# Itinerant Teacher of Music Position Description

## **Position Description**

Position:	Itinerant Teacher of Music
Department:	Arts
Responsible To:	Alison Price, Director of Arts
Engagement Type:	Permanent
Purpose:	An Itinerant Music Teacher is an enthusiastic and effective instrumental teacher whose primary task is to motivate students actively in performing music. To develop instrumental technique and musicianship, and promote aesthetic development and joy in music-making in students who are involved in performance music programmes, as negotiated with the Director of Arts.

#### KEY RESPONSIBILITIES/JOB DUTIES

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- Instrumental Tuition
  - o Provide music tuition under the direction of the Arts management team and teaching staff.
  - Develop students' practical and theoretical skills necessary to enhance their instrumental/vocal understanding through solo and group engagement.
  - Encourage students to reach their performance potential.
  - o Identify in consultation with the Director of Arts the specific learning needs of each student.
  - o Stimulate and maintain students' interest and participation.
- Planning and Organisation
  - Develop specific programmes of instrumental tuition involving teaching objectives or learning outcomes for each group of students, including those preparing for senior performance music.
- General
  - Manage student behaviour in an appropriate manner
  - Maintain a safe and positive learning environment
  - $\circ \quad \text{Monitor students during assigned periods within the school environment} \\$
- Other tasks as requested

# **Competencies/Attributes**

- Adhering to safety practices
- Suitable instructional practices
- Supervision of students
- Prepare and maintain accurate records
- Knowledge of current curriculum
- Awareness of relevant law, regulations and policies
- Consults and acts within Delegation of Authority

Note: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by people assigned to this classification. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel so classified. All personnel may be required to perform any reasonable and lawful duties outside of their normal responsibilities from time to time, as requested by their line manager.