



HUNTER VALLEY GRAMMAR SCHOOL

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP

Registration to Audition



Applicant's Name

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Closing Date is 1 May 2017

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM
BY 1 MAY 2017 TO:**
The Registrar
Hunter Valley Grammar School
PO Box 458
EAST MAITLAND NSW 2323
ABN 38 003 805 230

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MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP GUIDELINES FOR ENTRY 2018

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS ARE AVAILABLE TO STUDENTS ENTERING YEARS 7 TO 11 IN 2018

Please read the following information and return the Music Scholarship Registration Form completed together with photocopies of the documentation requested.

1. Successful applicants will be informed by mail and invited to audition. Auditioning applicants will be examined on works of their own choice and will be expected to bring with them copies of the music to be performed.
2. Applicants will be required to perform two (2) contrasting works - (if two instruments, one work on each instrument). Applicants must supply their own accompanist.
3. A basic sight reading and aural test within the ability of range of the applicant may be given.
4. Applicants who are invited to audition and are unable to make the audition date set must show extenuating circumstances for the audition to be rescheduled.

ELIGIBILITY

Music Scholarships are available to students who are Australian Citizens or Permanent Residents of Australia.

1. **CANDIDATES APPLYING FOR YEARS 7 - 10 FOR ENTRY 2018:**
Have completed a minimum AMEB / Trinity equivalent of Grade 4+ [instrument or voice]; YES NO

OR be able to supply a supporting letter from your current Instrumental Music Teacher with estimated grading equivalent to AMEB /Trinity grading. YES NO
Full contact details and credentials of your Music Teacher must be noted in the supporting letter.
2. **CANDIDATES APPLYING FOR YEAR 11 FOR ENTRY 2018:**
Have completed a minimum AMEB / Trinity equivalent of Grade 5+ [instrument or voice]. YES NO

OR be able to supply a supporting letter from your current Instrumental Music Teacher with estimated grading equivalent to AMEB / Trinity grading. YES NO
Full contact details and credentials of your Music Teacher must be noted in the supporting letter.

SELECTION & NOTIFICATION PROCESS

The following process will occur:

1. Students must apply to audition.
2. Applicants who are successful in gaining an audition will be contacted by post and invited to audition on **Friday 9 June 2017**. Unsuccessful applicants will be notified by mail.
3. Successful and unsuccessful applicants who audition will be notified in writing within 4 weeks of outcome.
4. Successful students attend an interview with the Principal and discuss Scholarship details.
5. Students complete enrolment process.

While some students may have high musical potential based on their performance in the past, it does not mean that they will perform to that level on the day. The Music Scholarship Audition in June is designed to test the performance of the students. The School has to use these test results as its main criteria for selection of students for the award of Scholarships.

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Value of Music Scholarships

The value of Scholarships may vary. Scholarships take the form of a remission in fees from 25%, 50%, or 75% depending on results. Scholarships are only available to Australian Citizens and Permanent Residents. The School reserves the right to withhold a Scholarship if there are no students of sufficient merit. The School's decision on these matters is final.

Length of Music Scholarships

Music Scholarships are subject to annual review by the School. Each student's progress, performance and commitment throughout the year will be reviewed at the end of each year. Scholarship students are expected to be fully involved in the life of the School. Should a student's performance or commitment fall below reasonable expectations, the Scholarship may be either reduced or withdrawn at the discretion of the School. However, it is expected that a student's Scholarship will continue to the end of Year 12.

Music Commitment

Music Scholarships are conditional upon the student's involvement in at least two extra-curricular performance groups e.g. Orchestra or choir or ensemble work. Scholarship students will also be expected to perform at least once each Term at assembly and at School functions as a part of the School's performance program.

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP HOLDERS ENTERING YEARS 9-11 ARE REQUIRED TO STUDY MUSIC AS AN ELECTIVE SUBJECT IN YEARS 9, 10, 11 AND 12.

WITHDRAWAL FROM ELECTIVE MUSIC WILL RESULT IN THE FORFEIT OF A MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP.

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APPLICANT'S DETAILS

SURNAME		
GIVEN NAMES		
PREFERRED NAME		
DATE OF BIRTH		GENDER <input type="checkbox"/> MALE <input type="checkbox"/> FEMALE
EMAIL		
CURRENT SCHOOL		CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR LEVEL 2017

PARENT'S DETAILS

FATHER'S SURNAME		
GIVEN NAMES		
ADDRESS		
TOWN/CITY		POSTCODE
TELEPHONE		
MOBILE		
EMAIL		
MOTHER'S SURNAME		
GIVEN NAMES		
ADDRESS		
TOWN/CITY		POSTCODE
TELEPHONE		
MOBILE		
EMAIL		

I WISH TO APPLY FOR THE MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP FOR ENTRY 2018

APPLICANT _____ (PRINT NAME)

SIGNATURE _____ Date _____

APPLICATIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED TO THE REGISTRAR BY 1 MAY 2017

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES WILL AUDITION ON FRIDAY 9 JUNE 2017

NOTE: This application **does not** guarantee an audition. The criteria in the guidelines must be met. You will be contacted if you are successful or unsuccessful in gaining an audition.

DOCUMENTATION TO BE ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION:

- > Copy of your latest School Report and Naplan Test Results.
- > Copy of your latest Music Certificates, Awards or Attainments that demonstrate special aptitude for music.
- > Any other information relevant to this application.
- > A written statement explaining why you would like to attend HVGS and what it would mean to you.

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MUSIC ABILITY & INVOLVEMENT – INSTRUMENT / VOICE & GRADES

SPECIFIC INSTRUMENT INFORMATION

Please complete the following table regarding all instruments that you play.

Note: If AMEB grading is not applicable, please attach a supporting letter with this Application from your current Instrumental Music Teacher indicating your current level equivalent to AMEB.

Instrument Name/Type i.e. Alto Sax	Current AMEB Grade (IF APPLICABLE)	Result (A-B-C)

MUSICIANSHIP / THEORY LEVEL – if applicable

Please complete the following table regarding musicianship / theory results.

Current Grade / Result / Mark

Musicianship	
Theory	

ENSEMBLE MEMBERSHIP

Music Scholarship students are to be fully involved in the Music Program at School. Please list your involvement in all Ensemble Programs.

Ensemble Name	Position/Instrument/Voice Type
1.	
2.	
3.	
4.	
5.	

INVOLVEMENT IN SCHOOL

i.e. Drama, Debating, Cultural Activities – please provide details

INVOLVEMENT OUT OF SCHOOL

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SPORTING INVOLVEMENT / HOBBIES & INTERESTS
SCHOOL PERFORMANCES
List your involvement you have had this year in an Ensemble or Solo Performance representing your School
SPECIAL OCCASIONS
List below any additional involvement outside school, i.e. Music Festivals, Eisteddfods. Please include details and year.

DECLARATION BY PARENT	
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I, We, the undersigned declare that the information provided is true and correct.	
Signature of Parent/Guardian	
Date	