

The instrumental Course Overview and fees.

It has been proven through countless studies that the benefits of learning to play a musical instrument and having a quality music education are beyond a shadow of a doubt vital to improve the cognitive development of a growing creative mind. It naturally feeds their **creativity** while instilling important values such as **hard work, dedication, perseverance, problem solving, team work, sense of achievement, self-confidence and above all fun!**

Individual lessons:

Students are given the opportunity to learn to play a musical instrument one on one with a professional instrument tutor. These lessons are 30 minutes in duration.

Duos –Octets

These lessons are offered for specific instruments. Violin/strings, flute, saxophone, clarinet, percussion and guitar.

Ensemble performance classes:

Specially trained conductors will teach the ensemble classes to student wanting to expand their musical horizons by entering the rewarding new world of ensemble performance!

Price Guide:

Number of Students per Class	Solo (1)	Duo (2)	Trio (3)	Quartet (4)	Sextet (6)	Octet (8)	Mixed Ensembles 10 or more
Rate (\$) per 30 Minute Instrument lesson	\$40	\$25	\$20	\$15 *	\$12 *	\$10 *	Not offered
Rate (\$) per 45 minute Instrument lesson	Not offered	Not Offered	\$32 *	\$25 *	\$20 *	\$15 *	\$10 Solo lessons also required.
Rate (\$) per 60 minute Instrument	Offered on request	\$50 *	\$45 *	\$38 *	\$30 *	\$20 *	\$15 Solo lessons also required.

* 30 minute rate is only offered up to Octet for Violin lessons in lower primary (Moyen-yr1). All other instrument lessons will only be offered up to **trio** for lower primary.

* 45 minute rate will be offered to **students in middle primary (yr2-4) (trio-Octet)**

* 60 minute rate will be offered to **students in upper primary (from yrs 5-7 and above)**

Mixed ensemble lessons of 10 students or more are only offered to students already learning an instrument in yrs 3 - yr 12.

Instrumental lessons are paid 11 lessons in advanced at the time of enrolment and will be invoiced by the school at the beginning of the following 11 lesson cycle. There are 3 payment cycles throughout the year.

Holiday lessons can be organised through the coordinator by email in conjunction with the relevant tutor.

Parents are invited to enrol for instrument lessons with our tutors after school hours from 5.30-7pm

An annual membership fee of \$5 per student and \$15 for ensemble students will be collected at the beginning of enrolment and the beginning of the following years thereafter. This will cover the cost of administration, social events for all members, sheet music cost for ensemble members and photo copying for all students.

Lessons will commence on 25th August 2014 from Monday to Friday till the end of the school year.

Places are limited! A list will be provided for instrument lesson classes that are full.