

31 January, 2022

Choral Program Enrolment - 2022

Welcome back to a new year at Kurwongbah. Kurwongbah choirs cater for students from Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6. Any student, from these year levels, is most welcome to join one of our choirs. Being a member of one of our choirs means your child will learn to work together in a team and also gain confidence in performing within the school and the community.

We require everyone to be committed to rehearsals and performances. Each individual plays an important part of the music team and we don't have reserves if members don't attend. Commitment is essential and students who miss 3 unexplained rehearsals or are continually late to rehearsals may not be able to perform with the group and possibly lose their position in the group. Please read the code of conduct and rehearsal times with your child **before** enrolling.

Choir Code of Conduct

1. I will attend all rehearsals. If I miss a rehearsal, I must provide a written explanation signed by my parent/guardian or an email/dojo message to explain my absence (No note is required if the child is absent from school for the day).
2. I will be punctual.
3. I will manage my own behaviour.
4. I will always try my hardest and be committed for the **full year**.
5. I will attend performances and wear formal school uniform on these occasions. (please note some performances may be away from the school grounds)

Rehearsals (All rehearsals are in the music room)

Junior Singers - Year 2 rehearse on Friday first break (10.50 - 11.20am)

Middle Singers - Years 3/4 rehearse on Friday before school (8.00 - 8.45am)

Senior Singers - Years 5/6 rehearse on Wednesday before school (7.45 - 8.45am).

Kurwongbah Blokes (boys year 4 - 6) and Performance Group (auditioned group year 5 - 6) details to come once school returns.

For most performances, all members must wear the Kurwongbah School Performance Uniform, which is hired from the school as part of the Student Resource Scheme (SRS). Students are required to wear black school shoes and white socks as part of this uniform (to be purchased by you). Boots or ballet flats are not acceptable as part of the performance uniform. There will also be an administration levy to cover music, photocopying, licence rights and accompanist fees.

Uniform Hire (Singing Groups, Woodwind, Brass, Percussion & Advanced Strings) \$15.00

Administration Fee (membership of Singing Group – includes purchase and licence rights of music) \$10.00

If you choose to accept the offer please complete the survey and return **page 5** of the **Student Resource Scheme Annual Parent Information Letter (5 sections)** and **page 1** of the **Student Resource Scheme Participation Agreement Form** to Mrs. C or the office by the first rehearsal or bring it on the day. These forms are also attached. **Please do not pay the levy until you have been invoiced by the school.** Being part of the resource scheme will save you having to purchase the uniform and music individually (By ticking 'yes' on the Agreement form, you agree to hire rather than personally buy all resources). Please ensure all questions are completed on both forms. These are also available at the office if required.

I am really looking forward to working with your child in 2022. Please be aware that plans and circumstances may change depending on COVID -19 regulations from the Department. All rehearsals will commence the week commencing 14 February.

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