# YargJay's Drums Student Policy

# 1. Introduction

Welcome to YargJay's Drums. You agree to adhere to the following terms and conditions by participating in our lessons. These terms outline the rights and responsibilities of both the student and YargJay's Drums.

## 2. Onboarding and Fees

- a. Onboarding: Prospective students are required to complete a registration form as part of the onboarding process prior to commencing lessons.
- b. Fees: The fee for a half-hour lesson is \$39, and the fee for a one-hour lesson is \$75.
- c. Payment: Payment is required at the end of each lesson for the following week's lesson ("pay for next week's lesson" system). Payment can be made via bank transfer, credit card, or other methods as agreed upon during the onboarding process.
- d. Late Payments: If payment is not made at the end of the lesson, future lessons may be not be scheduled or considered booked until the account is settled.

## 3. Lesson Scheduling and Cancellations

- a. Scheduling: Lessons are scheduled at mutually convenient times between the student and the instructor. Consistent attendance is essential for progress.
- b. Cancellations: Students are required to provide at least 24 hours' notice if they need to cancel or reschedule a lesson. Cancellations with less than 24 hours' notice will incur the full lesson fee.
- c. No-Show Policy: If a student does not show up for a lesson without providing any notice, the lesson will be considered forfeited, and the full fee will be charged.
- d. Repeated Cancellations: YargJay's Drums reserves the right to terminate lessons for students who frequently cancel or reschedule at the last minute.
- e. Instructor Cancellations: In the event that the instructor needs to cancel a lesson, a make-up lesson will be scheduled, or a credit will be applied to the next payment cycle.
- f. Punctuality: Students are expected to arrive on time for their lessons. If a student arrives more than 20 minutes late, the lesson will be considered forfeited and will not be rescheduled or refunded. The lesson will adhere to the agreed-upon time slot; late arrivals will not extend the lesson beyond the scheduled end time.

## 4. Student Responsibilities

- a. Practice: Students are expected to practice regularly between lessons to ensure steady progress. The recommended amount of practice will be discussed during lessons.
- b. Materials: Students are responsible for providing their own drumsticks, practice pads, and any other materials as advised by the instructor.
- c. Conduct: Students are expected to behave respectfully and follow instructions during lessons. Disruptive or inappropriate behavior may result in the termination of lessons without a refund.

## 5. Instructor Responsibilities

- a. Tailor-made Teaching: The instructor will provide personalized lessons tailored to the student's learning style, ability, and goals.
- b. Feedback and Progress: The instructor will offer regular feedback and guidance to help students improve their drumming skills.
- c. Professionalism: The instructor will conduct lessons professionally, ensuring a safe and supportive learning environment.

### 6. Liability

- a. Injury: YargJay's Drums is not liable for any injuries sustained during lessons or practice. Students should practice proper techniques and take precautions to avoid injury.
- b. Personal Property: YargJay's Drums is not responsible for any loss or damage to personal property brought to lessons.

### 7. Privacy

- a. Personal Information: Any personal information provided by students will be kept confidential and used solely for administrative purposes related to lessons.
- b. Media Release: Occasionally, lessons may be recorded for promotional purposes. Students will be notified in advance and may opt out if they prefer not to be recorded.

### 8. Parental Responsibility

- a. Attendance for Under 18s: Parents or guardians must remain on-site during their child's lesson if the student is under 18 years of age. YargJay's Drums is only responsible for the child during the scheduled lesson time.
- b. Punctuality: Parents or guardians are expected to pick up their child promptly at the end of the lesson. YargJay's Drums is not responsible for supervising children outside of their lesson time.

#### 9. Termination

- a. Student Termination: Students may terminate their lessons at any time by providing written notice. No refunds will be given for any unused lessons.
- b. Instructor Termination: The instructor reserves the right to terminate lessons for any reason, with appropriate notice provided to the student. In such cases, any prepaid lessons will be refunded.

#### **10.** Changes to Terms and Conditions

a. YargJay's Drums reserves the right to update these terms and conditions at any time. Students will be notified of any changes in writing.

By participating in lessons with YargJay's Drums, you acknowledge that you have read, understood, and agree to these terms and conditions.