



Individual vs Group Type of Lessons

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When starting piano, many parents and students assume that individual lessons are the only or best path. But for **beginner pianists**, especially in the **first 1–2 years**, developing musical skills goes far beyond one-on-one instruction.

Skills like:

🎵 **Rhythm**

🎵 **Listening and collaboration**

🎵 **Improvisation**

🎵 **Ear training**

🎵 **Basic technique and**

🎵 **Learning through musical games**

are absolutely essential — and these are **precisely the focus** in both **Buddy** and **Duo** lessons.

While **Individual lessons** offer more personal attention, **Buddy and Duo lessons still include individual feedback**, especially with the use of **two pianos**. Each student gets plenty of hands-on time and is actively involved in the learning process — just in a more dynamic, interactive environment.

👉 For most beginners, **constant 1:1 attention isn't necessary** at this stage and sometimes it can even feel overwhelming. In fact, learning alongside a peer can often boost motivation, musical sensitivity, and confidence!

This guide will help you choose the lesson format that best suits your child's learning style, personality, and goals — while staying within your budget.



Individual Lessons

Description:

One-on-one lessons where the student works closely with the teacher for the full 45 minutes. This format allows for fully customized teaching, adapting to the student's pace, goals, and learning style.

Pros:

- ✓ 100% teacher attention
- ✓ Personalized lesson plans
- ✓ Flexible pacing and material
- ✓ Ideal for students with specific goals or learning needs

Cons:

- Higher cost
 - No peer interaction
 - Less exposure to ensemble playing
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 Buddy Lessons**Description:**

A hybrid format of total 45 minutes, combining 25 minutes of individual instruction and 20 minutes of duo time with another student of similar age and level. It offers both personal focus and the benefits of peer learning.

Pros:

- ✓ Balanced mix of solo and peer time
- ✓ Encourages social learning and musical collaboration
- ✓ Great value for the price
- ✓ Builds confidence in a low-pressure peer setting

Cons:

- Less total solo time than full individual lessons
 - Requires careful pairing with another student
 - Peer dynamics may vary
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 Duo Lessons

Description:

Two students of similar age and pianistic level share the full 45-minute lesson. Activities may include playing duets, learning theory together, and developing listening and ensemble skills.

Pros:

- ✓ Most affordable
- ✓ Builds teamwork and listening skills
- ✓ Encourages peer motivation
- ✓ Great for developing rhythm and coordination in group settings

Cons:

- Less individual instruction time
- Needs a well-matched partner in terms of level and focus
- Seemingly slower progress, but more beneficial in the long run

Please note that, no matter your choice, all lessons are fun, structured, and tailored to help each student grow musically with love and care! 🎵

In the MusicPro Studio these are our prices for the year 2025-2026



🎵 Lesson Types & Pricing Overview

💡 Lesson Type	🕒 Duration	👥 Format	📄 Price
Individual	45 min	One-on-one	€40

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Buddy	45 min (25 min solo + 20 min with peer)	Mix: Solo + Peer	€35
Duo	45 min	2 students with 2 pianos	€30

 *All group formats taught on 2 pianos*

 *Please note: Indicated prices are per lesson and per student (<21 years old). The total monthly fee is the sum of lessons per semester **plus Studio Fees**, divided into equal monthly installments.*

If you have any questions regarding the lessons structure, style, or method, you can find me at gina.musicpro@gmail.com