

Queen Margaret College
Year 11 Music Programme 2019
Level 6 of the New Zealand Curriculum

Standard Number	Achievement Standard Title	Credits	Internal / External	Proposed assessment date
AS91090, 1.1	Solo Performance.	6	Internal	Term 3, Week 8
AS91091, 1.2 (Optional)	Group performance.	4	Internal	Term 2, Week 8
AS91092, 1.3	Composition.	6	Internal	Term 4, Week 1
AS91093, 1.4	Aural skills.	4	External	End of year examination
AS91094, 1.5	Conventions of music.	4	External	End of year examination
AS91095, 1.6	Music Works.	4	Internal	Term 3, Week 7

- At the end of each topic students sit a practice assessment similar to the external assessment.
- Students will also sit practice examinations for each external Achievement Standard during the QMC school examinations in the third term.

Course details

NCEA Level 1 Music is a stepping stone to Level 2 Music or the IB Diploma Music Course, with a number of achievement standards being offered. Students develop their composition and performance skills, while developing their knowledge, understanding and application in the areas of both written conventions of music and aural perception. Students gain some understanding of musical history and analysis by studying two discrete music works. Students who take this course must have an active interest and ability in Music, and have completed at least two years' instrumental or vocal tuition.

Course Information:

- The course has six Achievement Standards totalling 30 credits
- A selection of these will be offered in 2019 so that students are studying about 20 credits
- Students are expected at this level to be **having individual music tuition and to participate in at least one extra-curricular music activity** at Queen Margaret College.

Homework expectations

Your daughter should be learning at home for a total of at least 10 hours per week, across all subjects.

To achieve at a high level in this subject, students are expected to complete some homework during the week. Homework might include:

- Performance practice
- Completing composition tasks
- Completing theory exercises
- Research tasks