

# Guitar Lesson Info Sheet 2020

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## Fees:

R300 per 30 minute lesson

R550 per 60 minute lesson

## Payment:

Cash at each lesson or EFT at the end of the month.

## Cancelations:

Lessons not cancelled 24 hours in advance will be charged for. If suitable notice is given the lesson can be rescheduled (subject to available time slots).

## What You'll Need:

A guitar. Even a cheap one will do. You need to have your own so that you can practice.

Plectrums (picks) – start with medium thickness.

An electronic tuner. The clip-on kind are cheap and work pretty well.

## Practice:

Put in as little as 10 minutes every day and you will see progress. Regular practice is essential as it builds muscle memory, strengthens your hands and helps you develop proper technique. Think of it as a form of meditation. Music is learned through repetition and patience.

## What to practice:

Spend the first part of your practice session going over the exercises/pieces you were given in your lesson. Then feel free to experiment! Trying to learn licks or chord progressions of songs you like is also a great way to grow as a musician.

## Progress:

Learning an instrument is a slow process. At times you might not feel like you're not getting any better. The key is regular practice (and repetition).

Music isn't a competitive sport (at least it isn't unless you're going to enter Idols!) and everyone learns at their own pace.

## The teacher is a guide.

I can show you what to practice and how to practice it but it's up to you to do the work.

