
LEARNING CHOICES PROGRAM

Rock Band

DURATION OF SUBJECT

Full year

SUBJECT TYPE

Authentic Learning

COURSE DESCRIPTION

This subject gives students with an interest in music the opportunity to experience rehearsing and performing in a band. Students investigate the many aspects of performing in a group with the emphasis on collaborative decision making and with the ultimate goal of performing a set of songs for the Year 9 cohort at the end of the year. Additionally, Rock Band students prepare performances for other audiences, including at Information Night, the College Fair and the Canowindra's Got Talent competitions.

Workshops in selected performance skills and instrumental styles enhance learning.

ASSESSMENT

The process of preparation, practice and collaborative learning provides opportunities for authentic assessment. The assessment by a real audience, critical self and peer observation, and technical improvement are elements of this authenticity.

Why choose this subject?

This subject is for those students who enjoy music and have wondered what it is like to be in a band and perform songs for other people's enjoyment as well as their own.

Note: Please refer to the Cost Schedule for details of costs relevant to this subject.