 8 in all North schools.

PERCUSSION PROGRAM: This is a *full* drum and percussion education, including a wide assortment of drums, mallet instruments and Auxiliary Percussion. *All* students must pay *full* registration fee for use of DSBN percussion equipment. (Options 1, 2 or 3) Available to students entering grades 5 – 8 in all South schools and grades 6 – 8 in all North Schools. Enrolment is limited!

A minimum of 3 students are required to start any Beginner Program in any school.

REGISTRATION & FEES:

“EARLY BIRD SPECIAL”
Don't delay – Hurry and Register **BEFORE June 19th, 2009** to get the best possible deal !!
Sorry, we cannot extend this deadline date.
Options 1 & 4

Options 2 & 5
ENROLLMENT GUARANTEE: A \$50 non-refundable payment, will guarantee your discount and enables us to schedule your child's class.

Cheques: payable to Niagara Instrumental Music
Print student name(s) on cheque(s). Siblings may be included on one cheque.

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

<p>“Niagara Instrumental Music”</p>	<p>REQUEST USE OF DSBN INSTRUMENT</p>	<p>USE YOUR “OWN” INSTRUMENT</p>
<p>Cheques Payable to: “Niagara Instrumental Music”</p>	<p>Includes approx. 30 In-school classes and 30 After-school Band/Orchestra rehearsals.</p>	<p>Includes approx. 30 In-school classes and 30 After-school Band/Orchestra rehearsals.</p>
<p>Early Bird Special Deal! Available ONLY until June 19th, 2009</p>	<p>Option 1 - \$350 ONE cheque, payable June 19, 2009 Overall Cost: Less than \$6 per lesson</p>	<p>Option 4 - \$250 ONE cheque, payable June 19, 2009 Overall Cost: Less than \$5 per lesson</p>
<p>By June 19, 2009 Enrollment Guarantee</p>	<p>Option 2 - \$375 \$50 -June 19 and \$325 -Sept. 14, 2009 <i>both cheques accompany registration</i></p>	<p>Option 5 - \$275 \$50 -June 19 and \$225 -Sept. 14, 2009 <i>both cheques accompany registration</i></p>
<p>One Cheque (After June 20) or 3 Installments All Cheques MUST accompany Registration form</p>	<p>Option 3 - \$425 1st Payment \$175 current date 2nd Payment \$125 Oct. 15, 2009 3rd Payment \$125 Dec. 15, 2009</p>	<p>Option 6 - \$325 1st Payment \$125 current date 2nd Payment \$100 Oct. 15, 2009 3rd Payment \$100 Dec. 15, 2009</p>

NEIM REGISTRATION FORM 2009-2010

Registrations received after June 19th, 2009 will be happily accepted, however instrument availability *may* be affected.

Student Surname: _____

Student First Name: _____

Student Mailing Address:

House # & Street: _____

City & Postal Code: _____

Parent/Guardian Name(s): _____

Parent/Guardian email: *(please print clearly)*

Phone - Home: _____

Business: _____

Cell: _____

Student Age in Sept. 2009: _____

In Sept. 2009-School: _____ Grade: ____

Instrument requested: 1st choice _____
2nd choice _____

Use of DSBN Instrument; Student owns Instrument
Payment Options 1, 2, or 3; Payment Options 4, 5, or 6

In Sept. 2009, student will be entering his/her:

1st yr 2nd yr 3rd yr 4th yr 5th yr
of instruction with NEIM on THIS instrument.

Please indicate payment option number (see over),
and enclose full fee(s) with this registration form.

Payment OPTION Number:

I have read this NEIM information sheet *and* Code of
Conduct, as stated on the NEIM webpage. I understand
and accept the terms and agree to abide by the
expectations as outlined.

Parent/Guardian Name: (print)

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____

required

Completed Registration forms may be: submitted to School Secretaries
in a clearly labeled envelope marked NEIM; mailed via Canada Post; or
taken to the DSBN Ed Centre, 191 Carlton St., St. Catharines.



Policies:

1. A non-refundable deposit of \$50.00 is included in all options. All Installment payment cheques must be included with registration form. Service Charge: \$25.00 for ANY returned cheque.
2. When registering 3 or more siblings from one family, contact the NEIM office for an alternative payment option.
3. Letters of Acceptance will be sent to student's home school for distribution during the 2nd week of September. The school's Instrumental Music schedule can be found on our website at that time.
4. Instruments are assigned on a first-come, first-served basis. *Returning students are guaranteed instruction on their instrument of experience.*
5. Students who begin classes using a DSBN instrument, but then purchase their own will be refunded \$75.00, provided the NEIM office is informed in writing and the instrument is returned no later than October 15, 2009.
6. Withdrawals: Refund requests **MUST BE MADE IN WRITING** by Parent/Guardian. Please see our Website for full withdrawal/refund details.
7. Students with an outstanding balance as of Dec. 31st, 2009 will be withdrawn from the program.

*Please photocopy this document to keep
for your personal records.*



INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

FOR DSBN STUDENTS

2009 / 2010

NIAGARA Elementary INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC

(NEIM)

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*Instrumental Music instruction in the Elementary
Schools of the DSBN has made it possible for thousands
of children to acquire an enriched musical education in
an affordable, interesting and enjoyable way.*