My son Robert has been a member of the concert and jazz bands at St Helena Secondary College for five years and he has enjoyed it immensely. He has acquired a good group of friends across a number of year levels and has developed confidence in himself and his abilities which I don't think he would have achieved without the music program and the staff who work tirelessly to drive it. I hope the government will increase its support for the music program in schools to ensure all children have the opportunity to experience its wonderful benefits.

Regards Grant

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