

# CREATE@Faith



## 2022 Mid Semester Music Workshop Program

### Music Tech & Electric Guitar

#### Workshop #1 – Introduction to Music Tech

Students will be introduced to the fundamentals of mixing and audio production through creative participation.

**Who:** Beginners (Year 4 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Monday, 20 June

**Time:** 10:00am – 12:00pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – Lighthouse

**What to bring:** Headphones

**Tutor:** Tim Gaze

#### Workshop #2 – Electric & Acoustic Guitar Basics

Students will learn about electric and acoustic guitars, playing techniques and how to use these to play songs.

**Who:** Beginners (Year 4 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Monday, 20 June

**Time:** 12:00pm – 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC Classrooms

**Tutor:** Tim Gaze

### Song Writing Basics

#### Workshop #3 – Song Writing basics

Students will learn how to write a basic original pop song (or at least the verse/chorus)

**Who:** Beginners (Year 5 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Tuesday, 21 June

**Time:** 9:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Rd – AMC Classroom

**What to bring:** Notebook, Stationary & instrument (if you already play).

**Tutor:** Christine James-Pearson

## Strings

### **Workshop #4 - Introduction to Strings Instruments**

Students will spend some time learning about the differences between the various string instruments. We will then learn some basic note reading of each instrument before learning some fun pieces.

**Who:** Beginners (Year 5 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Tuesday, 21 June

**Time:** 12:30pm - 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC

**Tutor:** Lauren Foster

## Piano/Keyboard

### **Workshop #5 - A beginner Piano Crash Course**

Students will learn several songs starting from finger numbers to finding the letter names on the piano how to read the basics of the treble clef in the right hand. We'll finish off with playing along with a popular song using some of the notes learned.

**Who:** Beginners (Year 5 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Wednesday, 22 June

**Time:** 10:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC

**Tutor:** Christine James-Pearson

### **Workshop #6 – Piano Ensemble**

Students are assigned parts of 2 songs based on prior piano experience, they will practice their individual parts. At the end we will come together as a group for a performance.

**Who:** Students must have some prior piano playing experience

**When:** Wednesday, 22 June

**Time:** 12:30pm – 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC Classroom

**Tutor:** Christine James-Pearson

## Percussion

### **Workshop #7 – Tuned & Untuned Percussion (Secondary School students)**

Students will learn how to put together a short piece as an ensemble. Explore the different percussion instruments and how they sound all together. This includes learning playing technique for the percussion instruments.

**Who:** Secondary Beginners (Year 7 – Year 12 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Wednesday, 22 June

**Time:** 12:30pm - 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Rd – AMC Classroom

**Tutor:** Gabriella Gigante

**Workshop #8 – Untuned Percussion (Junior School Students)**

Students will learn a few short pieces on the tuned percussion instruments (many types of drums!) This includes basics of rhythmic reading, holding sticks and playing technique.

**Who:** Junior Beginners (Year 3 – Year 6 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Thursday, 23 June

**Time:** 10:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Rd – AMC Classroom

**Tutor:** Gabriella Gigante

**Workshop #9 – Tuned Percussion (Junior School Students)**

Students will learn a short piece on the tuned percussion instruments (glockenspiel, xylophone, marimba. This includes basics of music reading, holding and playing techniques.

**Who:** Junior Beginners (Year 3 – Year 6 students only) - bonus if you have some music experience

**When:** Thursday, 23 June

**Time:** 12:30pm – 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Rd – AMC Classroom

**Tutor:** Gabriella Gigante

**Vocal/Choral****Workshop #10 – The Physiology of Voice**

Students will learn the basics about the physiology of the voice, in relation to breathing, vocal registers, phonation etc, and how to apply it to their practice. We will then put this knowledge into some practical vocal technical and fun exercises for students.

**Who:** All students – Beginners and new students welcome

**When:** Thursday, 23 June

**Time:** 12:30pm - 2:30pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC Classrooms

**Tutor:** Katarina Karas

**Workshop #11- Musical Theatre**

Students will learn warmups and exercises to extend their vocal range and practice their technique, and also learn two contrasting songs from the choral and musical theatre repertoire. – *Highly recommended for students in the Musical!*

**Who:** Anyone – Beginners and new students (current choir students strongly encouraged)

**When:** Friday, 24 June

**Time:** 10:00am - 12:00pm

**Where:** Secondary School, Beveridge Road – AMC Classrooms

**Tutor:** Katarina Karas