

EMMAUS COLLEGE

PIANO

2017

Northside Catholic Schools Instrumental Music Program



Piano lessons are given at school, during school hours. The lessons are all **individual** lessons. This is very beneficial to the child as we always work at their pace of learning, never having problems trying to keep up with, or being held back by others. It is very important that the child practice in between lessons, as this helps to reinforce what we have learnt in the lesson, to strengthen fingers and to gain the necessary skills to play the piano proficiently. You must have a piano/electronic piano or a keyboard at home for them to practice on. Unfortunately there are no piano/keyboards for hire through the Catholic School program. All music books we use are available from Greens Brothers Music shop.

Students lessons will be for 40 minutes approximately and they will be timetabled on a rotational pattern. This is intended to minimise loss of class time in any one particular subject. Provision will be made for students wishing to have lessons before school or during the lunch breaks, but priority is given to senior students for these times.

The fees for piano lessons is \$34 per lesson. An account is sent home on the first week of every term, for the number of weeks in that term. If there is a public holiday on the day your child is having a lesson this is taken into consideration. If for **any** reason your child will not be at their piano lesson, you must ring me before **8 a.m.** on the day of their lesson and I will arrange to give them a make-up lesson. If I am not notified before 8 a.m. no make-up lesson will be given.

To enrol your child in piano lessons please fill in the attached form and return to the **school office** as quickly as possible. A school **enrolment fee of \$10** is to be paid to the school at the time of enrolment.

If you need any more information or have any inquiries please do not hesitate to ring me

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