



SHREK THE MUSICAL 2018

## Why Learn an Instrument?

There are many advantages to learning a musical instrument and studies have shown that it has many wonderful secondary benefits:

- Helps create friendships
- Increases memory skills
- Teaches perseverance
- Creates a sense of achievement
- Can improve academic results
- Creates responsibility
- Develops time management
- Nurtures self-expression
- Improves listening skills
- Develops concentration
- Can help relieve stress

## Joining the Program

### New Students:

To join the program, simply register your interest via the online form, on the College website, at the start of the school year.

### Current Students:

To continue participating in the program, please register your interest at the start of the school year via the online form on the College website.

A hard copy of the form is also available from the General Office in Term 1.

More information about the program can be found at [www.montysc.vic.edu.au](http://www.montysc.vic.edu.au) - **BEYOND THE CLASSROOM.**

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# INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC PROGRAM

A LIFETIME OF JOY

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## Instrumental Music Program

Montmorency Secondary College has a proud history of providing quality music education. The aim of the MSC Instrumental Music Program is to develop a students' musical, social and personal awareness through participation in music instruction, ensembles, rehearsals, and performances.

Our program provides a rich developmental musical experience for all students in Years 7 to 12. The program is available to students who have never played a musical instrument, through to the accomplished musician. It provides a wide selection of specialist music tuition in woodwind, brass, strings, percussion, and bass guitar. Students also have the choice to study piano, guitar (acoustic or electric) and voice with independent private music teachers.

Students who are learning an instrument are encouraged to participate in the various MSC ensembles to experience the joy of music making and to stimulate their interest in music.

## Lessons

The lessons are held on a rotating basis throughout the school day. The lessons are provided in either small groups, or as individual lessons, depending on the student's level of skill and student groupings. Timetabling the lessons on a rotating basis minimises the disruption to the student's school day.

## Program

### **The College offers tuition in**

- **Woodwind** Flute, Clarinet, Saxophone
- **Brass** Trumpet, Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, French Horn
- **Strings** Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass
- **Other** Bass Guitar, Percussion and Drum Kit

### **Private external teachers provide tuition in:**

- Piano
- Guitar (acoustic or electric)
- Voice

## The Ensemble Program

- Vocal Group
- Guitar Ensemble
- Percussion Ensemble
- Jazz / Stage Band
- String Ensembles
- Production Band
- Concert Band
- Woodwind Choir

