

## PAYMENT FOR LESSONS

Please note, private music tutors are not employees of Victory but are directly employed by the parent/ carer of the student.

Payment of lessons are not made through the College but are organised directly with the music tutor or in some cases the Murray Conservatorium of Music, Albury.

Please enquire with music teachers directly regarding the cost of lessons as they vary between instruments.

## INSTRUMENT HIRE

Instruments are available to hire on a Term basis (see costs below). Hire fee is waived for members of the Victory Orchestral Ensemble.

Violin: \$40 per Term

Cello, Clarinet, Bass or Guitar: Free for first Semester then \$40 per Term

Drums Practise Pad Set: Free for the year

Full Drum Kit: may be available for \$40 per Term

Please contact the College Administration to arrange instrument hire through Victory.

[reception@vlc.vic.edu.au](mailto:reception@vlc.vic.edu.au)

## OTHER INSTRUMENTS

Students wishing to learn an instrument not currently available at Victory can let their wishes be known via an email request. A teacher will be sourced when an adequate number of students is reached.

Please email the College Administration to express your interest in other instruments.

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# MUSIC LESSONS AT VICTORY



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Music is an integral part of College life. Students have the opportunity to perform at assemblies, chapel, College functions and within the local community such as Eisteddfods and Carnivals.

The Winjeel Music Centre at Victory has private tuition rooms, a sound-proofed recording room and spaces for large and small group rehearsal. Winjeel opens out onto an under-cover outdoor amphitheatre, suitable for occasional lunchtime performances.



## MUSIC LESSONS

Instrumental lessons are a crucial part of a student's progression through music.

Victory offers on-site group or individual lessons in a wide range of instruments. Lessons run primarily during school hours. Individual lessons are 30 minutes and group lessons vary in time. Students leave their normal timetabled class for the duration. However, lessons can also run before or after school depending on the availability of the instrumental teacher.



## INSTRUMENTAL TEACHERS

### GUITAR / ROCK BAND

GROUP / INDIVIDUAL

Scott Shirley  
0407 108 203  
scottysgirls@hotmail.com

### VOCALS

INDIVIDUAL

Niki Strauss  
0408 515 631  
niki.strauss82@gmail.com

### DRUMS

INDIVIDUAL

Gary McDonald  
0401 519 955  
garydrummer@outlook.com

### PIANO

INDIVIDUAL

Miriam Briggs  
0425 767 768  
vw\_miriam@hotmail.com

Simone Reeder  
0458 627 688  
simone@musicgarden.com.au

In order to access these lessons,  
please contact the instrumental teachers directly.

## WHAT WILL BE THE IMPACT OF MY CHILD'S PRIVATE LESSONS?

Private music tuition is set at the same time each week to give the student and music teacher consistency in their schedules. This also helps the student's classroom teacher plan and prepare class work where necessary to support the student in catching up on missed class work.

Parents/Carers and teachers may be able to arrange for set times to be changed to suit the individual student's needs.

The benefits from learning a musical instrument from a young age, greatly outweigh the challenge of having to manage time. Research has proven that musical involvement strengthens pathways in the brain also used for mathematics, science, ICT and other logic-based subjects.

## MUSIC GROUPS

Some of the music groups Victory has formed include:

- Years 3 - 6 Vocal Ensemble
- Years 3 - 6 Ukelele Ensemble
- Years 5 & 6 Rock Band
- Orchestra (Open to Year 4 - 12)
- Secondary College Choir
- Secondary Chapel Band
- Various Rock Bands - organised and run by Scott Shirley, instrumental guitar teacher

