



# Clonard College

## Geelong

2017

This form is to be completed by all new and continuing students to ensure a position in the instrumental programme for next year. Please complete all details and return the form to Clonard College.

Surname:..... Student's Christian Name.....

D.O.B..... Pastoral Care Group.....

I wish my child to learn:..... (instrument)

Do you wish to hire an instrument if there is a school instrument available? YES / NO

If you have learnt previously, please state:

AMEB / ANZCA Grade reached (if applicable) - Instrument / Theory:.....

Choice of Lesson (*Please Tick*) – see over for descriptions of each lesson

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|--------------------------|---|---------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 30 minute lesson (recommended Beginner – Grade 3 AMEB)                                    | \$31.00 + GST |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | 45 minute lesson (recommended Grade 4 AMEB Upwards incl. VCE)                             | \$46.00 + GST |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Group Lesson (group of 2 – beginner only) – cost per student<br>(Not available for piano) | \$21.00 + GST |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Band Lesson (group of 3-6 – 45 minutes)   | \$13.00 + GST |

Parent Names: .....

Postal Address:.....Post Code.....

Telephone Numbers: (Home).....(Work).....(Mobile).....

Email Contact: .....

**Please note the following:**

1. It is understood that lessons will be taken for a full year. If lessons are terminated, written notice must be given to the coordinator of music and the individual session teacher giving **6 weeks notice** of intention to cease lessons.
2. Lessons unattended without sufficient prior notice of one school day will be forfeited.
3. Most teachers send out invoices prior to the term beginning with an understanding that the term's lessons shall be provided and made up where a teacher or student is absent due to illness. This is non-refundable should a student stop lessons without proper notice.
4. Instruments available for hire through the school will be allocated in order of receipt of this application form. An instrument may be hired for a maximum period of 12 months.

## **Lesson Descriptions**

### **Individual 30 minute/45 minute lesson**

An individual lesson is always the best option. Music students always make the most progress in this setting where they have one-to-one tuition from an instrumental teacher. This is the only option for students doing or planning to do music exams or VCE music. This option gives the student the freedom to work on anything they want. That might include exams, various styles of music, performance preparation or ensemble preparation. Students taking individual lessons are encouraged to join one of our ensembles (concert band, stage band, string ensemble, rock band, choir, etc).

Instruments are available for hire. Payment for these lessons are made directly to the instrumental teacher.

### **Group lesson of 2 – beginner only**

A group lesson of 2 is similar to the individual lesson and can be a good way to get started on an instrument. Both students need to be at roughly the same level in order for the lesson to function efficiently. This can be a good option for students who like working with others but still want to make good progress on their instrument. Students taking group lessons are encouraged to join one of our ensembles (concert band, stage band, string ensemble, rock band, choir, etc).

Instruments are available for hire. Payment for these lessons are made directly to the instrumental teacher.

### **Band lesson – 45 minute lesson (not available for piano, guitar or voice)**

This lesson is for the student who would like to join one of our bands and continue with the kind of group music making they experienced in the Year 7 program. These lessons are 45 minutes and run outside of school time (lunchtime or after school) with 3 to 6 students. These lessons will focus on music that is being learnt in the ensemble (concert band, stage band or string ensemble) and the students are **required** to join one of these ensembles. Currently Concert Band rehearses 3:30 – 5:00pm Tuesdays, Stage Band rehearses 3:30 – 4:30 Thursdays and String Ensemble rehearses lunchtime Tuesdays.

Students enrolled in these lessons will also be supplied an instrument (if needed) at no extra cost. Payment for these lessons are added to your school fees.