



## **PROGRAMME OF STUDY - TERM 1**

## **OVERVIEW**

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The Year 10 Music curriculum for Term 1 focuses on developing students'
understanding of melody, music theory, composition, and performance skills.
Students will also gain proficiency in using the Sibelius software to compose and refine their own pieces of music. The program includes a mix of theoretical instruction, practical application, and project-based learning.

## **UNIT TOPICS**

- Introduction to the Course
- Compare and Analyse Selected Performance Coursework
- Core Content Exploring Melody Music Theory
- Exploring Melody (How to Compose a Melody)
- Exploring Melody (How to Create an Accompaniment)
- Developing a Melody and Making Chords Interesting
- Instrumental Performance Effects and Music Symbols
- Exploring Sibelius Program

## **ONGOING OBJECTIVES**

- · Develop a solid understanding of music theory and its application.
- · Enhance composition and arrangement skills.
- Improve performance abilities on chosen instruments.
- · Build proficiency in using music software (Sibelius) for composition.
- · Foster critical listening and analytical skills through continuous practice and feedback.
- Encourage creativity and originality in musical expression.
- Prepare for performance and composition assessments through regular practice and refinement of work.