

**Year 7 High Potential & Gifted Education  
Creative & Performing Arts (CAPA) Program 2023 Intake  
Music**

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Thank you for your expression of interest in the **Year 7 Talented Music Program** for 2023. Placement in this program is subject to the child's eligibility to attend the school.

A **\$30 fee** applies for this program and must accompany the application form. A Remittance Advice is provided to help facilitate this.

Please read through the information listed below and keep this page for reference. Once you have applied and paid for the application, you will be advised by email if your child has made the short list and informed about auditions. All short listed students are required to audition to determine final selection.

***Commitment to participate in a school ensemble is essential.***

Applications are due by **10<sup>th</sup> June (Week 7)** and Auditions will be offered by **1<sup>st</sup> July (Week 10)**.

Auditions will take place during **Term 3** and final positions in the Gifted CAPA Program will be offered by **Week 10, Term 3**.

We look forward to welcoming you and your child/dependent to NBSC Cromer Campus.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Justin Hong  
Principal

**SELECTION CRITERIA – PLEASE KEEP**

We are looking for students who fit into either of the following two categories:

**Category A (Band & Strings)** - Students who play brass, woodwind, percussion or strings (violin, viola, cello, double bass) instruments. Students should have a level of performance comparable with AMEB Grade 3 or higher. Exceptions may be made for less common or more difficult instruments. **Students must be able to read music at a reasonable level.**

**Category B (Vocalists & Contemporary)** - Students who are vocalists or play instruments such as Guitar, Piano, Keyboard or percussion. **Students must be able to read some form of music notation (eg. Chord charts, TAB, graphic notation)**

**Audition/Interview**

Short listed students will be notified and called to interview. At the interview they will audition the following:

- Two contrasting pieces (combined maximum time of 10 minutes) **(Category A & B)**
- Major and minor scales up to 3 sharps (strings) and 3 flats (brass, woodwind, percussion). **(Category A only)**
- Sight reading exercise on instrument of choice or voice **(Category A only)**

**Commitment to participate in school music ensembles is essential**

It is expected that students will participate in the band class throughout high school – year 7 to 12 and in addition play in the school ensemble(s).

**Commitment to academic studies**

Copies of primary school reports for the last two years and Year 5 NAPLAN results **must** be included with your application or it may not be processed.

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**APPLICATION FORM**

**Office use only**

Date received \_\_\_\_\_

Payment: \_\_\_\_\_

**STUDENT DETAILS**

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(First name) (Last name)

Student's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Day) (Month) (Year)

Student's Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Current Primary School: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you currently have any children/dependents at NBSC Cromer Campus? Yes / No

If yes, please list their name/s: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Parent/s or Caregiver/s:

Contact 1: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Title) (First name) (Last name)

Contact 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Title) (First name) (Last name)

**Please provide a mobile number and email address to ensure  
prompt communication regarding this application and audition times.**

Contact 1:	(Home Phone)	(Mobile)
	(Email address)	
Contact 2:	(Home Phone)	(Mobile)
	(Email address)	

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**Entry Criteria**

I am applying for category

☐

A

☐

B

Type of instrument (of applicant): \_\_\_\_\_

I wish to bring an accompanist to my audition

☐

YES

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NO

**Training and level of performance**

Student must be able to read music at a reasonable level.

Please list the training you have had.

- Instrumentalist/vocalists level of performance comparable with AMEB or equivalent

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**Experience and Achievements**

Please list all experience and achievements. Copies of certificates or other evidence of recognition will be required at interview. Do not send copies with this application.

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**REMITTANCE ADVICE**

I wish to apply for the NBSC Cromer Campus Year 7 High Potential & Gifted Education Creative and Performing Arts (CAPA) Program. I understand that a **non-refundable** application charge applies and that this payment sheet must accompany the application form(s).

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Residential Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Primary School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Caregiver's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Best Contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

**Remittance Advice**

Our preferred method of payment is POP, "Parent Online Payment". A button to access this online payment system titled 'Make a Payment' is visible on the utility bar on the front page of **NBSC Cromer Campus** website <https://nbscromer-h.schools.nsw.gov.au/>

If paying by POP please ensure that you use the description **NBSC Cromer Campus Yr7 High Potential & Gifted Education Creative & Performing Arts Program** *Please make payments after 27 January 2022.*

**Payment Method (\$30 per program)**

Music \$30

Please tick appropriate box

☐ Online Payment ☐ Cheque (Made out to NBSC Cromer Campus)

☐ Cash

POP Receipt number: \_\_\_\_\_ Date Paid: \_\_\_\_\_

*Please forward completed application, supporting evidence and payment to:*

Year 7 High Potential & Gifted Education  
Creative & Performing Arts (CAPA) Program Coordinator NBSC  
Cromer Campus  
120 South Creek Rd  
Cromer NSW 2099

**Total** \$