



ST PIUS X COLLEGE

CHATSWOOD

MUSIC TUITION APPLICATION 2018

The Performing Arts Department at St Pius X College offers tuition **during school hours and on the College premises** for students wishing to learn an instrument. Tuition is currently offered in the following:

- Brass (Trumpet, French Horn, Trombone, Baritone, Euphonium, Tuba)
- Woodwind (Flute, Oboe, Bassoon, Clarinet, Saxophone)
- Strings (Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass)
- Percussion (including Drum Kit and Mallet/Tuned Percussion)
- Piano (Classical and Modern)
- Guitar- Acoustic, Electric and Bass (Classical and Modern)
- Voice
- Musicianship or Theory
- Music Production

Students usually have 8 – 10 lessons per term. The cost of each lesson is \$45.00. Music tuition fees are payable directly to the relevant tutor **in advance**, on the receipt of an account. Payment must be made within **two weeks** of receiving the invoice. If a decision is made to discontinue lessons, both the Music Tutor **and** the Performing Arts Coordinator must be informed **in writing, three weeks in advance**. Should notification be given during school holidays (including Christmas), then three lessons will be invoiced at the start of the following term. All music lessons take place during class time, with students withdrawn from class for 30 minutes on a rotational basis throughout the day. **No guarantee can be made for requests of before school, recess, lunchtime or after school lessons.**

It is compulsory for all students learning a Band/Orchestral instrument or voice at the College, to be involved in the appropriate ensemble, once they have reached a sufficient level of experience. There is a Performing Arts Festival during Term 4, where it is **compulsory** for all students who learn an instrument and/or voice at the College to perform, to the level of their experience.

There is a Performing Arts Parents Association at the College, whose purpose is to support the Performing Arts Department in providing musical instruments, equipment, repairs and other resources. To support the program, each student who undertakes tuition and/or participates in an ensemble is charged an annual levy. In 2018 this levy is \$230.00 per student.

Students are able to hire a variety of orchestral/band instruments from the College (except piano, guitar and drums). The hire of instruments is subject to availability and the needs of the ensembles. The fee to hire a College musical instrument is \$245.00 per year.

If your son is interested in learning an instrument at the College, please complete and return the form below. By signing the document below you are agreeing to the terms and conditions outlined above and in the Co-Curricular Music Information Booklet. If you would like any further details about Music tuition, please check the College website or contact one of the Performing Arts staff.

Ms Tracey Bates
Performing Arts Co-ordinator

RETURN TO THE PERFORMING ARTS CO-ORDINATOR

I would like my son to undertake music tuition at the College.

Student Name: _____ Academic Year 2018: _____

Instrument Requested: _____ Instrument Hire? Yes / No

Previous music experience: _____

Parent's Name: _____

Home: _____ Work: _____ Mobile: _____

Email: _____ (All participants in the tuition program are included on the PAPA email list)

Signature: _____

I UNDERSTAND THAT BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, I AM AGREEING TO THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS SET OUT IN THE MUSIC TUITION APPLICATION FORM AND THE CO-CURRICULAR MUSIC INFORMATION BOOKLET

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