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In reference to music program at our school, music is integrated into our school in so many ways & impacts my daughters lives in many areas from learning instruments to participating at concerts, festivals and proudly representing their school in both choral and band competitions. There are many benefits from music to our school community with the development of confidence, cohesion, team work & an improved learning environment. My daughters have been receiving the best tuition and musical exposure at Canterbury Girls' and have developed such a love of music from attending their weekly lessons and rehearsals to performing at BMW Edge and traveling to Ballarat for Eisteddfod competitions. House events both Choral and Dance Drama are such a vital component of each school year which contribute to building good team work, healthy competition and provide opportunities performing to both the local and school community. Studies show that children learning musical instruments or theory perform better academically, which is another reason we encourage our daughters to be involved with the music program at Canterbury Girls Secondary College.

Taking away this opportunity will have a major impact to our school and will affect the girls development both musically and academically. Through this submission, I plead that funding for the music program is not reduced and be allowed to continue for all girls currently enrolled and future students of the college.

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