Using Music

School Readiness Funding Program



2027 - 2028

Hello!



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Thank you for your interest in partnering with Using Music.

Using Music provides mentoring and professional learning to support early childhood Teachers, Educators and Kindergarten communities to build capacity to use music to improve communication and social and emotional wellbeing.

There are three customisable School Readiness Funding (SRF) programs that aim to empower and equip your team with the knowledge and skills to use music with the children you teach and care for. The programs are:

- **Mentoring:** Using Music at Kinder
- **Workshop:** Using Music with Preschoolers
- **Webinars:** Using Music Professional Learning

Program details, costs and SRF plan information are in this document. Contact us if you would like to discuss or tailor a program to best fit your early years service.

We look forward to supporting your service to refresh and develop the use of music for the benefit of you and the children you teach and care for.

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SRF Programs
Which program is best for you?

Our 3 Programs

All three programs are customisable and can be included in your SRF Plan.

Mentoring

Using Music at Kinder

- Consultation
- Workshop
- Webinars
- Peer Support
- Can include in-session music and mentoring visits

From $4,550

including GST

Workshop

Using Music with Preschoolers

- Team Workshop 2-hour, half day or whole day
- Customised for your service
- Webinars
- Peer Support

From $3,450

including GST

Webinars

Using Music Professional Learning

- 4 online webinars
- Online and on demand
- Individual and team learning
- Peer support

From $650

including GST

SRF Cycle

All programs are available as a single year in 2027 or 2028, or as a two-year program across 2027-2028.

Ongoing Services

We are proud to have ongoing partnerships with early childhood services across Victoria. If you have partnered with us in the past, please reach out to us for your personalised program plan.

Mentoring Program:
Using Music at Kinder

What to expect

Using Music partners with you across the year, to develop your skills, knowledge and confidence to integrate music into your daily program.

Consultation
Initial onsite or online consultancy visit to understand your goals and program.

Workshop
Interactive workshop for your team out of session or off the floor.

Webinars
Engaging professional learning series to extend knowledge and ideas.

Peer Support
Four optional online group mentoring sessions to connect and share.

Mentoring
In-session music and mentoring visits to model, mentor and support.
(See next page for number of visits per program).



Mentoring Program:
Using Music at Kinder

SRF Details & Costs

Mentoring Package 1

- **1-year program (2027 or 2028): $4,550 (including GST)**
- **2-year program (2027-28): $7,800 (including GST)**

Includes:

- Initial onsite or online consultancy, interactive workshop for your team (2 hours), four online professional learning webinars (4 hours), access to four online group mentoring sessions (optional 1 hour each)
- Two-year program also includes 2 in-session music and mentoring visits.

Mentoring Package 2

- **1-year program (2027 or 2028): $9,950 (including GST)**
- **2-year program (2027-28): $16,000 (including GST)**

Includes:

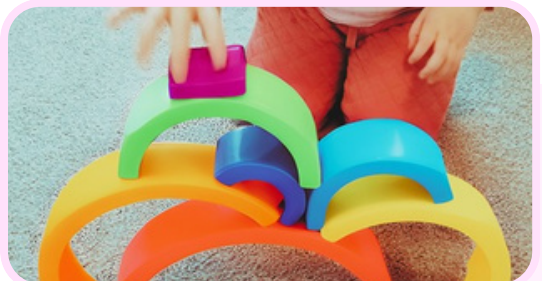
- Initial onsite or online consultancy, interactive workshop for your team (2 hours), four in-session mentoring visits to model, mentor and support, four online professional learning webinars (4 hours), access to four online group mentoring sessions (optional 1 hour each)
- Two-year program includes additional 4 in-session music and mentoring visits.

Mentoring Package 3

- **1-year program (2027 or 2028): $15,800 (including GST)**
- **2-year program (2027-28): $28,500 (including GST)**

Includes:

- Initial onsite or online consultancy, interactive workshop for up to 20 participants (2 hours), eight in-session mentoring visits to model, mentor and support, four professional learning webinars (4 hours), access to four online group mentoring sessions (optional 1 hour each), unlimited online/phone support.
- Two-year program includes an additional 8 in-session music and mentoring visits



Workshop Program:
Using Music with Preschoolers

What to expect

An interactive workshop for Teachers and Educators to build confidence, refresh and explore new ideas for enhancing children's learning and development. The workshop is personalised for your Kindergarten context.

Workshop
Have fun with your team exploring using music strategies and ideas.

Webinars
Engaging professional learning series to extend knowledge and approaches.

Peer Support
Four online group mentoring sessions to connect and share.

SRF Details & Cost

1-year program (2027 or 2028)

- 2-hour workshop – $3,450 (including GST)
- Half-day workshop (4 hours) – $4,250 (including GST)
- Full-day workshop (6 hours) – $5,200 (including GST).

2-year program (2027—2028)

- 2-hour workshop – $5,900 (including GST)
- Half-day workshop (4 hours) – $7,980 (including GST)
- Full-day workshop (6 hours) – $9,200 (including GST)



Webinar Program:
Using Music Professional Learning

What to expect

Participate in capacity building professional development through an online masterclass series. The series supports knowledge, reflective practice and ideas for using songs, stories, games, instruments, rhythm and rhyme to develop communication, social skills, emotional regulation and inclusion.

Webinar Series
A series of four online webinar topics for early childhood professionals. Learn online at a time that suits you with four hours of learning.

Peer Support
Four optional online group mentoring sessions to connect and share ideas.

SRF Details & Costs

1-year program (2027 or 2028)

- $650 (including GST) per participant, or
- $980 (including GST) per team (up to 6 participants)

2-year program (2027—2028):

- $880 (including GST) per participant, or
- $1,290 (including GST) per team (up to 6 participants)



SRF Plan Information

Communication

Language, Literacy & Numeracy Goals

- For Teachers/Educators to develop confidence, skills and capacity to use educational music experiences to support children's language development.
- To increase the listening, phonological awareness (pre-reading) and communication skills of all children, including those identified at risk.
- For Kinders to increase using rhythm, rhyme, songs and stories to support language, communication skills, literacy and numeracy.

Wellbeing

Social, Emotional and Executive Function Goals

- For Teachers/Educators to develop knowledge and confidence to use creative educational and therapeutic strategies to support social and emotional regulation and wellbeing.
- To enhance children's social skills, emotional regulation, executive function and wellbeing at Kinder through music-based experiences.
- To increase the use of music and creative play within everyday interactions and experiences to increase in positive engagement and relationships.

Inclusion

Access, Inclusion and Participation Goals

- For Teachers/Educators to develop understandings of children with diverse learning needs to support all children to access and engage at Kinder.
- To improve inclusion of all children and families, including those of diverse cultural and developmental backgrounds.
- To expand Teachers/Educators skills and confidence to use music experiences to improve access, participation and engagement of all children.

Partnering with Us

1 **SRF Plan**

Use this information to include Using Music in your SRF Plan for 2027 - 2028.

2 **Confirmation**

We will contact you at the beginning of 2027 to confirm your approved Plan.

3 **Your Program**

Together we customise your Using Music program and we partner with you to support your SRF goals and learning intentions for the program.

How to Contact Us

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We look forward to supporting you to use music for you and the children you teach and care for!

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