

BEAUDESERT STATE SCHOOL

Dear Parents/Guardians,

Exciting news! We are accepting expressions of interest for the 2025 Instrumental Music Program! If your child is will be in grades 3, 4, 5 or 6 in 2025 and is interested in learning to read music and play one of the following instruments, read on!

| String Instrument (Year 3-6) | Woodwind Instruments (Year 4-6) | Brass Instruments (Years 4-6) | Other Instruments (Years 4-6) |
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| Violin | Flute | Trumpet | Percussion (drums and |
| Viola | Clarinet | Trombone | mallets) |
| Cello | Saxophone | Euphonium | Bass Guitar |

If you'd like to learn more about how learning an instrument benefits the brain, scan the QR code or visit https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ROJKCYZ8hng

The Instrumental Music Program provides tuition on a wide range of musical instruments. Students are required to attend weekly 30-minute lesson during school time. Once they reach an appropriate level, students are also required to participate in a large ensemble rehearsal (usually held one lunch break per week).



Costs Involved - Instrument Supplies

Instruments require various consumable supplies. You will receive more information about what consumable supplies are required once your child's place in the program is confirmed.

Levy

All students are required to pay an instrumental music levy of \$30. This is used to cover the South East Region Instrumental Music levy, photocopying sheet music, purchasing of new repertoire and other equipment.

Instrument Purchase or Hire

The school has some instruments that will be available for use by beginning students.

Instruments can be hired for the duration of the year for \$20 (total \$50 with the levy). This amount contributes to the cost of repairing and servicing the instruments. School instruments will be distributed as fairly as possible. While every effort is given to provide your child with their first choice of instrument, this is not always possible.

Alternatively, you may wish to purchase an instrument for your child. Students with their own instruments are only required to pay the \$30 levy.

If your child would like to learn a musical instrument, please complete the attached form and return to school as soon as possible.

If you have any questions, please contact Tamara Royan (troya4@eq.edu.au) for string instruments or Jane Kruger (jhawk158@eq.edu.au) for woodwind, brass and other instruments.

Kind Regards,

Angela Chant Principal

2025 Instrumental Music Program Application

| Student Name: | | | |
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| Class: | Grade in 2025: | | |
| Violin (limited school instrument may be available, encouraged to supply own instrument) Viola (limited school instrument may be available, encouraged to supply own instrument) Cello (school instrument may be available) | | Band Instruments (Years 4-6) • Flute (school instrument may be available) • Clarinet (school instrument may be available) • Saxophone (school instrument may be available) • Trumpet (school instrument may be available) • Trombone (school instrument may be available) • Euphonium (school instrument may be available) • Bass Guitar (four strings) (must supply own instrument may be available) | |
| | iment Preferences least <u>at least three</u> instruments you are inte | rested in learning. Number 1 being the most preferred: | |
| 1. | | | |
| 2. | | | |
| 3. | | | |
| Instru | Iment Hire (please tick where appropriat | e) | |
| I ar | m interested in providing an instrument sho | uld my child be selected for the program | |
| I ov | wn a and a | am happy for my child to use this instrument at school. | |
| | m unable to provide an instrument for my c 024. I understand I may not able to hire th | child at this stage and would like to hire one at school during is instrument in 2025. | |
| Parent' | s signature: | Date: | |

