

Guitar Club Notice

Dear Parent/Guardian and Future Guitarist,

If your son or daughter has an interest in playing the guitar, whether as a beginner or a more advanced player, Guitar Club at Mt. Ararat Middle School will begin on Wednesday, March 3rd for Cohort A students, and March 10th for Cohort B. Guitar Club will meet every other Wednesday after school from 2:30p.m. to 4p.m. Cohorts will alternate weeks. Similar to other after-school activities, we will maintain proper social distancing and mask-wearing but will have students from different grades and teams in the same space. There may be times when we will not be able to meet due to days off from school or other responsibilities I have to attend to, but the students will be made aware of this ahead of time. The club will run normally until the baseball season begins around the end of April because I coach. After that we may have to do a Zoom version of the club. The club will meet in my classroom (2740). Requirements for Guitar Club are as follows:

- a guitar (acoustic preferred, but if electric please no amplifier), bass w/w/o a small amp
- and electric tuner is preferred. I have a few donated guitars for students who don't have one to use.
- a three ring binder or folder for all of the music handouts
- academic requirements are the same for any extracurricular activity at MAMS
- a place in school to keep their instrument (check with homeroom teacher, not with Mr. Dugal)
- respectful behavior (three strike rule, if a student is asked three times to behave, they will be dismissed from the club)
- students must have a ride home by 4:00p.m. **PLEASE BE PROMPT**

There is no cost for joining and our goal is to simply have fun and learn about playing guitar.

Thank you,
Mark Dugal
Team Kennebec ELA
Mt. Ararat Middle School

Please cut and return to Mr. Dugal by March 3rd, 2021..

_____ _____ Beginner Intermediate (please circle)
Student Name Grade

I have read and understand this notice.

Student Signature

Parent/Guardian Signature