

Level	3	Course Name: Music (Practical and Music Studies) (13MUS)	UE Approved Subject	Yes		
Course Overview	Two strands are offered at this level – Practical Music and Music Studies. Students will have the choice of working from one strand, a combination of the two, or both strands, in consultation with the Music teacher. The Practical Music strand gives students an opportunity to specialise in either Performance or Composition. The Music Studies strand allows students to study and Research a wide range of music. This course is designed to lead students on to tertiary study, creative industry-based work or for the continued development and enjoyment of the discipline. Students choose from the standards below:					
Assessments Offered						
Standard Number	Title	Level	Int/Ext	Credits	UE Lit Reading	UE Lit Writing
AS91416	Perform two programmes of music as a featured soloist	3	I	8		
AS91421	Demonstrate understanding of harmonic tonal conventions in a range of music scores	3	E	4		
AS91417	Perform a programme of music as a featured soloist on a second instrument.	3	I	4		
AS91422	Analyse a substantial music work.	3	I	4		
AS91418	Demonstrate ensemble skills by performing two substantial pieces of music as a member of a group.	3	I	4		
AS91419	Communicate musical intention by composing three original pieces of music.	3	I	8		
AS91424	Create two arrangements for an ensemble.	3	I	4		
AS91420	Integrate aural skills into written representation.	3	E	4		
AS91425	Research a music topic	3	I	6	Yes	
US28007	Select and apply a range of processes to enhance sound in a performance context.	3	I	6		
<i>Possible number of credits available</i>						52
Prerequisites	(a) Any student wishing to sit NCEA must be able to sing or play an instrument to at least Grade 4 level, or be competent and confident on an instrument; (b) Successful completion of NCEA Level 2 Music or in consultation with the Music teacher; (c) An audition that will require a performance may be necessary; (d) A strong commitment to music lessons through the Itinerant Music Scheme.					
Other Details	Materials	Year 13 Music Workbook				
	Expected Trips	TBC				
Where could this lead?	A future in the Creative Industries. See Mr Chapman-Smith for further details about possible career pathways through Music.					
Vocational Pathways	Construction & Infrastructure	Manufacturing & Technology	Primary Industries	Service Industries	Social & Community Service	Creative Industries
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See Mr McIntyre						