

BEGINNER MUSIC ENSEMBLES



Beginner ensembles support the development of fundamental ensemble and instrumental techniques, learn how to follow a conductor, and explore new music together in a fun environment.

Ensemble playing is the team sport of music. Making music together with friends is the best way to help students stay motivated, progress quickly, and get the most out of their individual lessons. There are also a range of developmental benefits gained by playing in an ensemble, from listening and communicating, to teamwork and social skills. We offer a range of ensembles catering to each student's stage of learning. Please contact our office to help select the best ensemble.

PUDDLEDOCK STRINGS

For beginner string players in years K - 3 with a minimum of one term of instrumental lessons. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays from 4:00pm - 4:45pm.

BOOROLONG STRINGS

For string players in years 3 - 6 or equivalent to Preliminary / Grade 1 AMEB standard. Rehearsals are on Tuesdays from 4:00pm - 4:45pm.

TILBUSTERS ENSEMBLE

For wind and brass players in years 3+ or equivalent to AMEB Grade 1 standard. Rehearsals are on Wednesdays from 5:00pm - 5:45pm.

THUNDERBOLT PERCUSSION

For piano and percussion players in years 2-6 or equivalent to Beginner / Grade 1 AMEB standard. Rehearsals are on Thursdays from 4:00pm - 4:45pm.

NECOM's Beginner Ensemble program members join for a whole year of activity with weekly rehearsals during school terms. They receive support and mentorship from our specialist tutors, learn new music and present multiple concerts throughout the year.

Beginner Ensembles are FREE for students enrolled in the NECOM Foundation Music Program and NECOM school instrumental programs. External students are welcome to join for a fee.

Please contact the NECOM Office for fee information.

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