



# Penshurst Public School

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## Training Band Program 2024

February 2024

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

Congratulations! Your child \_\_\_\_\_ has made it into the Training Band and will be playing the \_\_\_\_\_.

Tutorials and rehearsals will start next week in Week 3 on Monday 12th February. If your child owns their own instrument please remind them to bring it to school on this day. If they do not have their own instrument, their hire instrument will be available for them to collect at the start of their rehearsal.

Band fees are paid term by term and upfront. Term 1 band fees are due now.

### **The cost is:**

Band Fees - \$170 per term (\$680.00 per year)

Instrument Hire (if required) - \$45 per term (please advise us if you decide to purchase your own instrument).

For 2024 the total fee is \$680.00, which covers all necessary rehearsals, tutorials and music. Band members will not be able to continue in the band program unless their fees are up to date. **Band fees are not refundable** as the school employs specialist music teachers on behalf of band members.

### 2024 TRAINING BAND COMMITMENT

<u>Training Band Rehearsals</u>	<u>Training Band tutorials</u>
<b>Rehearsal:</b> Mondays 8:00am-9:00am (starts Week 3 on 12th February 2023)	<b>Brass (Sax/Trumpet):</b> Mondays 9:00-9:40am (Murray) <b>Clarinets:</b> Tuesdays 9:00-9:40am (Jarrad) <b>Flutes:</b> Mondays 9:40-10:20am (Murray) <b>Percussion (Drums):</b> Tuesdays 9:00-9:40am (Jarrad) <b>Keyboards:</b> Mondays 9:40-10.20am (Jarrad)

Your tax invoice will be issued next week and you are encouraged to pay via POP (online payment) as soon as possible. As a reminder, we do **require payment of band fees one term in advance**. Please speak to us if this is a problem.

Parents are expected to transport their child to before-school rehearsal.



Being part of the band is a wonderful opportunity. It is a year-long commitment. Please note that should your child commit to the band for the full year, it is **non-refundable**. Please understand that you can help maintain your child's interest in learning an instrument, by encouraging your child to practise regularly (10 minutes per day), to be punctual and to attend band rehearsals and tutorials.

Mrs Hanna, Mrs Jackson and Miss Da Silvo  
Band Coordinators

Mr J. Lie  
Principal

## [Online Payment Details](#)

Access the school website: [www.penshurst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au](http://www.penshurst-p.schools.nsw.edu.au)

In the home tab, click on 'Make a payment' and enter all mandatory information.

In 'Payment Options' please select 'Other' and in 'Payment Description' please insert 'Training Band Fees, 2024 Term 1'

All remittance advice to be returned to the Band Coordinators or the office with the POP (Parent Online Payment) receipt number included.

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## **Band Program 2024**

**My child and I understand that there is a commitment to spend the full year in the band.**

I also understand that to help maintain my child's interest in learning an instrument, it is important that I play an active role by encouraging my child to practise regularly (10 minutes per day), to be punctual and to attend band rehearsals and tutorials.

**Band Fees**                      **\$680 per year**   

**Term 1**                              **\$170 per term**   

**Term 2**                              **\$170 per term**   

**Term 3**                              **\$170 per term**   

**Term 4**                              **\$170 per term**   

**Instrument hire**                      **\$180 per year**        **YES PLEASE / NOT REQUIRED** (circle one)

**Instrument hire**                      **\$45 Term 1**   

Please note if your child is playing a percussion instrument there is no instrument hire fee. The fee only applies to brass and woodwind instruments hired from the school.

Child Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Made an online payment of \_\_\_\_\_     Receipt number \_\_\_\_\_

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## **SEESAW COMMUNICATION**

We will be communicating via Seesaw for 2024. If you require access please advise the school office and I will be happy to connect you.