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## Fèis Latharna Weekly Lessons

Positions: Tutors for Fiddle, Guitar and Accordion/Whistle (1 year) Rate: £32 - £42.50 per hour (Depending on the experience you can bring to the role) Time: 10am-1pm (Saturday mornings during school term time) in Oban

Fèis Latharna was established in 1994 with the aim of promoting opportunities for young people in the Oban and Lorn area, between the ages of 8-18 to receive tuition in the Gaelic arts. Participants are able to learn traditional music, Gaelic songs, and take part in Gaelic drama sessions and much more through our programmes. Over more than 30 years we have seen sustained growth with numerous opportunities for young people taking place throughout the year.

We are currently seeking paid tutors for Fiddle, Guitar and Accordion/Whistle for our Saturday classes. Applicants must be available to deliver tuition in person in Oban across all Saturday mornings during term time (August 2025 – June 2026). A full list of term dates is available at the end of this document.

## Job Description: Specific tasks

Our weekly lessons programme will deliver an inspiring and engaging experience of traditional music for our participants, with a number of performance opportunities throughout the year. Successful applicants will be required to carry out the following tasks:

- 1. Plan and deliver weekly instrumental lessons in person during school term-time.
- 2. Lessons are delivered in English however tutors should be comfortable using Gaelic within their lessons. Support can be provided by the Feis for this if necessary.
- 3. Follow and implement Fèis Latharna's Child Protection Policy at all Fèis events, including upholding a duty of care to class participants.
- 4. Maintain simple records in order to track class participants' progress e.g. practice diaries.
- 5. Regularly liaise with participant parents/guardians to keep them informed on updates and session information following Fèis Latharna's Data Protection Policy.
- 6. Attend to all reasonable matters related to the role of Fèis Latharna instrumental tutor.

Tutors must either have, or be willing to apply for, membership of the Protecting Vulnerable Groups scheme.

To apply, please send your CV and a cover letter detailing your experience and suitability for the role to mail@feislatharna.org. Applications must be submitted no later than 5pm on Monday 23rd June 2025.



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For any further information, please feel free to get in touch.

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Fèis Latharna Committee

Term Dates follow Argyll and Bute Council school holidays:

2025 Aug 16, 23, 30 Sep 6, 13, 20, 27, Oct 18, 25, Nov 1, 8, 15, 29, Dec 6, 13

2026 Jan 10, 17, 24, 31, Feb 21, 28, Mar 7, 14, 21, 28, Apr 25, May 2, 9, 16, 30, June 6, 13, 20, 27