

## Mission Statement

The FAA is a ministry of First Baptist Church Keller. It functions under the Music Ministry and serves the church by:

- Providing excellent training in the fine arts
- Assisting in meeting student's spiritual needs
- Developing future church music leaders
- Acting as an outreach platform for the church

Teachers are expected to conduct themselves in a Christ-like manner.

## Accompanist Policies:

1. Students requiring an accompanist for recital will be charged $\$ 40$ to be paid directly to the accompanist. This will include 2 rehearsals and the performance.
2. Students who only receive one rehearsal prior to the performance will only pay the accompanist $\$ 30$.
3. Students requiring an accompanist for Fall or Spring Festival will not be charged an additional fee. The Academy will pay the accompanist $\$ 30$ and this will include one rehearsal and the festival performance. Any additional rehearsals will be paid for by the student.
4. If a teacher is offering a master class and an accompanist is required, the student must pay the accompanist $\$ 30$ for 1 rehearsal and the class performance. Master classes are very helpful to the students and while the Academy does not require these, we do encourage them.
5. Teachers may choose the accompanist for their studio, however, if a student has their own accompanist, the teacher can not require the student to use the studio accompanist.

The decision as to whether there will be 1 or 2 rehearsals with an accompanist is at the discretion of the individual teacher.

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