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A.M.E.B. PRACTICAL EXAMS

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Each year the College enters a number of students for Australian Music Examination Board exams on their chosen instrument. Your child has been recommended by their teacher or has expressed an interest in sitting one of these exams. These exams give students a valuable experience in preparing and presenting a musical program in a formal setting. The A.M.E.B exams are <u>not</u> held at Viewbank College but are usually held at <u>259 Auburn Rd, Hawthorn.</u> Students will need to make their own way to and from the exam. Exams can be scheduled on any day between the dates below, (Monday-Sunday) between the hours of 9am and 6pm, except on public holidays.

If there are any dates that your son/daughter would be unable to attend, please indicate this on your child's enrolment form.

The Examination dates are:

There are a couple of expenses involved with sitting for an exam. Firstly, there is a fee for each level of exam which is set out below. Secondly, students are required to play pieces accompanied by the piano, as part of their practical exam. We are happy to recommend accompanists for you or you can organise your own.

The exam fees are set out below.

2020 A.M.E.B. – LEVEL EXAM FEES				
Preliminary	\$86			
Grade 1	\$93			
Grade 2	\$99			
Grade 3	\$110			
Grade 4	\$117			
Grade 5	\$124			
Grade 6	\$141			
Grade 7	\$167			
Grade 8	\$192			

If your child would like to enroll for an exam, please return the attached form with the appropriate exam fee to the **Music Office** by no later than:

• 5TH Session – Wednesday – 24th July

P.T.O.

The fee for the accompanist is NOT to be paid to the College but is to be organised with the accompanist at the first rehearsal. Approximate costs are listed below.

ACCOMPANIMENT FEES (GUIDELINE ONLY)

Preliminary – 4 \$90 - \$120 Grade 5 – 8 \$180 - \$300

The cost is dependent upon the number of rehearsals required.

If you have any questions regarding the exams please feel free to contact me.

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2020 A.WI.L.B. PRACTICAL EXAMS					
STUDENT NAME: D.O.B: HOME GROUP: D.O.B:					
INSTRUMENT: EXAM GRADE:					
DATES UNAVAILABLE FOR EXAM (if any):					
SESSION 1 ST 2 ND 3 RD 4 TH 5 TH (Please tick session)					
EXAM FEE ENCLOSED: \$					
(DO NOT INCLUDE THE FEE FOR PIANO ACCOMPANIST WITH EXAM PAYMENT)					
PARENT'S SIGNATURE:					
PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED SLIP AND EXAM FEE TO:					
THE MUSIC OFFICE					
BY NO LATER THAN THE DATES AS LISTED FOR THE RELEVANT SESSION					
Payment Details for Exam Entry Only:					
Cash Cheque (made payable to Viewbank College)					
Credit Card (please circle) - MasterCard Visa					
Amount \$					
Card No:					
Expiry date:					
Signature: Print name:					

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