**INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM**

**2024 ENROLMENT FORM**

Please return this form by **Wednesday 21/02/24.**

You can leave it in the drop box at the **Music Information Night**, or you can hand it in to the General Office at Weeroona College Bendigo during business hours (8.15am – 4.15pm). Please note student’s preferences will be considered in the order of which forms are received.

If you have further questions, please contact the Performing Arts Department coordinator Mr Chris Blackshaw: christopher.blackshaw@education.vic.gov.au.

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| Student’s given name  |  | Student’s surname |  |  |
| Primary school |  |  |
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|  |  |  | We attended the Music Information Evening  |  |
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| ***OR*** |  |  | We were unable to attend the Music Information Evening. We will contact the Music Department ASAP to arrange time to meet with music teachers and try out instruments. My child and I understand that we cannot fill in an **Instrument Choices** sheet until we have met the music teachers and discussed our options with them.  |
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| **Parent/Carer Contact details** (please print clearly) |  |
| Name |  |  |
| Address |  |  |
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| Home phone |  | Mobile\* |  |  |
| Email \* |  |  |
| *\* The Music Department will often use bulk email and bulk SMS messaging to send out information about Music events.* |  |

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| **Previous music education** *Note: this is NOT a requirement. No previous experience necessary.* |  |
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| Have you learnt an instrument before?  | **Yes**  |  | **No**  |  |  |  |
| If you ticked Yes: Which instrument have you learnt?  |  |  |
| How many years have you learnt this instrument for? (approx.) |  |  |
|  Do you have your own instrument?  | **Yes**  |  | **No**  |  |  |  |
| Would you like to keep learning this instrument at school in 2023, or are you planning to take up a new instrument? |  |
|  |  | **Keep learning the instrument I’ve learnt previously** |  |  | **Take up a new instrument** |  |
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| **INSTRUMENT CHOICES** |
| **Which instruments would you like to learn this year?**  * Show us three preferences.
* We expect we’ll be able to allocate most students their first preference. It will depend on the number of places available on each instrument and the number of students asking to learn each instrument.
* We will notify you in mid-February to confirm your enrolment in the music program.
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|  **1st Preference** (tick one box) |  | **Playing this instrument would be:** |  |
|  |  | **Viola** |  |  | **Tuba** |  |  | **Saxophone** |  |  |  | ***Awesome*** |  |
|  |  | **Violin** |  |  | **Euphonium** |  |  | **Clarinet** |  |  |  | **Really, really good** |  |
|  |  | **Double Bass** |  |  | **Trombone** |  |  | **Flute** |  |  |  | **Really good** |  |
|  |  | **Bass Guitar** |  |  | **French Horn** |  |  | **Percussion** |  |  |  | **Good** |  |
|  |  | **Guitar** |  |  | **Trumpet** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **Okay** |  |
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|  **2nd Preference** (tick one box) |  | **Playing this instrument would be:** |  |
|  |  | **Viola** |  |  | **Tuba** |  |  | **Saxophone** |  |  |  | ***Awesome*** |  |
|  |  | **Violin** |  |  | **Euphonium** |  |  | **Clarinet** |  |  |  | **Really, really good** |  |
|  |  | **Double Bass** |  |  | **Trombone** |  |  | **Flute** |  |  |  | **Really good** |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | **French Horn** |  |  | **Percussion** |  |  |  | **Good** |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | **Trumpet** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **Okay** |  |
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|  **3rd Preference** (tick one box) |  | **Playing this instrument would be:** |  |
|  |  | **Viola** |  |  | **Tuba** |  |  | **Saxophone** |  |  |  | ***Awesome*** |  |
|  |  | **Violin** |  |  | **Euphonium** |  |  | **Clarinet** |  |  |  | **Really, really good** |  |
|  |  | **Double Bass** |  |  | **Trombone** |  |  | **Flute** |  |  |  | **Really good** |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | **French Horn** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **Good** |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | **Trumpet** |  |  |  |  |  |  | **Okay** |  |
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|  | **Student’s agreement:** *Please sign so we know you understand the system:*  |  |
| I understand that Music teachers will give me my highest preference possible, depending on: 1) the places that are available2) the demand for each instrument. **I would be happy to learn any one of the three instruments I have ticked in the boxes above**. |
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| Signature of student  |  |  |
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| **TIME COMMITMENTS AND AGREEMENTS:** **Let’s make sure we agree how this is going to work, right from the start.** |
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|  | **Practice Plan:****To be successful in music takes consistent practice*.*** *Practice has to fit into the family’s routine*. Remembering to practise is a joint effort between student and parents. Please outline how you are planning to fit in ***five or more practice sessions each week***. |  |
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|  | **Time**(eg 4.30 – 4.50pm) | **Room**(eg bedroom) |  |  |  |  |
| **Monday** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Tuesday** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Wednesday** |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Thursday** |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Saturday**  |  |  |  |  |  |
| **Sunday**  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| **Parent/Student agreement** |
| I **agree** to keep up the following commitments for this **full school year**: |
| * **Regular home** **practice**: 15-minute sessions, 4 times per week as per practice plan.
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| * Attendance at a **weekly instrumental** **lesson** during school time.
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| * Attendance at **ensemble** **performances** during the year, out of school hours.
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| * Attendance at a **weekly ensemble** **rehearsal**:
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| * Provide my child with **appropriate time and space to practise** regularly at home.
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| * **Arrange transport** **to weekly rehearsals**  *(****8.00am*** *on Wednesdays for all year beginning woodwind, brass and percussion students)*
* Arrange transport to school performances **out of school hours**.
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| * Ensure that my child **takes proper care** of the instrument.
* Ensure that full payment is made to the WCB General Office or ensure that alternative payment arrangements are made by 2nd March 2024.
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| Signature of Parent  |  |  |
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| Signature of Student  |  |  |
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| **Financial arrangement:**  |
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| **How much will Instrumental Music cost?** |
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**For all Instrumental Music students, the Instrumental Music Program levy for is $340 for the year, $85 per term\* or discuss a payment plan with the General Office\*\*.**

**\***The due dates for paying the Instrumental Music Program levy one term at a time –

**Term 1 –** 2nd March **Term 2 –** 28th April
**Term 3 –** 24th July
**Term 4 –** 7th October

\*\*Payment plans need to be organised by 2nd March and regular payments made through the year

***Please note:*** *Instrumental Music lessons are a full-year commitment.*

 *If your child is enrolled in the Instrumental Program, you required to pay for it.*

 *Any payments made are non-refundable.*

**Payment Options Include –** EFTPOS, BPAY and Cash. All payment options other than BPAY should be made to the General Office.

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|  | *It is expected that payment will be finalised by March 2nd 2024*If you expect to have difficulty affording a payment by the required date, please contact the College’s Business Manager to discuss alternative payment arrangements.These arrangements will be treated confidentially. |  |
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