

2021

# GEORGIANA MOLLOY ANGLICAN SCHOOL



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## CO-CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

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# LIST OF CO-CURRICULAR OPPORTUNITIES

Realising your  
unique potential

## Discover your best self outside of the class room.

The co-curricular program at GMAS greatly enhances each student's school experience, and is quite often a highlight of each child's schooling years.

The broad range of sporting, academic and recreational pursuits on offer at GMAS are designed to instil a strong sense of belonging, wellbeing, and camaraderie amongst our students, while helping each child to develop their leadership, confidence, resilience and social skills.

This year, we have over 50 different co-curricular activities on offer. These activities have been thoughtfully selected to allow our students to pursue their interests and passions in a positive and nurturing environment that encourages participation over competition.

Students from Pre-primary to Year 12 are able to participate in the co-curricular program, with activities being held before and after school and on weekends. Activities are supervised by our staff and volunteers

from our school community. Some activities are also supported by community organisations such as regional sporting clubs and associations.

As part of our commitment to the physical and emotional wellbeing of every child, the majority of activities come at no additional cost to families. Some activities do incur a small charge such as club registration fees and these are listed where known, throughout this handbook.

While participation is optional, we do hold an expectation that students honour their initial commitment to their chosen activities for the duration of the season or term. This includes regular attendance at rehearsals, training, meetings and games.

Our hope is for each and every student at GMAS to discover and explore their unique talents and interests while enjoying a healthy balance between academic, physical and social pursuits.

Should you have any questions regarding the co-curricular program at GMAS, please contact [Mrs Val Best](#), Co-curricular Coordinator.



## Sports

Basketball  
Cricket  
Equestrian  
Fitness Club  
Swimming Club  
Fun Net - Early Childhood  
Hockey  
Mountain Biking  
Netball  
Soccer  
Tennis - Early Childhood

## After School Clubs

Bookworms Year 3 Book Club  
Box Guitar Construction  
Chess  
Coder Dojo  
Creative Art Club  
Creative Writers Club  
Debating  
Dungeons and Dragons  
Duke of Edinburgh  
Endorsed Programs  
Pedal Prix  
Robotics/Technology Club  
Sustainability  
Solar Car Challenge  
STEM Club Early Childhood  
STEM Club Junior School  
Tournament of Minds

## Music & The Arts

Art Extension  
ASC Ensemble  
Junior School Jazz Band

Junior Orchestra  
Junior School Extravaganza  
Middle School Jazz Band  
Musical School Production  
Showstoppers Junior School  
Secondary School Choir  
Senior Choir  
Senior Orchestra  
Senior Jazz Band  
St Mary's Scholarship Ensemble  
Year 2 Strings Program  
Year 4 Band Program  
Year 5 Band Program  
Year 7 Rock Band Program  
Twinkle Violin Club  
Flute Choir

## After School Tutoring

Biology Tutoring  
Human Biology Tutoring  
Chemistry Tutoring  
Homework Clubs  
Secondary English Tutoring  
Japanese Tutoring  
Secondary Mathematics Tutoring  
Physics Tutoring  
Psychology Tutoring  
Scholarship Application Assistance



**YEAR 4 HOMEWORK CLUB****Age group:** Year 4**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** 4G**Time:** Thursdays 3.15pm - 4.15pm**Uniform:** School uniform**Maximum number:** 20**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Jo Nottle](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**YEAR 5 HOMEWORK CLUB****Age group:** Year 5**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** 5M**Time:** Wednesdays, 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 12**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Ms Fiona Hawker](#)**How to join:** email coordinator**YEAR 6 HOMEWORK CLUB****Age group:** Year 6**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** 6M**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 12**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Rebecca Retzlaff](#)**How to join:** email coordinator**YEAR 7 HOMEWORK CLUB****Age group:** Year 7**Terms:** Mondays, Terms 1 - 4**Venue:** GLA3**Time:** 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 25**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Stephanie Braid](#)**How to join:** email coordinator**ART EXTENSION****Age group:** Years 5 and 6 selected extension class**Terms:** 1 (24 February - 28 March)**Venue:** Art Room 2**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 5.00pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 10**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Ms Annie Winchcombe](#)**How to join:** email coordinator (a selection process based on academic results applies)**BIOLOGY TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 11 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** Science 6**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 15**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Ms Jo Coleman](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**HUMAN BIOLOGY TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 11 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** Science 3**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm (Thursday by request)**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 15**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Stephen Treloar](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on Wednesday**CHEMISTRY TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 11 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** Science 2**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 15**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Jeremy Barraclough](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day

**ENGLISH TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 8 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** English 4**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Miss Paisley Walker](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**JAPANESE TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 7 - 12**Terms:** 1-4**Venue:** Science 4**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** School uniform**Maximum number:** 5**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Ms Tracey Smith](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on Thursdays**MATHS TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 8 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** Maths 1 and 2**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 20**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Dr Amanda Draper](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**PHYSICS TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 11 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** Science 1**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 15**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Paul Terry](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**PSYCHOLOGY TUTORIALS****Age group:** Years 11 - 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** English 1**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm**Uniform:** school uniform**Maximum number:** 15**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** via SEQTA or email**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Stephen Treloar](#)**How to join:** email coordinator or turn up on day**SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ASSISTANCE (Y12)****Age group:** Years 12**Terms:** 1 - 4**Venue:** N/A**Time:** by appointment**Uniform:** N/A**Cost:** no cost**Communication:** email or in person**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Megan Grosse](#)**How to join:** email coordinator

**BASKETBALL**

Basketball at GMAS is affiliated with the Busselton Basketball Association (BABA). GMAS enters teams into all age groups (U10 to Seniors), both genders and where possible, in multiple divisions. Volunteer assistance is required with coaching, managing and scoring. Players are expected to attend team training.

**Age group:** U10 - Seniors

**Terms:** 1 and 4

**Venue:** MAC and outdoor courts (training), GLC/CNC (games)

**Time:** 3.30pm - 4.30pm training (day to be confirmed by coach)

**Uniform:** GMAS basketball shirt and shorts, sport shoes and mouthguard

**Maximum number:** 8 players per team

**Cost:** team fees apply and are set by BABA. \$30 GMAS levy for uniform hire, equipment and wind up will be charged to term accounts

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Val Best](#)

**How to join:** nominations via Trybooking link in Term 3 or email coordinator

**CRICKET**

Cricket at GMAS is affiliated with the Busselton Margaret River Junior Cricket Association (BMRJCA). GMAS runs a Junior Blaster and Master Blaster program and enters teams into other age groups (U10 and U12) where possible. Volunteer assistance is required with coaching, managing and scoring. Players are expected to attend team training.

**Age group:** PP - Year 5

**Terms:** 1 and 4 (commencing week 1, Term 4)

**Venue:** GMAS Senior ovals (training all teams), games as per fixtures (Master Blasters, Stafe 1 and 2 only)

**Time:** 3.30pm - 4.30pm training (day to be confirmed by coach)

**Uniform:** GMAS cricket uniform

**Maximum number:** 13 players per team

**Cost:** payment required online at registration

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Val Best](#) and [Mr Blake Anderson](#)

**How to join:** nominations via Trybooking link in Term 1 or email coordinator

**EQUESTRIAN**

Where possible, GMAS enters teams into the WA State Interschool Championship, held across four days in April. Students compete in dressage, jumping, show horse and combined training, and have the chance to qualify for the Australian Interschool Championship. Parent assistance is required. Riders have the opportunity to attend coaching sessions at Yalambi Indoor Arena once a term.

**Age group:** PP - Year 12, with three divisions in Primary, Intermediate and Secondary

**Terms:** April school holidays

**Venue:** State Equestrian Centre, Brigadoon

**Time:** varies

**Uniform:** GMAS equestrian uniform

Maximum number: teams of at least 3-4 riders, or as an individual

**Cost:** click [here](#) for details

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Val Best](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**FITNESS CLUB (To be confirmed)**

Keeping active at Fitness Club is keeping healthy whilst having fun. This group is offered to students with all levels of fitness and abilities. A one hour session once a week is focused on functional fitness to give all students the opportunity to be active.

**Age group:** PP - Year 6

**Terms:** TBC

**Venue:** meet in the Junior school undercover area

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm-4.30pm

**Uniform:** GMAS sports uniform and sports shoes

**Maximum number:** 20

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** TBC

**How to join:** email coordinator

**FUN NET**

This program introduces Early Learning students to netball and assists in their development leading up to GMAS Netball. Fun Net enables all students to develop self-esteem, social skills, skills development and competence in netball in a fun environment. Students learn the skills of netball through appropriate activities and games, taught through a program with modified rules.

**Age group:** PP - Year 1

**Terms:** 2 and 3

**Venue:** Junior school hard court

**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm-4.30pm

**Uniform:** GMAS sports uniform, sport shoes

**Maximum number:** 16

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Christine Gaudet](#)

**How to join:** nominations via Trybooking link in Term 1 or email coordinator

**HOCKEY**

Hockey at GMAS is affiliated with the Busselton Hockey Association (BHA). GMAS runs the Hockey WA Goldstix Program at GMAS after school, enters teams of boys and girls from Years 3 - 5 into the local competition. GMAS teams are coached by staff and parent volunteers. All players are expected to train weekly. Students in Year 9 - 12 will be given the opportunity to represent GMAS in the ACC Champion Schools Hockey Carnival in Term 2.

**Age group:** Years 1 - 5

**Terms:** 2 and 3

**Venue:** training on Junior and Senior school ovals, games at regional soccer grounds (travel required)

**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm (training), Saturday mornings (games)

**Uniform:** GMAS sport uniform, sport shoes, mouth guard and shin pads

**Cost:** BHA team fees apply, plus GMAS levy for cost of equipment

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Gemma Rossiter](#) (Goldstix) or [Mr Matthew Braid](#) (Yr 3-5)

**How to join:** nominations via Trybooking link in Term 1 or email coordinator

**MOUNTAIN BIKING**

GMAS Mountain Biking runs throughout the year. Participation from Year 7 is encouraged and new members are always welcome. The club is designed to encourage and develop skills within the sport. Interested riders will be provided with an outline of the schedule of rides for each year to allow for planning. Parental assistance is required with transport and supervision on the rides.

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** TBC

**Venue:** local mountain biking trails

**Time:** Sundays - dates to be confirmed

**Uniform:** GMAS sports uniform

**Maximum number:** 20

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Val Best](#)

**NETBALL**

Netball at GMAS is affiliated with the Busselton Netball Association. GMAS enters teams into all age groups (U7 – Seniors) and where possible, in multiple divisions. Volunteer assistance is required with coaching, managing and scoring. All players are expected to train weekly. Students in Years 7 – 12 will be given the opportunity to represent GMAS in the South West Netball Cup.

**Age group:** U7 - Senior

**Terms:** 2 and 3

**Venue:** MAC and outdoor courts (training), Lois Hannay netball courts (games)

**Time:** 3.30 - 4.30pm training (day to be determined by coach), Saturday games

**Uniform:** GMAS netball uniform, sport shoes

**Maximum number:** 9 players per team

**Cost:** set by the BNA and charged to Term 2 accounts. Levy also applies for equipment purchases and wind up.

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Christine Gaudet](#)

**How to join:** nominations via Trybooking link in Term 1 or email coordinator

**SOCCER**

Soccer at GMAS is affiliated with the Leeuwin Naturaliste Junior Soccer Association (LNJSA). GMAS enters teams into all age groups (Mini Roos and FIFA) and where possible, multiple divisions. Volunteer assistance is required with coaching, managing and refereeing. All players are expected to train weekly. GMAS Soccer players and coaches are supported by the Community Participation Officer.

**Age group:** PP - Year 10

**Terms:** 2 - 3

**Venue:** school ovals and soccer pitch. Games at regional soccer grounds (travel required)

**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm (training) and Saturday games

**Uniform:** GMAS soccer uniform, soccer boots and shin pads

**Maximum number:** varies depending on team division

**Cost:** direct debit to the school account

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Val Best](#)

**How to join:** register via Trybooking link at start of season or email coordinator

**SWIMMING CLUB**

Students have the opportunity to join the GMAS Swimming Club. Affiliated with Swimming WA, the club has five different squads that cater for swimmers aged seven and upwards, of varying abilities, in Busselton and the surrounding areas. The swim club train regularly at the Geographe Leisure Centre and competes at various meets in the region and Perth throughout the year. Competitive swimming consists of two seasons, Long Course (summer) and short Course (Winter) which some of their swimmers regularly attend. This is optional.

**Age group:** 7 years + (Stage 7 minimum required)

**Terms:** 1 -4

**Venue:** Geographe Leisure Centre

**Time:** varies

**Cost:** Fees are applicable and payable to Swim Club

**Uniform:** GMAS bathers and swim cap

**Communication:** via website and Facebook group

**Coordinator/contact:** Lisa Taylor [registrar@gmasswimmingclub.com.au](mailto:registrar@gmasswimmingclub.com.au)

**How to join:** an application form and try out forms can be found under the "Join Us" tab on the GMAS Swim Club [website](#) and completed forms can be emailed to the [registrar](#).

**TENNIS - EARLY CHILDHOOD**

The Early Childhood tennis program caters for the development of our Early Learning students. The program introduces these students to tennis and assists in their development of self-esteem, social skills, skills development and competence in a fun environment.

**Age group:** PP - Year 2

**Term 1 and 4**

**Venue:** MAC

**Time:** Wednesdays 7.45am-8.20am

**Uniform:** GMAS sports uniform

**Maximum number:** 20

**Cost:** no cost

**Registration:** via Trybooking link

**Coordinator/contact:** Ms Rebecca Douglas and [Mrs Jolene Nottle](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator



**BOOKWORMS - YEAR 3 BOOKCLUB**

*Become a Bookworm and develop your love of reading, language and words. 'You'll never be lost if you can find yourself in a book (unknown).'*

**Age group:** Year 3

**Terms:** 1 - 4 (starting 2 March)

**Venue:** 3A

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm, Tuesdays 7.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 10

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Sharyn Nayler](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator and complete an application form

**BOX GUITAR CONSTRUCTION**

*Develop your woodwork and some metalwork skills by designing and constructing an acoustic guitar with a box resonator in the style of a 'cigar-box' guitar. Learn how to hand carve a guitar neck, inlay frets, create a tail piece and produce a unique and playable musical instrument. This will give students an introduction to the fine processes and attention to detail that is required to become a successful luthier.*

**Age group:** All year levels welcome

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** D&T1

**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Maximum number:** 10

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Angus Macleod](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**CHESS**

*This game of strategy has many benefits including improving memory, deepening focus, encouraging problem solving skills, boosting IQ and even combating dementia. We will be learning new tactics each week and employing those newly acquired skills in friendly tournaments for prizes.*

**Age group:** Years 6 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Science 1

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** n/a

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 10

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Reece Delaney](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**CODER DOJO**

*A coding and robotics club for students in year 4-6 to explore coding, computer programming, technology, drones and robotics. There is no set curriculum, students make projects and show learning to earn coding belts. There will be opportunities to enter competitions against other schools.*

**Age group:** Years 4 - 6

**Terms:** 1 - 4 (commencing week 4 of Term 1)

**Venue:** School library

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm - 5.00pm

**Uniform:** school uniform, afternoon snack and water bottle

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 50 per group THIS GROUP IS NOW FULL

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Carolyn Herring](#), [Ms Rowena May](#), [Mrs Kolleene Kunkel](#)

**How to join:** Trybooking. An email confirmation will be sent to successful participants. There will be a waitlist available. Year 3 students will be invited in Semester 2.

**CREATIVE ART CLUB**

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4 (Starting Thursday 4 March)

**Venue:** Secondary Art Room

**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** Uniform students where to school on the day. Art smocks provided.

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 25

**Communication:** via SEQTA message

**Coordinator/Contact:** [Mrs Kylie Davis](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**CREATIVE WRITERS CLUB**

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** ENG02

**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform, water bottle, notebook and computer

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 15

**Communication:** we have an online space where updates and information will be posted

**Coordinator/Contact:** [Mr Mathew Stickley](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**DEBATING**

*The Year 7 - 12 WADL Debating Competition runs in Term 2. Training will be during lunch time and there are five rounds of competitions fortnightly after school at Bunbury Cathedral Grammar School. Times are to be confirmed with WADL.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** English 1

**Time:** TBC

**Uniform:** School uniform, lunch, water bottle

**Cost:** no cost

**Maximum number:** 9 - 15

**Coordinator/contact:** [Miss Paisley Walker](#) and [Mrs Fiona Forrest](#)

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**How to join:** email coordinator

**DUNGEONS AND DRAGONS CLUB**

*Dungeons and Dragons is a fantasy role playing game in which players create characters and embark on adventures. The club encourages students to coordinate and plan as a team, while having a fun time journeying through the various adventures.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Maths 1

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm - 4.45pm

**Uniform:** school uniform and laptop

**Maximum number:** 15

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Jon Brown](#) and [Mrs Jo Coleman](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**DUKE OF EDINBURGH AWARD**

**Age group:** Years 9 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Secondary School

**Time:** all year

**Uniform:** dependent on the activity

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via home room, daily notices and assemblies

**Coordinator/Contact:** [Mr Stephen Treloar](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**ENDORSED PROGRAMS**

*Endorsed programs are those that have been developed by a school, community organisation or private provider and are endorsed by the School Curriculum and Standards Authority. These programs offer a range of activities not covered by traditional school courses or vocational education and training. They include extra-curricular learning and workplace learning. Click [here](#) for more information.*

**Age group:** Years 10 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Secondary School

**Time:** all year

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** by SEQTA.

**Coordinator/Contact:** [Mrs Jenelle Holder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**PEDAL PRIX**

*The Pedal Prix event is held at the Busselton foreshore in mid August. It is a 6 hour endurance race that comprises of approximately 50 teams. We can enter 2 teams for 2021 and Wednesday nights gives the team the opportunity to perform mechanical work on the pedal cars and also have time familiarising themselves driving the pedal cars.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 10

**Terms:** TBC

**Venue:** D&T workshop

**Time:** 3.30pm-4.30pm (Wed - in the lead up to the event)

**Uniform:** sports uniform

**Maximum number:** 25

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Phil Deroost](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**ROBOTICS/TECHNOLOGY CLUB**

*A weekly club for students to expand their digital technology skills and knowledge in a fun environment. Students choose their own projects and can learn to code, work with robots, program electronics, develop computer games/apps, explore AI, create graph/web design products, use technology to solve problems and much more.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 10

**Terms:** Monday, week 3 of Term 1

**Venue:** D&T 3

**Time:** 3.30 - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Peter McDonald](#)



**STEM CLUB - EARLY CHILDHOOD**

*STEM is science, technology, engineering, art and math. It makes creators, thinkers, problem solvers, doers, innovators, and inventors. Exposing children to simple STEM activities at an early age sets a foundation for higher learning tomorrow.*

**Age group:** Year 1 and 2

**Terms:** 1 (Starting from Monday 8 March) Year 1s Term 4, Year 2s Terms 1,2,3

**Venue:** 1G

**Time:** Mondays 3.30pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform or sports uniform

**Maximum number:** 20

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** via email

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Robyn Trewarn](#) and [Mrs Andrea Davey](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**STEM CLUB - JUNIOR SCHOOL**

*I encourage little engineers to come along and develop their problem-solving skills on real life problems! You will communicate, collaborate and solve tasks by investigating and building solutions. Class is limited to 15 students Years 3-6 (a waiting list will be compiled should numbers exceed)*

**Age group:** Year 3 - 6

**Terms:** 1

**Venue:** 1G

**Time:** Mondays 3.20pm - 4.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform or sports uniform

**Maximum number:** 15

**Cost:** Resources will be required from home

**Communication:** via email

**Coordinator/contact:** [Ms Justine Mitchell](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**SOLAR CAR CHALLENGE**

*During 2021 GMAS would like to compete in the Infinite Solar Car Challenge. The Infinite Energy Solar Car Challenge has been designed to promote and develop knowledge and skills in using solar and renewable technologies. This year I am looking to Year 7 and 8 students who will take on the exciting problem-based learning challenge to design, build, and race their very own solar-powered model car.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 8

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** D&T1

**Time:** Thursdays 3.30pm - 4.30pm (week 1 of Term 1)

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Maximum number:** 12

**Cost:** Competition entry (TBA)

**Communication:** via SEQTA

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Steven Riddell](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**TOURNAMENT OF MINDS**

*Tournament of Minds is a problem solving competition that runs during Term 3, where students work in a team to solve a problem and present a solution as a play.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 10

**Terms:** Term 2 and 3, commencing week 7

**Venue:** HASS5

**Time:** TBC

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** TBC. This is dependent on the stage of the competition.

**Communication:** Daily Notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Miss Heather Fink](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator for a nomination form

**SENIOR ASC ENSEMBLE**

*Senior ASC Ensemble is a combination music group of secondary music students who have been selected to represent GMAS at the Perth Concert Hall in September as part of the ASC Combined Schools Concert. This group is by invitation only and will focus on the preparation of ASC concert repertoire.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 2 - 3

**Venue:** Music room

**Time:** Fridays 7.30am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** the coordinator will contact you directly

**SENIOR JAZZ BAND**

*Senior Jazz Band consists of brass, woodwind and rhythm section instruments in the form of a traditional big band. It is suitable for students in Years 10 - 12 as students are recommended to have a 2 years' experience. Those in younger years may be invited to join. In addition to a weekly rehearsal schedule, the Jazz Band participates in many performance events throughout the year. The main focus for the group is jazz, swing and contemporary.*

**Age group:** Years 10 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** Monday 7.30am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Donna Deroost](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**MIDDLE SCHOOL JAZZ BAND**

*Middle School Jazz Band consists of brass, woodwind and rhythm section instruments in the form of a traditional big band. It is suitable for students in years 7 - 9 and students are recommended to have at least 1 years' experience. In addition to a weekly rehearsal schedule, the Jazz Band participates in many performance events throughout the year. The main focus for the group is jazz, swing and contemporary.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 9

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Primary Music Classroom

**Time:** Tuesdays 8.00am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Donna Deroost](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**JUNIOR SCHOOL JAZZ BAND**

*Junior Jazz Band consists of brass, woodwind and rhythm section instruments. It is offered to students in Years 4 - 6. In addition to a weekly rehearsal schedule, the Junior Jazz Band participates in many performance events throughout the year. The main focus for this group is an introduction to jazz and contemporary band repertoire, as well as giving students the experience of performing in a group.*

**Age group:** Years 4 - 6

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Primary Music Classroom

**Time:** Thursdays 8.00am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Donna Deroost](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**JUNIOR SCHOOL CHOIR (Showstoppers)**

*Showstoppers is for children from Years 4 - 6. The aim is to learn basic parts and harmonies to chosen songs. As a choir they sing for school and community events as well as the Bunbury Performing Arts Eisteddfod.*

**Age group:** Years 4 - 6

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** Wednesday 7.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Sue Thompson](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**SECONDARY SCHOOL CHOIR**

*Secondary School Choir is open to all Secondary School students with a passion for singing. The choir performs throughout the year at assemblies, school and community events as well as the Bunbury Performing Arts Eisteddfod.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** Wednesdays 7.30am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Phil Watts](#) or [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**SENIOR ORCHESTRA**

The Senior Orchestra is open to all Middle and Senior School instrumental students. This ensemble caters for a variety of instruments including strings, woodwind, brass and percussion. In addition to weekly rehearsals, the Orchestra participates in a range of performance events throughout the year, including the Bunbury Performing Arts Eisteddfod. The Senior Orchestra is a fantastic avenue for students to improve their notation reading while performing iconic music works with peers.

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** MAC

**Time:** Thursdays 7.30am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**JUNIOR ORCHESTRA**

Junior Orchestra is open to Junior School instrumental students. In addition to weekly rehearsals, our Junior Orchestra participates in many performance events throughout the year, including school concerts and the Bunbury Performing Arts Eisteddfod. Junior Orchestra is a great introduction to the skills required for playing music in an ensemble.

**Age group:** Junior school instrumental students

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room and MAC

**Time:** Tuesday 7.30am - 8.30am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**YEAR 2 STRINGS PROGRAM**

Year 2 students are offered the opportunity to learn a string instrument for a semester. Tuition and instrument hire is free, and in addition to weekly instrumental lessons, the students combine to play in a string ensemble. This group present a final end of semester concert to showcase their newly-acquired string skills, and to experience performing on a stage.

**Age group:** Year 2

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** TBC

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** information sent home with students

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**YEAR 4 BAND PROGRAM**

Year 4 students are offered the opportunity to learn a woodwind or bass instrument for a term. Tuition and instrument hire is free, and in addition to weekly instrumental lessons, the students combine to play in a band. This band rehearsal takes place during classroom Music, and every child in the class participates on an instrument. This class presents a final end of term concert to showcase their newly-acquired string skills, and to experience performing on a stage.

**Age group:** Year 4

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Primary Music Classroom

**Time:** TBC

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** information sent home with students

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**YEAR 5 BAND PROGRAM**

Year 5 students are offered the opportunity to learn a brass, saxophone or bass instrument for a semester. Instrument hire is free, and in addition to weekly instrumental lessons, the students combine to play in a band ensemble. This group present a final end of semester concert to showcase their newly-acquired band skills, and to experience performing on a stage.

**Age group:** Year 5

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** TBC

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** information sent home with students

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

**YEAR 7 ROCK BAND**

Year 7 Rock Band consists of traditional rock band and rhythm section instruments. It is suitable for students with at least 1 or 2 years' experience. In addition to a weekly rehearsal schedule, the Rock Band participates in many performance events throughout the year. The main focus for this group is contemporary rock/pop music.

**Age group:** Year 7

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** Friday 12.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** advertised in the daily notices and expression of interest meeting

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Philip Watts](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator



## JUNIOR SCHOOL EXTRAVAGANZA

*The Junior School Extravaganza each year is a musical item from each Year 3-6 class. This production aims to provide students with an opportunity to showcase their music and drama skills on stage in front of a large audience.*

**Age group:** Years 3 - 6

**Terms:** 3

**Venue:** MAC

**Time:** class items are devised and practised in school time

**Uniform:** school uniform plus costumes

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** conducted to parents through class room teachers

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Conor Martin](#)

**How to join:** N/A

## TWINKLES VIOLIN CLUB

*String students in Pre-primary to Yr 3 are invited to join this weekly string group session. Students play through the Suzuki Book 1 repertoire in the group, with the aim of improving confidence and technical skills.*

**Age group:** PP - Year 3

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Primary Music Classroom

**Time:** Wednesdays 3.30pm - 4.15pm

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost (students must be undertaking violin tuition)

**Communication:** information is sent home with students in Term 1

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

## ST MARY'S SCHOLARSHIP ENSEMBLE

*The St Mary's Instrumental / Vocal Scholarships are awarded to four students each year. Students must be entering Middle School or Senior School to apply. Applications open at the end of Term 3 with auditions being held during Term 4. Scholarship holders rehearse every Tuesday lunch time and perform at a St Mary's Anglican Church Sunday morning service once a month throughout the year.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Primary Music Classroom

**Time:** Thursdays 12.30pm

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** scholarship auditions Term 4, advertised in the daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mr Philip Watts](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator

## FLUTE CHOIR

*The GMAS Flute Choir consists of flutes only, and is open to secondary flute students. Mrs Kozlowski, who is an excellent flautist herself, directs the ensemble and the group plays a mixture of classical and contemporary repertoire, enjoying the fun challenge of working with harmonizing parts within the group.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 11

**Terms:** 1 - 4

**Venue:** Ensemble Room

**Time:** Fridays 7.45am

**Uniform:** school uniform

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** Mrs Kozlowski and [Mrs Kate Telchadder](#)

**How to join:** email Mrs Telchadder

## SECONDARY SCHOOL MUSICAL PRODUCTION

*The main school production each year is a musical with students undertaking an audition process to be involved. Productions aim to provide students with opportunities to showcase their skills and talents whilst working productively with many others in a supportive and encouraging environment.*

**Age group:** Years 7 - 12

**Terms:** Auditions in Term 1, performances in Term 3

**Venue:** Ensemble Room and MAC

**Time:** Monday 3.30pm - 6.00pm, Wednesday 3.30pm - 5.30pm, some lunchtimes and weekends

**Uniform:** school uniform and costume

**Cost:** no cost

**Communication:** daily notices

**Coordinator/contact:** [Mrs Sue Thompson](#)

**How to join:** email coordinator