



**early
years**
MUSIC SCHOOL

KICKSTART your 2025 MUSIC PLANNING

Four music workshops for the early years through to Year 3

Kickstart music in your centres, pre-schools and classrooms with practical, research led, fun filled workshops led by local early childhood/primary music specialist, Ruth Thompson.

WORKSHOPS

COST

\$55.00 p person - 1 workshop

\$90.00 p person – 2 workshops

VENUE: Church of Christ Hall, 69 Burrendong Way, Orange

BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL



MONDAY FEB 03: 3:30 – 5:00pm

AGE FOCUS: Pre-School – Year 3 approx

FROM SOUND TO SYMBOL:

Organising sequential musical experiences in the classroom, discovering beat, rhythm, melody, and part work painlessly using singing games and rhymes. Designed to suit teachers with little musical experience but who know music is good for their students.

TUESDAY FEB 04: 9:30 – 11:00am

AGE FOCUS: 1 – 4 years approx

LEARNING WITH PROPS:

Using my favourite props, we discover how to reinforce music and movement skills and support musical concepts and imagination. Exploring egg shakers, parachute, scarves, stretchy band and lycra.

WEDNESDAY FEB 19: 4:00 – 5:30pm

AGE FOCUS: 3 – 8 years approx

USING RECORDED MUSIC IN THE CLASSROOM:

Circle games, dances, beat passing games, exploration of dynamics, listening skills, moving to the beat, responding to music, well-being, sharing, fun and relaxation through using carefully chosen recorded music, all available on Spotify.

FRIDAY FEB 21: 1:00 – 2:30pm

AGE FOCUS: 0 - 2 years

MUSICAL PLAY WITH UNDER 2'S:

Probably the most unpracticed age for music education. With the first few years vital to developing listening skills, making sense of sounds around them and developing language – musical play has the potential to impact all these developmental areas all embedded in play. Include all links made to EYLF.