

Essential characteristics to prepare for a changing world

The Arts: Music

Innovators

Students are innovators, introducing new ideas and using original and creative thinking, when they:

- experiment with emerging composition technologies to create and manipulate music elements, concepts and sounds
- find new ways of engaging with audiences through digital platforms
- achieve shared goals by challenging their own assumptions about music in response to the perspectives of others.

Music generates opportunities for students to be innovators, entrepreneurs, lifelong learners and responsible global citizens.

Entrepreneurs

Students are entrepreneurs, finding opportunities and taking creative risks, when they:

- compose music for specific purposes and contexts that captivates the listener
- find new avenues for authentic collaboration with other performers, both locally and globally
- use music to communicate ideas to audiences in an effective and engaging manner.

Lifelong learners

Students are self-motivated, curious, lifelong learners, when they:

- manage the ongoing development of their own performance skills
- enhance their creative practice by teaching themselves to use new technologies
- think deeply and analytically about the layers of meaning expressed through their own and others' works.

Responsible citizens

Students are responsible global citizens, who are aware of and understand the world around them, when they:

- engage respectfully and ethically with music from diverse cultures, languages and beliefs
- recognise and value the significance of music in everyday life and society
- work effectively with teams towards a common goal in compliance with industry standards.

