

# VCE Music

Music enables students to develop performance skills in their chosen voice or instrument. Students also explore and develop their understanding of how music is organised. Music helps you acquire the key skills and knowledge required to pursue further music studies.

Unit 1 & 2	Unit 3 & 4
<p>In Unit 1 &amp; 2 you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepare solo and group works for performance</li> <li>• Develop knowledge of music language concepts</li> <li>• Identify various music features by ear</li> <li>• Transcribe melodies</li> <li>• Transcribe rhythms</li> <li>• Listen and respond to a range of music, becoming familiar with how music creators use the elements of music</li> </ul>	<p>In Unit 3 &amp; 4 you will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepare a program of solo and group works for performance</li> <li>• Use music analysis skills to refine strategies for developing your performances</li> <li>• Analyse interpretation in a wide range of recorded music</li> <li>• Recognise and recreate music language concepts such as scales, melodies, chords, harmony and rhythmic materials that relate to contemporary music</li> <li>• Develop strategies to address the technical, expressive and stylistic challenges relevant to works they are preparing for performance</li> </ul>
Types of assessment	Class Activities
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Class performances (solo and group)</li> <li>• Technical work demonstrations</li> <li>• A short written/oral task</li> <li>• Annotations of a practical work folio</li> <li>• Structured questions</li> <li>• Short examples of music notation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Music performances</li> <li>• Group work</li> <li>• Musicianship development</li> <li>• Technique poster for your instrument</li> <li>• Do a re-mix of an existing work</li> <li>• Tests</li> <li>• Quizzes</li> </ul>

## Careers that may link to this subject area

Composer  
Music Agent  
Music Journalist  
Session Musician

Copyist  
Music Arranger  
Music Publisher  
Singer

Entertainer  
Music Conductor  
Music Therapist  
Teacher

Film & TV Worker  
Musician  
Producer

