



Private Lesson Information

Private tuition is an essential part of moving from a social fencer, training just for fitness and fun, to a more serious fencer looking to achieve competitively. Russell Swords is proud to provide expert 1-2-1 tuition for all ages and levels of ability. You can find our prices and terms below, but don't hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.



PRICING:

- Private lessons - £40 per month for regular 20/30-minute slot per week.
- Additional ad-hoc lessons - £15 for 20 minutes
- Coaching at events - £10 local / £20 long-distance

Peak-time lessons run 17:00-21:30 and last 20 minutes. Outside these times is considered off-peak and lessons are 30 minutes long.

TERMS:

- You must be a paid-up member of Cardiff Academy of Fencing to receive 1-2-1 lessons at the salle (note, this does not mean you have to represent CAF or Russell Swords at events)
- The lesson fees are an annual membership (of £480) broken down into a monthly payment. Therefore, you cannot stop and restart payments due to absence/holidays. Coaches need a stable income throughout the year, and this is reflected by charging a reduced fee, but consistently through the period. In the event of long-term injury/illness, we will of course endeavour to help as much as possible.
- Lessons for the month must be paid for at the same time each month by standing order to the bank account detailed below.
- Occasionally your coach may be unable to make a lesson. They will let you know as soon as possible if this is the case. In this event, either another qualified coach will cover the lesson, a catch-up lesson will be arranged, or a full refund provided.
- Fencers are not able to sell on/pass their lesson slot to another fencer.
- If you miss/cancel a lesson there will be no re-arrangements or reimbursement.
- Your payment per month is for a 4-week period, so lessons will be provided 48 weeks of the year. Coaches are entitled to take the remaining 4 weeks as annual leave, though they will time this to minimise the impact of students whenever possible.

BANK DETAILS:

- Account Name: Russell Swords Ltd
- Account Number: 03850700
- Sort Code: 30 96 00

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