



FESTIVAL OF MUSIC 2026

Expression of Interest

Host Mentors

Tenure: 1 year

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Expressions of interest are invited for the position of Host Mentor for the 2026 Primary Schools Music Festival.

This position involves working with the Host Manager to mentor hosts throughout the audition process, rehearsals and performances during the Festival of Music concert series, as well as assisting hosts to personalize their concert scripts. A Mentor Lite option is available.

Mentor Expectations

- Attend Host Mentor induction and/or briefing sessions led by the Host Manager
- Work closely with the Host team to mentor students before, during and after their auditions, rehearsals and performances
- Negotiate your commitment with the Host Manager
A full commitment involves auditions in Term 1, rehearsals after school once a fortnight from Term 2 and up to 3 Sunday rehearsals during Terms 2 and 3
- Mentoring Lite allows a mentor to join the team at the beginning of Term 3
- Attend 2 offsite rehearsals during school time in Week 5 Term 3, 18 to or 21 August
- Attend 2 rehearsals and performances in week 9 of Term 3 to support hosts
- Liaise with the Host Manager to ensure scripts are correct.

Host Mentors will work under the direction of the Host Manager and the Manager, PSMF.

TRT days will be provided where necessary. Certificate of PD Hours will be provided.

Successful applicants will be required to have, or be prepared to get, Responding to Risks of Harm, Abuse and Neglect (RRHAN-EC) training and provide a Working with Children Check (WWCC) clearance.

Applications of one page maximum (including a brief CV) and the names of two referees (including line manager) are due Friday 13 February 2026.

To send your application or request further information:

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