



Private Chess Lessons

Hi, I am Michael Angelo and I have been teaching Southern California youth as a professional chess coach for over a decade. I have a proven program designed to help your child reach his or her optimum potential. My approach is simple, make the game fun while stimulating the desire to study its inner secrets. Lessons are taught in the home or on the Internet and include a free Internet chess club account along with an email address at thinkchess.com. Homework is assigned and a curriculum is tailored to your child's particular needs.

There are three courses available, monthly, annual and apprentice. The monthly plan is \$180 for four lessons taught on a once a week basis in the student's home. If the home is not available then the lessons can be given at a local library, school or restaurant. Parents are welcome to sit in on beginner lessons and can take advanced lessons with the child for \$5 per lesson. Advanced lessons usually start on the ninth week. The annual course is \$2000 a savings of \$160. It can be paid semi-annually. This course also entitles the student to a private coach at 2 tournaments during the year. Additional tournaments a nominal fee is charged. Students can pair up for lessons and save. Annual pairs are \$ 2400 and monthly pairs are \$220. The apprentice course is four days a week an hour a day. An online lesson per month as well as personal coaching at three local tournaments per year is included. Arrangements for more tournaments are negotiable. The fee is \$520 per month or \$6000 per year. The annual apprentice course is subject to a one month lay off at the coach's request.

Internet chess lessons are also available and have the benefit of access to your coach at times when it would otherwise be impossible. The monthly plan is only \$100 and an annual plan is negotiable. Extra lessons per week are \$20 each.

References available upon request.

Enrollment is limited. Adult lessons are available.

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