

2021 Instrumental Music Program

The Instrumental Music Program at Mill Park Secondary College offers students the opportunity to develop skills and knowledge about an instrument of their choice.

This includes voice, guitar, electric bass, drum-kit, keyboard, flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet and trombone at Year 7 – 12. This also gives them an opportunity to participate in College ensembles and music performances such as 'Song & Dance' Concert. We hope that your child will enjoy being involved in the Instrumental Music Program and develop a greater appreciation of music and the development of instrumental music skills.

2021 Instrumental Music Program Enrolment

All students who wish to participate in the program are required to complete the selections below and indicate their intentions for involvement in the Instrumental Music Program for 2021. This enrolment is required for <u>all students who wish to participate in the program for 2021</u>, even if they are currently having Instrumental Music lessons.

Senior Campus Instrumental Music Program

It is highly recommended that students who have enrolled in Years 10-12 Music Performance subjects also enrol for instrumental lessons. This allows the extra benefit of a more individualised approach and will complement their studies in music. Depending on the subjects selected, some VCE students may benefit from having lessons for two instruments.

Fees: The fees per instrument in 2021 will be \$105 per semester/\$210 per year. Payment for the Instrumental Music Program must be made by 1st March 2021, unless previous payment plan arrangements have been made. If paying per semester, 2nd semester payment must be made by 18th June 2021.

Please note: Range of instruments and placement into lessons is based on staff availability.

Student's Name:			H/G:	New Student to MPSC	\checkmark	
Campus 2021: Middle Years Campus	\checkmark	Senior Campus	V	Parent/Guardian Name:		
Parent/Guardian Contact Number:				Parent/Guardian Email:		

Instrumental Selection – 1st Preference (Please tick the instrument that you would like to enrol into for 2021)

Trumpet	\checkmark	Trombone	\checkmark	Flute	\checkmark
Clarinet	\checkmark	Saxophone	\checkmark	Keyboard	\checkmark
Contemporary Voice	\checkmark	Guitar (Acoustic or Electric)	\checkmark	Electric Bass	\checkmark
Drum Kit	\checkmark				

Instrumental Selection – 2nd Preference (Please tick a second choice instrument if you wish to learn a second instrument (VCE only) or you are happy to accept the 2nd instrument if the 1st preference instrument is not available)

Trumpet	\checkmark	Trombone	\checkmark	Flute	\checkmark
Clarinet	\checkmark	Saxophone	\checkmark	Keyboard	\checkmark
Contemporary Voice	\checkmark	Guitar (Acoustic or Electric)	\checkmark	Electric Bass	\checkmark
Drum Kit	\checkmark				

Current Instrumental Music Enrolment Status (select only one)

Current instrumental student and wish to re-enrol with same instrument	V	Current instrumental student and wish to re-enrol but wish to change instrument preference	\checkmark	Current instrumental student but now in VCE and wanting to learn a 2 nd instrument in addition to current instrument	V
New enrolment for Instrumental Music	V				

Instrumental music lessons are held during school hours and students are withdrawn on a rotating basis from their other subject classes. Where possible, Year 12 students will be given lessons during their study sessions. Lessons for Years 7-10 students are normally in small groups while VCE students are offered individual/small group lessons to cater for the needs of the VCE curriculum. Your child's placement will be confirmed at the start of 2021.



Music Performance Elective Subject selections in 2021

All Instrumental Music students are encouraged to participate in Music Classroom subjects. Please indicate if you/your child has selected any of the following. (select one only)

\checkmark	Year 9 Music Performance	\vee	Year 10 Music Performance	\checkmark
\checkmark	VCE Music Performance 3&4	\checkmark	VCE Music Investigations Units 3&4	V
\checkmark	Have not selected Music as an elective subject	\checkmark		
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All Ensemble Participation

All instrumental students are encouraged to be involved in ensembles and performances. Please indicate the types of ensembles you/your child is likely to be interested in participating in.

Vocal Ensemble	\checkmark	Percussion Ensemble	\checkmark	Guitar Ensemble	\checkmark
Brass and Woodwind Ensemble	\checkmark	Contemporary bands	\checkmark	Classical style group	\checkmark
Stage/Jazz band	\checkmark	Cultural influenced group	\checkmark	College Production band	\checkmark
Other:					

Please describe your child's musical background e.g. previous lessons, self-taught, community or school involvement, etc.

Additional information: Please describe any additional information or special needs relevant to you/your child participating in Instrumental music lessons

Instrument Hire: (select one only)

It is an expectation that all students have an instrument for home practice. School hire instruments are ONLY available for flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet and trombone. All other instruments are not available for hire.

\checkmark	I will need to hire a flute, clarinet, saxophone, trumpet or trombone from MPSC
\checkmark	I have my own instrument at home
\checkmark	I am a voice student and therefore I do not require an instrument
	I do not have an instrument at home to practice on

Participation & Commitment

We understand the expectations and participation in the Instrumental Music Program at MPSC for 2021. I will participate in the Instrumental Music Program by completing set tasks/attend weekly sessions and practice. Participate in various school bands, ensembles & performances. I parent/guardian understand that I will need to contact the Instrumental Music Teacher to advise of any concerns, in regards to my child's attendance. We accept responsibility for the safe upkeep and cost of repair to the school instruments used/damaged. I will provide an instrument for practice at home.

V I agree with the	above participation and commitment guidelines
√ Other:	

Parent/Guardian Signature:	Date: