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ORANGE ANGLICAN GRAMMAR SCHOOL

APPLICATION for 2019 Beginner Music Programmes

This form is for parents/carers to indicate an interest in their child becoming a part of the Beginner Band or Beginner String Program in 2019. This would involve a weekly group lesson with a professional tutor, attendance at a band / string rehearsal each week and the occasional performance which would be mostly within the school.

Child's First Name: _____ Child's Last Name: _____

School Year in 2019: _____ Current 2018 Class: _____

Instrument Preference:

Please indicate your 3 instrumental preferences from the following list, if you are unsure please indicate your willingness to be guided by the professional music teaching staff. If applying for the String Programme it is only necessary to list one or two options.

Strings: Violin or Cello

Band: Flute / Clarinet / Saxophone / Trumpet / Trombone / Euphonium

Bass Guitar / Drums/Percussion

1st Choice: _____

2nd Choice: _____

3rd Choice: _____

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Do you already own or have access to your first choice instrument: Yes / No. If yes, please give details:

Please give details of any past musical experience (eg: piano lessons for 2 years age 5)

For Band there will be a limited number of positions for each instrument; choice will be determined by the music staff with the aim of forming balanced instrumental groups and a balanced ensemble. Each child will be given an individual testing session on November 15 to determine if their chosen instrument(s) is physically suitable for them.

The cost of participation in the first semester will be \$100 per term. This fee will be charged through your school account along with school fees. We ask that students make a commitment to stay in the program for at least the first semester of 2019 and they must show a willingness to practice their instrument on a regular basis at home. For band members a weekly group rehearsal will take place to offer further opportunity to develop and reinforce the skills learned in tuition. A method book will also be provided for use throughout the year.

Parent Signature: _____ Student Signature: _____

Please return the completed form to the front office at school by Friday November 9, 2018. If you have any further questions about instrument selection please contact the band director Mr Noel Annett at noel.annett@oags.nsw.edu.au