



MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

Year 7 – 2025

The Principal invites the parents of students **entering Year 7 in 2025** to apply for their child to sit the Music Scholarship Examination. Each Scholarship is **tenable for Years 7 to 12** and will subsidise the cost of music tuition fees.

Scholarships will be awarded on the basis of a student's written application, an audition and an interview. When selecting scholarship allocations and instrumental positions, the College will consider the following:

- Applicant's musical ability/knowledge
- Applicant's dedication
- Extenuating Circumstances (eg. Family Hardship)
- The overall needs of the College Music Department

Parents will be notified of a date to accompany their child to the College for the audition/examination. Applications close on **Friday, 29 March 2024**. Applications received after this date **WILL NOT** be accepted. Please refer to [the College policy on scholarships.](#)

STUDENT

Name:

First Names

Surname

Address: Post Code:

Father's Name: Mother's Name:

Father's Email: Mother's Email:

Tel No: Home: Work: Mobile:

Current School: Current Grade:

Applications should be returned to:

**The Registrar
Chisholm Catholic College
PO Box 89
INGLEWOOD, 6932
no later than Friday, 29 March 2024**

INFORMATION SHEET

Chisholm Catholic College will offer Music Scholarships for students entering Year 7 in 2025.

1. The Scholarships

The Director of Music, with the discretion of the Principal, awards a number of Music Scholarships at the commencement of each year. Following the successful acceptance of application (via the appropriate form available from the enrolment registrar and **submitted by Friday, 29 March 2024**) prospective candidates are invited for audition and interview. Successful awardees are notified in writing following the conclusion of the process. Auditions will occur in **Early Term 3**.

2. Audition Requirements

- Performance:
 1. Major Scales - up to two sharps and two flats
 2. Two contrasting music items
- Interview:

Both students and parent/s are required to be present for an interview with the Director of Music.
- *Please note: Prior experience with Theory of Music Examinations is beneficial though not mandatory.*

3. Application Requirements

- Applications are invited from students who have undertaken instrumental studies in relevant musical contexts (classical, jazz or contemporary).
- Completed written application.
- A letter of recommendation from the student's current music teacher, detailing their suitability for the scholarship
- The successful applicants will be required to participate in any of the College's music activities as deemed necessary by the Director of Music.
- Successful applicants will receive individual lessons on their instrument for the duration of their time at Chisholm College.
- Successful applicants will be required to participate in the following ensemble and timetabled classes at Chisholm Catholic College:
Year 7 Band: An extra-curricular ensemble held one afternoon per week.
Years 8 to 10: Music Studies and Performance class as part of their timetabled classes.
- In addition to the above, the successful applicants will need:
 - i. a positive commitment to their academic studies;
 - ii. a positive attitude to the ethos of Chisholm Catholic College;
 - iii. an appropriate behaviour record; and
 - iv. an excellent attendance record.
- Successful applicants will meet with the Director of Music at the end of each year to review that the scholarship requirements are being upheld; in interview and/or audition format, to be communicated by the Director of Music.

4. Process of Awarding Scholarships

- The Principal, along with the Director of Music, will make the final decision based on the results of the written application, audition, interview and needs of the College. No correspondence will be entered into.
- The College reserves the right to decide whether a scholarship will be awarded.

5. Notification

- Students who receive a scholarship will be notified by mail.