CHILDREN'S CHARTER

At the Len Tyler Music School we go to great lengths to ensure that each child is able to develop to his or her full musical potential. To this end Parents and Teachers alike are asked to uphold the children's rights as laid out in this charter.

- 1. The right to arrive **on time** or **up to 5 minutes before** the start of the lesson. Latecomers can be a distraction and use up valuable lesson time and arriving too early will use up attention span.
- 2. The right to arrive for lessons in a relaxed and happy frame of mind (where possible).
- 3. The right to interesting, good quality lessons that are also good fun. Every lesson should be structured, well prepared and should start on time. Teachers should always be happy, relaxed and friendly (but firm is necessary). This will help to create the right atmosphere for the lesson
- 4. The right to be collected on time. Being left even if only for a few minutes, can give the feeling of being deserted which can be quite devastating for a small child.
- 5. The right to be listened to by adults (Parents and Teachers) who should show genuine interest in what children do or say and find the time to listen to them.

With a positive approach to this "Children's Charter" from all adults we will be able to maintain or improve the high quality of the lessons provided.