

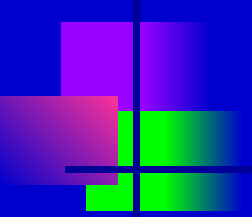


Enrolments

Category A schools are generally **not able** to accept students from out of their area primarily due to their capacity for students both now and in the near future.

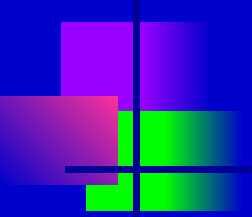
Lyneham High School will only consider applications from out of area students against the following criteria, in the order of priority:

1. **legal considerations** where a court order identifies that a student needs to attend a specific school
2. **exceptional circumstances based on student wellbeing** which mean the child cannot attend the PEA school and must attend the school they have applied for. Where a student cannot attend the PEA school (due to **compelling (exceptional) circumstances** based on student wellbeing) but does not have to attend a specific alternative school, the family will be supported to consider options at schools that are able to accommodate out of area enrolments.
3. **subject to capacity, siblings of concurrent students who currently reside in the ACT** (siblings include step/half and cultural siblings of current students that may now be out of area). Subject to capacity, siblings (residing in the ACT outside the PEA) of children that are enrolled in, and concurrently attending an ACT public school, will be offered a place at the school attended by their sibling.



What does this mean when applying for Band in 2020?

If you are currently living outside of our Priority Enrolment Area (PEA) and do not meet the exceptional circumstances criterion, you will not be offered an enrolment at Lyneham High School and consequently will not be eligible for a place in our Band Program.



What does this mean when applying for Band in 2020?

If you will be residing in our Priority Enrolment Area (PEA) at the beginning of the 2020 school year

OR

You have applied for enrolment at Lyneham High School against the exceptional circumstances criterion

You are welcome to complete a Special Programs Application. Detailed information for each Special Program can be found on the Lyneham High School website.

Lyneham High School Band Program

Welcome



LPAC



- The Lyneham Performing Arts Centre was opened in 2010
- This is the centre for all things musical at Lyneham High, including classes

The Music Staff

- Debbie Masling *Executive Teacher Music*
- Brendan Magee *Executive Teacher Performing Arts*
- Jenny Tabur *Band Coordinator*
- Tim Bowyer *Brass specialist*
- Jason Peters *Percussion specialist*
- Francesca Nagy *Woodwind specialist*
- Sophie Raudonikis *Brass specialist*
- Galen Ashley *Music teacher and audio/visual technician*





Facts & Figures

- **500** students in the Band Program
- **700** enrolments in band and music courses and extracurricular activities
- It is 'cool' to be a musician at Lyneham High



Inclusivity

- The Band Program prides itself on being an inclusive program and is therefore open to all students of Lyneham High



Band Elective Classes

all band classes are timetabled classes

Year 7 Beginner Concert Band
or Year 7 Concert Band
(one year commitment)

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Year 8 Concert Band
(one year commitment – one combined band from year 8)

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Year 9 & Year 10 Concert Band
(two year commitment)

Year 7 Beginner Concert Band

- This band is for:
 - Raw beginners
 - Students wishing to change their instrument
 - Students who already play a non-band instrument such as violin or piano but will be new to a band instrument
 - Up to 96 students
- Home practice 20 minutes, five times per week





Year 7 Concert Band

- This band is for students who:
 - Have prior experience on a band instrument,
 - Played with their school band or the Instrumental Music Program (IMP), or
 - Have had private lessons on a band instrument for a minimum of one year
 - Up to 96 students
- It is not for students who are changing instruments – these student will be placed in the Beginner Concert Band
- Home practice 20 minutes, five times per week



How do I join the Band Program?

Step 1:

- Go to the Lyneham High School website
<http://www.lynehamhs.act.edu.au/>
- Complete the band application section of the Special Programs application form
- This form can be accessed from 8 May 2019 at 9:00am



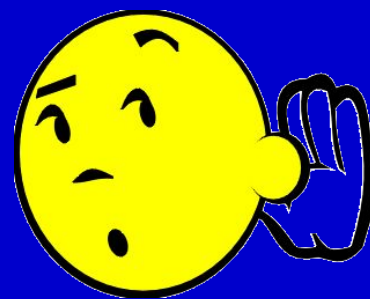
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Step 2:

- Attend one of our Band Testing mornings
 - 8:30 – 9:45am
 - Wednesday 15 May or Wednesday 22 May
 - Bring a pen or pencil
 - No need to receive a confirmation of date – just turn up

Band Testing

- All prospective band students must sit this test – both beginning and experienced instrumentalists
- It is a musical aptitude/listening test
- Do bring a pen or pencil
- Don't bring your instrument



Instruments

Woodwind Instruments

Piccolo
Flute
Oboe
Bassoon
Clarinet
Bass Clarinet
Alto Saxophone
Tenor Saxophone
Baritone Saxophone



Brass Instruments

Trumpet
French Horn
Trombone
Euphonium
Baritone
Tuba

Rhythm Section

Bass guitar
Percussion

Not in a concert band

Stringed instruments e.g. violin
Piano/keyboard
Guitar



Instrument Allocation

- Students may play the band instrument that they already own
- To assist with my planning please email or ring me if you purchase one after enrolment confirmation
- The exception to this is bass guitar and percussion as there is a limit to how many we can have



Instrument Allocation

- Identify **three** choices of instrument (drop down boxes on the application form)
- Choose wisely because we are not always able to allocate your first choice
- **We always need brass players, particularly low brass:**
 - Tuba, euphonium, trombone, French horn, melophone
- Students with experience on their **first** choice of instrument will have priority when school instruments are allocated



Percussion Allocation

- All continuing percussionists will be called for an audition in term 4 after school enrolments have been finalised
 - An audition pack will be mailed to you in term 4
- Five of these percussionists will be placed in the Year 7 Concert Band
- The remaining percussionists will choose either percussion or another instrument in the Beginner Concert Band



Bass Guitar Allocation

- Students who have previously played either the bass guitar or guitar and who are applying to play the bass guitar may be called for an audition in term 4 after school enrolments have been finalised
 - Audition information will be mailed to you should the auditions be held
- The students that we feel will transition easily to the bass guitar will be placed in the Year 7 Concert Band

Costs

- Year 7 Beginner Band: \$110 approx.
- Year 7 Concert Band: \$100 approx.
- Instrument hire: \$150 per year
- Uniform: polo shirt \$38, cap \$25, hoodie \$40
 - Black trousers, shoes & socks
 - No coloured stripes or emblems – must be jet black
 - Blue band uniform polo shirt
 - Blue band hoodie
 - (cap not required until term 4)



Tours

- Y7 Beginner Band: Bateman's Bay overnight
- Y7 Band: Merimbula overnight
- Year 8: Sydney 3 days
- Year 9: Melbourne 6 days
- Year 10: Queensland 7 days



Extra-Curricular Activities

- Intermediate Jazz Band Years 7 & 8
- Senior Jazz Band Years 9 & 10
 - Jazz band students must be enrolled in a concert band
- Vocal Group
- Musical Production chorus





**What do the
kids love
about
Band?**

Sense of belonging



Friendships



Tours



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Massed Bands



Performing

