

Music @ TDChristian 2020-21

Music is an integral part of the TDChristian experience. Students are encouraged to take the opportunity to share God-given musical gifts. Students who have a passion for and/or talent in music, want to develop their skills, need musical advice, or desire to be a part of the music program via organizing or tech should email Mr. Hayward at hayward@tdchristian.ca. New and Grade 9 students are encouraged to participate.

NOTE: Given the pandemic, we are looking into ways to continue these programs safely (as well as offering Private Vocal Lessons). If, how, and when they begin, will be determined in September. If you are interested, have questions or suggestions, please email or Edsby message Mr. Hayward (hayward@tdchristian.ca).

Choir, which consists of students from all grades, provides music at various school events, and represents TDChristian at the annual Choral Festival and other events.

Concert Band is a multi-level and multi-grade ensemble which meets Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 7:30 to 8:30 a.m.

Jazz Ensemble consists of about 10 to 15 members of the concert band, including saxophones, trumpets, trombones and a rhythm section (keyboard, guitars, bass and drums) and practices after school weekly. The ensemble performs jazz, rock and other commercial styles. Students from all grade levels are welcome.

Praise Band is an ensemble of student singers and musicians who lead our school community in praise. There may also be opportunities to lead in praise to God during school events or special ones away from the school.

Performances by Individuals or Groups are often given throughout the year to aspiring musicians including perform for the school body at assemblies, **Talent Night**, and other school events – virtual or live.

Behind the Scenes Help is welcome. Read the Fridge Door's *Music Notes* or respond to Edsby messages.