



Expression of Interest for Instrumental Beginner Lessons in 2020

Dear Parents

In 2020, there will be beginner intake classes for **new** Instrumental Music students currently in Year 3 moving into Year 4. Current Year 4's and above can apply if not currently in the program.

The Instrumental Music program at Magill School is staffed by teachers employed through the DfE Instrumental Music (IM). It is a small group tuition program, which leads toward participation in balanced school music ensembles.

Next year, Magill School students will have access to all instruments listed below from Year 4.

Every endeavour will be made to accommodate all applicants. Children are encouraged to make two selections on this form and indicate what their first and second preference is. If there is too many students for places in beginner classes, applicants will be chosen based on music ability, suitability for specific instruments, and the balance of ensembles.

Students learning an instrument privately **cannot** learn that same instrument in a DfE group tuition lesson, however, these students may wish to join one of our ensembles if there are vacancies that maintain balance. A decision will be made after a meeting with the ensemble director.

Students are only permitted to learn one instrument in small group tuition through the Instrumental Music program at Magill School.

It is important to note that if your child is already learning an instrument through our Instrumental Music program then there is an expectation that they stay with this instrument.

INSTRUMENTS

Here is some information about instruments if your child is selected into the 2020 Instrumental Music program.

There are a number of Magill School instruments available for hire at an annual fee of \$140.00 for violins and \$180.00 for most other instruments. Most woodwind & brass instruments are hired from private companies at competitive prices (Hire costs attached). Percussion requires the purchase, *not* hire, of a practice pad, stand, sticks and a tutor book at a cost of approx. \$90. A drum kit is not necessary straight away. Classical Guitar requires the purchase of a nylon string (not steel string acoustic) classical guitar. Please **do not** make private hiring arrangements. If purchasing an instrument, please consult with Instrumental Music teacher.

Please complete this form and return to Rachel Owens via email Rachel.Owens318@schools.sa.edu.au or via the Front Office no later than **Friday, 15th November, 2019**.

My child _____ currently in year _____ Class _____

Would like to learn the following instrument (Please nominate students two choices).

| | 1 | 2 | | 1 | 2 |
|--------------|---|---|------------------|---|---|
| Violin/Viola | | | Trumpet | | |
| Cello | | | Trombone | | |
| Double Bass | | | French Horn | | |
| Clarinet | | | Euphonium | | |
| Flute | | | Percussion | | |
| Saxophone | | | Classical Guitar | | |

My child is currently learning _____ outside of school and would like to be considered for:

String Ensemble Concert Band

Parent/Caregiver Signature _____ Date _____

Parent name _____

Parent email _____ Telephone _____

School Hire Prices

January 2020



SCHOOL BUDGET YEARLY HIRE PRICES

Invoiced at the start of each Year. Prices include GST.

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|--------------------------|--------|--------------------------|-------|
| Flute | \$212 | | |
| | | Cello - full size | \$349 |
| Clarinet | \$212 | Cello - part sizes | \$270 |
| Alto Saxophone | \$396 | | |
| Tenor Saxophone | \$486 | | |
| Soprano Saxophone | \$504 | | |
| Baritone Saxophone | \$1080 | | |
| Trumpet | \$212 | | |
| Trombone | \$234 | | |



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