



## SA Public Primary Schools Festival of Music

### Criteria for Assessment of Applicants

#### HPI Choir Teachers

1. Curriculum Vitae, including:
  - 2 referees (1 musical)
  - teaching experience with evidence of curriculum planning
  
2. Take a Yr 5-7 choir rehearsal showing evidence of choir teaching and music teaching skills by:
  - including appropriate warm ups
  - teaching part of a Festival of Music song, showing evidence of:
    - excellent pitch
    - good breath control
    - clear diction and vowel formation
    - correct rhythms
    - a range of dynamics
    - appropriate musicianship
  - demonstrating specific knowledge of the above song
  - developing rapport with the students
  - working collaboratively with the accompanist ... or...  
working with the choir using your own accompanying skills
  
3. General understanding
  - How would you plan a 50 minute rehearsal and a term's work?
  - What working relationships do you think you need to form within a school?
  - How would you ensure Duty of Care and appropriate behaviour management?
  
4. A Screening Unit 'Working with Children Check' (WwCC) is required before employment can commence and Response to Abuse and Neglect training must be undertaken as soon as possible.