



# Valley View Public School

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## ACCEPTANCE LETTER FOR BEGINNER RECORDER GROUP

Dear Parents,

Your child has shown an interest in being part of the Beginner Recorder Group. The group will be commencing from Week 5 for any students from Year 1 upwards.

The Recorder is a fabulous “first” instrument and provides a solid foundation for your child’s musical education.

Students **will require a descant recorder** which can be purchased from any Music shop. Please don’t purchase one from a ‘toy section’ as they are often out of tune and have the tendency to squeak more! Students are expected to practice at home and use their instrument responsibly. The tutor book we will be using is **Progressive Recorder Book 1**. I will provide the music to each student as we progress, or you may wish to purchase it from Macron Music, Erina or from most music stores.

We will be practising in school once a week on a **Thursday at lunch play time in Room 14**, however extra rehearsals may be requested if a performance is coming up.

The Beginner Recorder Group may be given opportunities to perform at events throughout the school year, such as the Whole School Assemblies. You will be notified of our performances through notes sent home and our school newsletter.

Please sign the permission note below if you and your child would like to commit to the Beginner Recorder Group and return the note to Mrs Horncastle. Please don’t hesitate to contact me if you require further information.

Yours sincerely,

Anna Horncastle  
Beginner Recorder Teacher

Kirsty Squires  
Principal

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My child \_\_\_\_\_ of class \_\_\_\_\_ will be / will not be participating in the Beginner Recorder Group.

We understand the commitment the Beginner Recorder Group involves.

My child knows they will be rehearsing each Thursday at afternoon tea time in Room 14.

Parent's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent contact number: \_\_\_\_\_

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

