Online music lessons with ZOOM

1. When you are ready for your lesson, click the link to my Zoom meeting, with the Meeting ID that I sent you in an email.

You will be directed to the Waiting Room. I will 'admit' you once I have finished my lesson with the previous student.

For any students under the age of 18, please make sure a parent is present at the beginning and end of your lesson.

2. If you can, please set up using a laptop/computer. It has many more audio features on Zoom that can improve the sound quality of musical instruments. (If you need to use a tablet or phone you may not have all of these options, so just do what you can.)

3. In Zoom Audio settings Un-tick the box "Automatically adjust volume" (see below)

Then click on "Advanced" at the bottom of the page:

4. *If you have the new updated version of Zoom (5.3.1) continue here. If not, please go to step 5 instead.*

Tick "Show in-meeting option to Enable Original Sound"
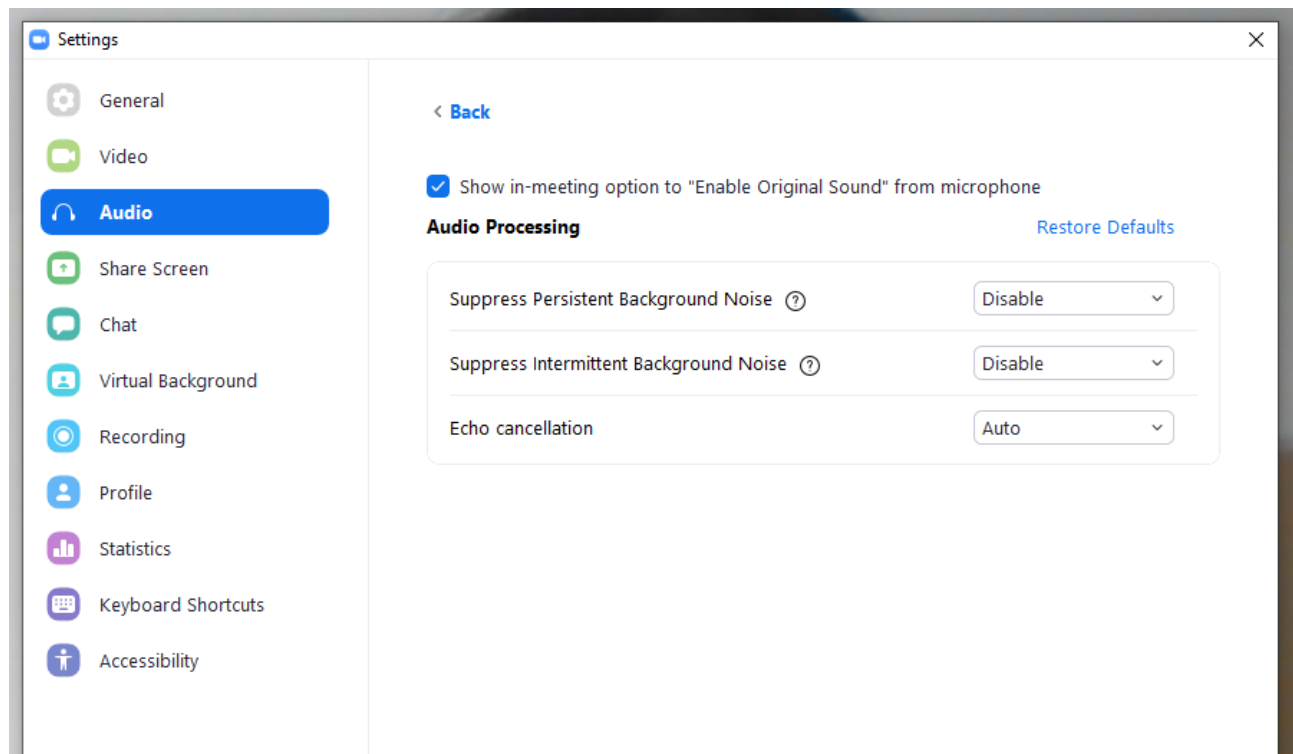
Tick "High fidelity music mode"
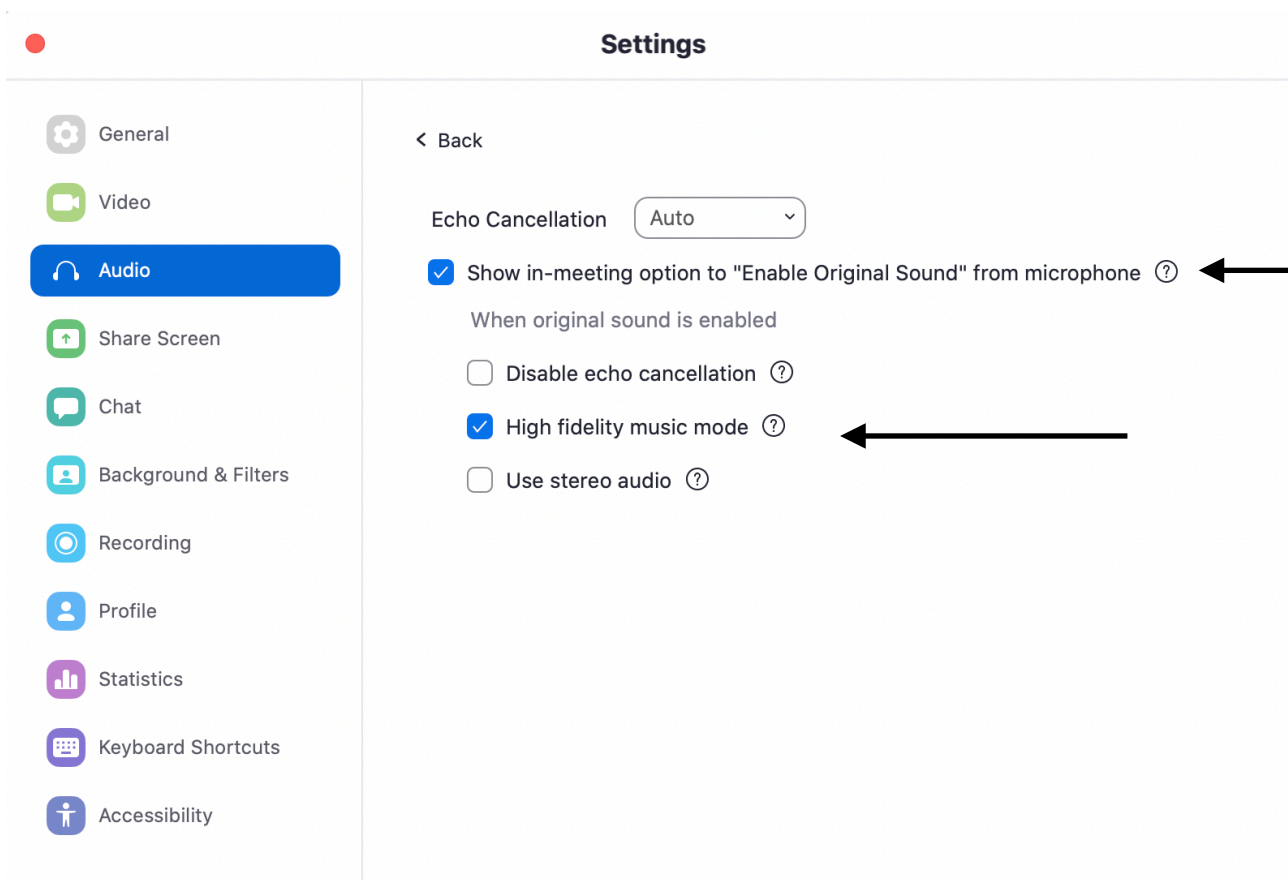
Move on to Step 6.

5. If you have an older version of Zoom, you will see this instead:

Tick "Show in-meeting option to Enable Original Sound"

Disable "Suppress Persistent Background Noise"

Disable "Suppress Intermittent Background Noise"

6. Back on the main screen, in the top left corner, click on "Turn on Original Sound" (so that it says "Turn off original sound")

You will need to click on this every time you log in for a piano lesson.

You are now set up!