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## Dear Parents/Caregivers,

We would like to provide students in Years 3 and 4 the opportunity to show us an expression of interest to join the Concert Band Program in Term 3 on woodwind and brass. We are fortunate at Kahibah Public School to have a great selection and number of hire instruments available to students, and would like to invite new members to join us next term on flute, clarinet, alto saxophone, trumpet and trombone.

Please read over the following information, and if you wish, complete and return the expression of interest form attached to the School Office by Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June in order to gauge student interest.

#### **Instrumental Lessons:**

We continue to work with local music tutors to provide a dynamic music making experience and opportunity to students, whose knowledge and musical experience is extensive within the industry. Our woodwind and brass tutors for 2022 are as follows:

- Emma Moon Flute, clarinet and alto saxophone
- Janelle Riggs Trumpet and trombone

Tutors will be offering weekly lessons at the following rates inside of school hours:

- Individual lessons (one-on-one tuition) \$30 per half hour
- Paired lessons (a shared lesson of 2 students of the same instrument) \$20 each per half hour

The initial period of instrumental tuition will aim to build and develop students' musical understanding and skills from a beginner level, in preparation for students to later join the School Band/Ensemble.

#### Additional Fees:

#### Instrument Hire: \$60 for the remainder of the school year

Instrumental hire will be necessary for students who do not have a suitable instrument at home and will need to hire one from the school.

#### Band Fee: \$50 per term

At least one term's instrumental tuition will be required before being considered to join the School Band/Ensemble. This fee will not be necessary until such time as joining.

## Resource Pack: \$35 once-off fee

Students will receive their own Accent on Achievement book, lesson and band folders, and exercise book to keep.

When reading over fees above, please take into consideration that students will be making a commitment for the remainder of the school year (2 terms in total).

Should you have any further questions regarding instrumental lessons or School Band/Ensemble in Term 3 please do not hesitate to be in contact.

Kind regards, Mrs Emma Moon

# **CONCERT BAND PROGRAM EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM**

Please return completed form to the School Office by Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022. Thank you

Student Name:		Class:
Parent/Caregiver N	ame:	
Parent/Caregiver C	ontact Number:	
(Please circle the ap	ppropriate responses below)	
Does your child curr	ently learn an instrument outside of so	chool? YES / NO
If YES, please prov	ride the following details: Instrumen	nt
	Length of time receiving tuition	
Does your child wish	n to join the School Band/Ensemble or	
If NO, please answ	er the following questions:	
The instrument my o	child would be most interested in learn	ing is:
Flute	Clarinet	Alto Saxophone
Trumpet	Trombone	
`	guarantee an instrument Its to provide a second and third prefe	rence in instrument
Does your child requ	uire the hire of a school instrument?	YES / NO
Does your child requ	uire lessons (inside of school hours)?	YES / NO
If YES, would you p	refer individual or paired lessons?	INDIVIDUAL / PAIRED
I support my child's needed at home.	involvement in the program and under	rstand that regular practice will be
Parent/Caregiver S	ignature:	Date: