MacKillop College Instrumental Music Tutor – Strings



About MacKillop College

We are a Catholic Coeducational Secondary College with two campuses, set on approximately 20 hectares of beautiful gardens and playing fields. MacKillop is a college in the Josephite tradition, inspired by the spirit of St Mary of the Cross MacKillop; we invite passionate engagement in lifelong and authentic learning, respect diversity and support every person in the pursuit of excellence.

MacKillop is an innovative learning community offering contemporary facilities, a vibrant curriculum and supportive wellbeing programs that are respectful and responsive to the individual needs of approximately 1,730 students from Years 7-12.

About the roles

We invite experienced instrumental tutors to join our vibrant and renowned music education program.

As an instrumental tutor, you will work directly with students to develop their technical ability, musical understanding, and confidence in performance. You will share your love of music, foster creativity, and support students to achieve their personal and ensemble goals.

We are looking for tutors who can encourage and inspire young people through enthusiasm while respecting for the individuality, learning diversity needs and assisting students to recognise and achieve their potential. Our tutors undertake the following tasks:

- provide individual and small group tuition classes
- prepare students for concerts, examinations and ensembles
- coordinate various performance events throughout the year

The successful applicant will demonstrate a high level of musicianship and teaching expertise in their instrument, contribute positively to the College's ensemble and performance program and working collaboratively within a team of dedicated music educators.

This is a fixed-term, parental leave replacement position commencing in January 2026 for 12 months.

Our ideal Candidate will have

- a demonstrated understanding of the ethos of a Catholic school
- passion and enthusiasm for teaching music to students
- suitable conducting skills to coordinate ensemble rehearsals
- a demonstrated ability to foster a welcoming and safe learning environment
- suitable instrumental qualifications

Benefits

- our welcoming culture based on Gospel Values and pastoral approach towards educator and student wellbeing
- employee wellbeing programs with an emphasis on emotional support including access to counselling and debriefing
- approachable and accessible Learning Leaders and College Leadership Team
- sponsored/subsidised learning for completion of higher education qualifications
- professional collaboration and support, including access to a team of dedicated instructional coaches and mentors
- future career opportunities with our new K-12 campus opening in Wyndham Vale in 2027.
- free onsite parking and gym
- discounted College fees



Application

To apply for this role please visit https://www.mackillop.vic.edu.au/information/employment/ and obtain an application form and position description. Completed applications can be emailed to employment@mackillop.vic.edu.au and must include:

- MacKillop College application for employment form
- a current Curriculum Vitae
- a covering letter, outlining your suitability for the position

Applications will close 14 November 2025.

Further information: Please contact Michael Trainor, Director People & Culture on 0439 560 092.

MacKillop College promotes the safety, wellbeing, and inclusion of all students