

Position Title	Instrumental Tutor I Ensemble and Choir Director
Employment Type	Casual Term-time
Classification	Instructional Grade 4 in accordance with the Educational Services (Schools) General Staff Award
Reports to	Director of Arts

## **OUR ORGANISATION**

Based at Indooroopilly, Brigidine College is a Year 5-12 Catholic girls' school. As a Kildare Ministries' school in the Brigidine tradition, we are committed to providing a holistic education that creates authentic, compassionate and dependable women keen to make a difference in the world since 1929.

Brigidine College fosters a positive and supportive environment within the context of Christian values. While maintaining a commitment to excellence, we pride ourselves on promoting a safe and inclusive school community, cultivating a culture of continual improvement, and supporting staff to model wellbeing, and formation. Becoming a member of the Brigidine team means working with others who are passionate about learning and enjoy working in a strong, values driven culture.

#### **Our Vision**

We are a sustainable presence in the community providing an innovative education for young women in the Brigidine tradition.

## **Our Mission**

An inclusive community of faith and learning that challenges and inspires young women to be active voices of Strength and Gentleness.

#### **Our Values**

Kildare Ministries	Brigidine College Indooroopilly
Justice: Making the needs of the vulnerable paramount	Be faithful to our Catholic heritage
<b>Wonder</b> : Celebrating all that is good with joy and gratitude	Welcome all people, especially the most vulnerable
Courage: Speaking and acting with integrity	Celebrate all that is good with joy and gratitude
Compassion: Walking with and having empathy for all	Engender a love of learning, hope and a sense of
Hope: Bringing a sense of purpose	purpose
Hospitality: Welcoming All	Model and practise justice and service

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#### **Our Touchstones**

Living the Brigidine tradition and Catholic Mission in a contemporary way. This vision is to be achieved through active engagement in the four Touchstones for Learning:

**Faith and Mission**Theology in the Contemporary World

Teaching and LearningEducating the Whole PersonCollege CommunityFormation and Wellbeing

Sustainable Presence Sustainable Community Infrastructure and Resourcing

#### **POSITION OVERVIEW**

The Instrumental Tutor and Ensemble / Choir Directors play a vital role in the holistic development of students. Tutors provide students in the College the opportunity to learn in the Arts through individual and small group lessons and participate in cocurricular activities. Tutors ensure that learning is maximised for all students throughout every lesson and rehearsal.

#### **KEY ROLE ACCOUNTABILITIES**

#### **Teaching**

- Provide a stimulating, challenging yet balanced programme of study for each students.
- Keep accurate details regarding the programme of study for each student.
- Keep lesson plans, goals and objectives identified for each student to ensure that exam and performance standards are achievable.
- Encourage and support all students to achieve their best at all times.
- Encourage student involvement in related cocurricular activities that will enhance student experiences.
- Prepare students for external examinations and/or eisteddfods when requested.

#### Administration

- Provide a copy of weekly timetable to the Director of Arts, and publish these appropriately.
- Maintain accurate attendance records (including keeping records of number of lessons taught in each term).
- Follow the College procedures for allocating and administering lesson times.
- Maintain all digital and paper records in a neat and orderly manner.
- Notify parents of students' absences by the appropriate method.
- Promptly and accurately complete Semester Reports for all students at the end of each semester.
- Explicitly support Brigidine College's Cultural Cocurricular program.
- Maintain a neat and tidy work environment in both shared and private areas.
- Be responsible for the monitoring of all school resources, including instruments, rooms, music, etc.

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#### OTHER KEY ACCOUNTABILITIES

#### **Student Protection**

• Student protection is everyone's responsibility. At Brigidine College all persons undertaking work for or on behalf of the College, have a shared responsibility for contributing to the safety and protection of children. All persons are required to be familiar with the content of our Student Protection documents, including but not limited to Policies, Procedures, Codes of Conduct and Guidelines and their legal obligations with respect to the reporting of child abuse. It is each individual's responsibility to be aware of key risk indicators of child abuse, to be observant, and to raise any concerns they may have relating to child abuse. All individuals are required to fully participate in and understand the content of any training provided.

## Risk Management

• Risk Management is the responsibility of all persons undertaking work for or on behalf of the College. Workers must comply with the risk management roles and responsibilities associated with their position and adhere to Brigidine College's Risk Management Procedures.

# Workplace, Health and Safety

• Actively participate in the promotion of a safe and healthy workplace by performing all tasks in accordance with safety instructions, adhering to responsibilities as outlined in the Workplace Health & Safety Policies, and proactively identifying and reporting all hazards, incidents and injuries to managers.

#### **Shared Behaviours**

- Be committed to the goals, ethos and Mission of the College as a Catholic School in the Brigidine tradition.
- Display a high level of professional competency and ensure that behaviour and personal presentation reflect the College's values and professional expectations.
- Have an awareness of and support for the policies, procedures and practices of Brigidine College Indooroopilly.
- Maintain a high degree of confidentiality in all work-related matters and compliance with organisational policies and procedures.

#### **Other Duties**

Perform any other duties associated with Brigidine College objectives as reasonably directed by the Principal.

#### **KEY SELECTION CRITERIA**

#### **Essential:**

- A valid Queensland Working with Children Check Positive Paid Employee Notice.
- Hold a relevant instrumental qualification.
- Bachelor of Music or Education or equivalent.
- Demonstrated interpersonal skills with the ability to work closely with the Director of Arts and students to deliver programs.
- Effective communication skills both verbal and written. Ability to communicate effectively with teenage girls and their parents, as well as College Arts team.
- Work independently and demonstrate initiative in applying work practices and procedures.

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# Desirable:

• Experience working within a school.

# **CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT**

- Days and times as agreed with the Director of Arts.
- You must be available to attend weekend or evening events.