

INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM ENROLMENT 2019



In aspiring to deliver a service of excellence, Collingwood College has developed a comprehensive Instrumental Music Program that provides a wide range of opportunities for students who wish to experience the expressive and creative qualities of learning to play a musical instrument. We seek to enable all Instrumental Music students to realise their full musical potential.

The principle aim of the Instrumental Music Program is to build skills and techniques on an instrument, to expose pupils to new and challenging repertoire and to offer the opportunity to experience the joy of making music together through participation in activities such as concerts, fairs, tours and events.

Collingwood College is committed to a vision of education as a powerful force in community development. The program is inclusive and ensures access for all young people to participate in activities such as orchestras, bands and ensembles.

Tuition

Tuition is offered weekly by a professional team of experienced instrumental staff. Students can take individual or small group lessons. Small string groups consist of 2 students. Small groups of other instruments may be up to 4 students.

Daily home practice is essential and must be regular and consistent for progress to be maintained. All music staff request parental support to establish and maintain an effective practice routine.

Parents are asked to further support their children's musical development by ensuring their child has an appropriate instrument and the required music book.

Instruments

Tuition is offered in the following instruments:

- Strings (cello, viola and violin)
- Percussion and Drum Kit
- Voice
- Woodwind (flute, clarinet, saxophone)
- Brass (trumpet, trombone)
- Guitar and Bass Guitar
- Keyboard and Piano.

Students in the Main Program may elect to learn any of the instruments on offer from Grade 3 onwards.

Students in the Steiner Program from Classes 3-6 are part of the compulsory strings program and may elect to learn either the Violin, Viola or Cello. In later years there may be the option to switch to Double Bass. There is a class string orchestra rehearsal once a week leading to performances within the school and music based excursions and camps.

Steiner students in Class 6 may elect to learn a second instrument. However, this does require an extra time commitment to practise and to lessons and will need to be discussed with the classroom teacher and instrumental teacher. In Class 7 onwards, students are encouraged to continue with their string instrument. However, they are also free to learn a different instrument during their High School years.

Fees

Instrumental Music Lessons are fully funded by parents/guardians. Fees are payable upon enrolment and a separate fee is payable for ensembles.

<u>Lesson type</u>	<u>Lesson length</u>	<u>Cost per lesson</u>	<u>Annual fee</u>
<u>STRINGS</u>			
Individual strings	30 minutes	\$36	\$36x32 lessons= \$1152
Paired strings	40 minutes	\$24 per student	\$24x32 lessons= \$768
<u>NON-STRINGS</u>			
Individual	30 minutes	\$36	\$36x32 lessons= \$1152
Group	30 minutes	\$18 per student	\$18x32 lessons= \$576

Class Orchestra is compulsory for Steiner Students in Class 3-6.

The fee for Class 4-6 Orchestra is \$256 per year.

Class 3 Orchestra starts in Term 3 and the fee is \$128 for the semester.

For further information please contact the Instrumental Music Coordinator at Music@Collingwood.vic.edu.au

Enrolment

Name of Student

Year level/class

Instrument choice

Experience?

Type of lesson (please circle) Individual / Group

Parent name

Email address

Phone number

Enrolment forms are due back to the office by **30 November 2018**.
Payment can be made via Compass. 50% of fees are due by **30 November**.