

Private Music Program Conditions

Overview

As part of the Private Music Program at St Margaret's Anglican Girls School, visiting specialist music teachers offer their services to students. Although the visiting music teachers are not direct school employees, the School has a number of expectations and conditions for the visiting music teachers, students engaging their services and the parents of students involved in the Private Music Program.

Outline of the Music Program structure (Private Tuition)

Lessons are negotiated between the student and the music teacher at the beginning of each term.

Lessons are scheduled weekly, with the duration of each lesson being dependent on the level of ability of the student. The average lesson time is 30 minutes.

To be as effective and productive as possible, the student must bring their instrument and music to every lesson.

Both the student and teacher will sign and date a roll every lesson to confirm their attendance.

Fees are billed one term in advance.

Fees must be paid in full by parents/guardians by the due date stated on the invoice. Please note that if payment is not received by the due date then the Private Music Teacher is under no obligation to continue conducting lessons.

Fees are charged at the rate of \$35 per half hour in accordance with the Queensland Music Teachers' Association Guidelines (please note, the QMTA's 2018 rate is \$70 W*ñBT/F5 10.08 Tf1 0 0 1 324.8 440.04 Tm0 g0 G(i)5(s)4(

Expectations and Obligations of the:

Student

Parent/Guardian and

Visiting Music Teacher involved in the Private Music Program

Student:

Ensures they understand and make the commitment to learning an instrument and/or voice. This includes students planning and undertaking regular practice sessions between lessons.

Demonstrates support for the School's Anglican ethos and core values at all times. This includes demonstrating respect and the expected standard of behaviour towards the visiting music teacher at all times.

Acknowledges that unplanned absences from allocated lessons (in cases other than planned and scheduled school activities) will not be made up or rescheduled by the teacher.

Acknowledges their obligations and confirms their support for the music program conditions by signing and dating at the end of the application form.

Parent/Guardian:

Make a commitment to encourage and support their daughter in her music endeavours.

Expect that their daughter will be provided with high quality specialist music tuition by the music teacher in return for payment of tuition fees.

Acknowledge that they are responsible for providing four weeks written notice to the music teacher if the student does not wish to continue lessons, or that they are required to provide payment in lieu of the period of notice less than four weeks to the music teacher.

Acknowledge that lessons missed due to unplanned absence by their daughter, such as illness, will not be made up by the music teacher, but that the music teacher will make up any lessons missed due to illness by the teacher.

Understand and acknowledge that the music teacher will be unable to continue lessons for the student if the term's fees are not paid in full by the due date stated on the invoice.

Acknowledge their obligations and confirm their support for the music program conditions by signing and dating at the end of the application form.

Visiting Music Teacher:

Will provide quality musical tuition to students at regular weekly times negotiated between the student, parents and music teacher