

Piano Vacation Passport Information

Every 5-6 weeks, you will have the opportunity to “take a vacation” from your usual piano lesson! This means that you will have 1 whole week where you can practice ANYTHING you want (fun books, jazz, hymns, etc.). Then, at the next lesson, you get to pick what we do at that lesson. You can choose games, ear training, composition, jazz, practically anything!

To earn your Piano Vacation Passport, you must faithfully practice 30 minutes a day/ 5 days a week, and meet all of the goals for the week that I have written in your assignment journal. If I am able to check mark all but 1 box in both columns on your passport, you have earned your vacation!

Here’s what the terms on the calendar mean:

VACATION WEEK—If you earn it, you will get only FUN things assigned to you this week. Otherwise, you will just practice your normal lesson.

VACATION DAY—If you earn it, you will get to pick what things we do at that lesson! (Games, ear training, jazz, composition)

NEW Passport begins—You must have practiced 5 days/30minutes a day to get your first stamp on your passport this week.

NO LESSONS—Obviously, there are no lessons this week, but the catch is: You must have 2 weeks of good practice to get the next stamp in your passport!

August 1 Passports handed out

August 8 **NEW Passport begins**

August 15

August 22 **NO LESSONS**

August 29

September 5 **NO LESSONS**

September 12 **VACATION WEEK** (Bring “fun” books to lessons this week. You might even be able to take home my fun books)

September 19 **VACATION DAY**

September 26 **NEW Passport begins**

October 3

October 10 **GROUP LESSONS**

October 17

October 24

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November 7 **VACATION DAY**

November 14 **New Passport begins**

November 21

November 28

December 5 **GROUP LESSONS**

December 12 **GROUP LESSONS / RECITAL**

December 19 **VACATION DAY** –Get ONLY fun stuff to work on Christmas break!

Here’s what the 1st passport looks like:

Piano Vacation Passport #1



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August 8
August 15
August 22
August 29
September 5
September 12

3 of 4 checked?

Practice time?

5 of 6 checked?

What kind of vacation would you like on September 19th? Pick 1-2

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Games | <input type="checkbox"/> Ear Training |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Jazz | <input type="checkbox"/> Playing Duets |
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