

# PERFORMING ARTS ENSEMBLES



# Killara High School



The Performing Arts Ensemble (PAE) program covers vocal and instrumental music and dance ensembles and is tailored to meet the differing abilities and experience of students. Registration for all ensembles is required on enrolment.

## Enquiries

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## Benefits of Ensemble participation

- ♪ Being a member of an ensemble fosters friendship, discipline, teamwork, personal organisation, hand/eye/ear coordination of music repertoire, sight reading and working towards personal and team goals.
- ♪ Advanced players in ensembles can be extended by being featured in performance works and becoming section leaders.

## Ensemble enrolment – Year 7 students and other new enrolments

- ♪ Complete an enrolment google form by using the QR code.
- ♪ Rehearsals will commence in Week 3 (Yr 9-12) & Week 4 (Yr 7 & 8), Term 1.
- ♪ Dance auditions will be Tuesday and Thursday morning (7:30am-8:30am) Week 3, Term 1.
- ♪ Invoices for Fees will be sent out mid Term 1.

## Guidelines of Ensemble participation

- ♪ Black PAE Shirt is compulsory for performances and is available for purchase from the uniform shop. Students will also need a pair of plain, black dress trousers and black shoes.
- ♪ Students must receive private tuition.
- ♪ Be prompt for the rehearsal, set up and pack up the room.
- ♪ Attend rehearsals with your MUSIC and a PENCIL.
- ♪ Participation in the Stage Band firstly requires membership of a Concert Band.

## Leaving an Ensemble

- ♪ Ensembles run for the entire year and written confirmation by parents is required if students wish to leave early. If the student leaves the music program during the year, **no refund of fees will be paid.**

## Music Program Fees

- ♪ Ensemble fees are necessary to cover the costs of employing the PAE coordinator, Ensemble directors and choreographers, maintenance of equipment, transport and the purchase of music and instruments.

## 2024 Ensembles open to all students

Ensemble	Eligibility	Rehearsal
<b>Concert Band</b>	Year 7 & 8 musicians who currently play an instrument.	CCS, Wednesday & Friday 7:30am-8:30am
<b>Orchestra</b>	Years 8 – 12 Students are invited to join	CCS, Monday 7:30am-8:30am
<b>Stage Band 2</b>	Beginner jazz players & members of Concert Band 2 (Students are invited to join)	CCS, Thursday 3.15pm – 4.15pm
<b>Stage Band 1</b>	Audition required. Intermediate - advanced jazz players & members of Concert Band 1 & KSWE	CCS, Thursday 7.30am – 8.30am
<b>Girls Stage Band</b>	Female students in Years 7 & 8 to encourage brass, woodwind and percussion players to join Jazz Ensembles	G03/4, Monday 7:30am-8:30am
<b>KSWE (Killara Symphonic Wind Ensemble)</b>	Years 9-12	CCS, Wednesday 2:30pm-4:30pm
<b>Junior String Ensemble</b>	Years 7 – 8	ACR, Wednesday 7:30am-8:30am
<b>Senior String Ensemble</b>	Years 9 – 12	ACR, Friday 7:30am-8:30am
<b>Guitar Ensemble</b>	Years 7 – 8	G03/4, Thursday 7.30am – 8.30am
<b>Guitar Extension</b>	Years 9 – 12 Advanced guitar players	G03/4, Tuesday 7.30am – 8.30am
<b>Vocal Ensemble</b>	Years 7 – 8	CCS, Tuesday 3.05pm – 4.15pm
<b>Vocal Extension</b>	Audition required. Years 9 – 12	G03/4, Tuesday 3.05pm – 4.15pm
<b>Dance Company and Dance Ensemble</b>	Auditions required. Held at the start of the year. Years 7 – 12, Contemporary, Lyrical	Hall, Tuesday(Dance Company) 7.30am – 8.30am Hall, Thursday (Dance Ensemble) 7.30am – 8.30am

## Program Fees

<b>1st Ensemble</b>	(2 Hours/week) KSWE & Concert Band.	\$670
	(1 Hour/week) Stage Band 1 & 2, Guitar Ensemble, Guitar Extension, Vocal Ensemble, Vocal Extension, Dance Company, Dance Ensemble, Junior String Ensemble, Senior String Ensemble, Orchestra, Girls Stage Band.	\$490
<b>2nd Ensemble</b>	(1 Hour/week)	\$180
<b>3rd Ensemble</b>	(1 Hour/week)	Free

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