



CLASSES STRUCTURE

Classes will be conducted once a week working out to 4 classes in a month combination of 2 face to face and 2 online classes.

INTERMEDIATE

Vocal and Harmonium

- * Introduction of Ten basic Thaats (Thaat is a "Parent scale" in North Indian or Hindustani classical music) to develop the idea of Raga music
- * Introduction of pitch practice with Taanpura (Taanpura is an Indian traditional dron instrument)
- * Playing and singing palta's on Thaats to get a clear idea of komal and tivra swaras
- * Introduction of Taala system of Indian classical music through most common yet most effective Taala called 'TEENTAAL'
- * Introduction of raaga bandish (Bandish is a fixed, melodic composition in Hindustani vocal or instrumental music)
- * Preparing Students for the Diploma exam from Indian music university
 - * Learning five raga based songs

Intermediate Tabla

- Learning variety of tabla notes with kayda
- * Learning the idea of rela (A composition performed at higher speeds. Common in both tabla solo and accompaniment).
 - * Learning small compositions like tukrha, chakradar gat, paran etc performed in tabla solo and accompaniment
 - * Learning most of the common theka variations and pick up in Madhylaya (medium) and Drut (fast) Keherwa and Dadra
 - * Learning Keherwa and Dadra theka application in light classical and popular music



INTERMEDIATE FEE STRUCTURE

Registered students

1. Classes are available in Group of 5 – 10 students only. Each student must commit to a period of 12 months from time of registration and fees thereof. Fees will be payable for each quarter of the year. Each student must ensure that fees are paid on the 1st week of each quarter. Reminders will be sent by 2nd week. There is a 5% discount for annual payment. Payment can be paid by cash or EFT. Claim for refund of fees will not be entertained)

❖ **Once Off Registration fee of R 100**

- ❖ **4 Classes per month - R 1500 per quarter (R500 per month)
5% discount if paid lump sum in the first month is R5700**
- ❖ **8 Classes per month – R2700per quarter (R 900 per month)
5% discount if paid lump sum in the first month is R10260**

Individual lessons: Individual lessons apply for registered individual slots. There is no discount apply for individual slots.

- ❖ **4 classes per month – R1800 per quarter (R600 per month)**

Non-Registered students

2. Classes are available in group/single only. Fees will be payable at beginning of the month. There is single flexi classes available for non-registered students where fees payable per day basis.

R700 per month for an individual slot.

Other fee structure

- ❖ **Single Flexi Classes – R300.00 per class**
- ❖ **Crash course – Six classes a week R2000**



TERMS AND CONDITIONS

- ✦ Classes are available in Single/Group and in Formal/Informal tracks will be decided by teacher only. Each student is required to bring their own instrument or make arrangements to have instrument for class.
- ✦ Each registered student must commit to a period of 12 months and fees thereof. Fees will be payable for each quarter of the year. Each student must ensure that fees are paid on the 1st week of each quarter. Reminders will be sent by 2nd week. There is a 5% discount for annual payment. Payment can be paid by cash or EFT. Claim for refund of fees will not be entertained. Classes are available for non-registered students where fees will be payable at the beginning of each month. For single flexi classes fee will be payable day to day basis.
- ✦ Student card will be stamped for quarterly fees.
- ✦ A once off registration fee of R 100 is payable for every new admission.
- ✦ Fees will still be payable irrespective of the number of classes attended for the quarter, as it is responsibility of student to then arrange classes with the teacher to catch up on lesson lost on teachers convenience. We will provide replacement class if the teacher is on leave; except when the teacher is on Medical leave.
- ✦ Out of our commitment to the art, music school will create 4-5 platforms in a calendar year and provide another 4-5 invitation platform in free of cost to promote students absolutely on performance basis, as school believe performance along with learning and practice is the only way to become a better musician and performer.
- ✦ The School will enter your child for a stage performance only if the Head is satisfied that such is in the best interests of your child and of the School.
- ✦ The School will enter your child for an University examination only if the Head is satisfied that such is in the best interests of your child and of the School. We shall monitor your child's progress at the School and produce regular written reports. We shall advise you if we have any concern about your child's progress.
- ✦ Theory and Practical study material (Alone with video) will be provided by the school by a small cost.
- ✦ Strict assessments will be conducted before ant student is ready for examination.
- ✦ There will be no classes on schools recital days, rehearsal days and on NINAAD annual day as all students' attendants compulsory.
- ✦ There will be one week break in every quarter in school holidays (Long weekend break will be considered as a replacement of quarterly break) and one month from mid December to mid January. December classes will be compensated by 5th class of the month.
- ✦ In order to fulfill our obligations, we need your co-operation, in particular by: fulfilling your own obligations under these terms and conditions; encouraging your child in his or her practice and studies, and giving appropriate support at home; keeping the School informed of matters which affect your child; maintaining a courteous and constructive relationship with School staff; attending meetings.

NINAAD's tutors are trained professionals. They have vast experience in teaching traditional Indian arts. NINAAD complements their training through innovatively materials for teaching to today's young children.

We/I* acknowledge and agree that the terms and conditions above and as varied from time to time form part of the contract between us/me* and the School.

I.....parent/guardian to..... hereby declare that I have read and understand the rules and regulations of the NINAAD SCHOOL OF MUSIC.

..... **Date**.....

Signed by Parent/Guardian/Student

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