Name of Subject: Music - Ensemble Performance

Stage: Stage 2 in year 12 (10 credit), usually in conjunction with another Music subject

General information: This subject develops the students’ skills on a chosen instrument or voice and they apply these skills and other musical knowledge in an ensemble.

Content: Students participate in one of the following:
- A small ensemble
- An orchestra
- A band
- A choir, vocal ensemble or as accompanist to a soloist
- A performing arts production (ex. Musical)

Assessments: Students must prepare and present 3 public performances with a minimum of 20 minutes of repertoire. One performance is externally assessed.
School based: (70%)
First performance: 7-9 minutes (30%)
Second performance: 8-11 minutes
External: (30%)
External performance: 10-12 minutes

Special Information:
- Students may work with musicians outside of their class and the College
- Students must ensure that those musicians are available for assessments and rehearsals

Preferred prerequisites:
- It is recommended that students who undertake this subject have studied a full year of Music in year 11.
- It is recommended that students who undertake this subject have worked with their chosen ensemble prior to enrolling in the subject to ensure proficient musical communication