

## Drums / Percussion Programme 2022

### Contract

The Drums/Percussion Programme provides students with the opportunity to learn or advance themselves in the family of percussion instruments. The success of the programme is determined by the girls' commitment to their practise and their attendance.

Although the Ministry of Education fund the popular Itinerant Music Programme, it does not cover the scope of all instruments. Southland Girls' High School hires Trinity Waddell on your behalf to teach drums and percussion to SGHS students, and as such, there is an associated cost per lesson.

Please note that School policy of full payment must be received before your daughter to be eligible to begin lessons. If payment is not received before lessons begin your daughter will not be able to have lessons. Once payment has been made and lessons have started there will be no refunds. Payments will be allocated to any unpaid fees and charges on your daughter's account first.

**Please read the following carefully and sign that you are in agreement with the level of commitment we expect from you.**

1. I accept that my involvement in the Drum/Percussion Programme is an extended commitment, and that I will meet the obligations associated with it. *As such, any monies paid will not be refunded.*
2. I agree to act in a responsible, respectful manner when at my lesson.
3. I agree to practise the material asked of me and to fulfil all homework expectations to always ensure I give my best.
4. I accept that attendance at all lessons is essential. If I cannot make it to a lesson because of a school commitment or illness, I will contact the school office with an apology, or, with my tutor's permission, text her directly.
5. I will contribute to the musical life of Southland Girls' High School by involving myself in formal or informal performances.
6. I understand that the payment required must be paid (or a payment plan organised) at the Student Services Centre prior to the lessons starting.

#### Payment is as follows:

- **Drums/Percussion lessons are not covered by the Itinerant Music Programme and are charged at the rate of \$5.00 per lesson.**
- **Course Related Costs of \$15 per term** which cover the associated resourcing, maintenance and administration, are invoiced directly from the school's Finance Department.
- **You will receive confirmation of your lesson time and payment once payment has been received and the timetable has been drawn up.**

Once this contract is received, an email will be sent confirming when your daughter's lessons will be scheduled and this contract will be returned, signed by the HOD of Music. Details of payments due will be sent from the school Finance Department.

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

Academic Tutor Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Instrument: Drums / Percussion

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ (Student)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Parent/Caregiver)

\_\_\_\_\_ (Head of Music)

***Please return this completed contract to Mr de Blois  
by WEDNESDAY 16 February 2022***