



The School That Strikes Just the Right Note

MUSWELLBROOK'S RICHARD GILL SCHOOL IS AN INDEPENDENT PRIMARY SCHOOL WITH A DIFFERENCE.

Since opening in 2020, it has gained a glowing reputation among parents who value its smaller class sizes, its STEM curriculum, Individual Education Plans that guides each student's learning journey, and its program of outdoor physical activities.

But what makes Richard Gill School truly unique is music.

While Principal Chris English is quick to point out Richard Gill School is not a music school, he concedes music is one of its cornerstones.

The school day starts with singing by the entire school. Each child has a music lesson every day and is encouraged to learn an instrument.

That's not surprising when you learn that the school was the brainchild

of the late Richard Gill AO. The renowned Australian Symphony Orchestra conductor believed passionately that music could open the human mind to broader learning – particularly in a child's formative years.

"At Richard Gill School, we strike a healthy balance between physical activity, music and the STEM-based learning that will be critical to every child's future career," said Mr English, himself a talented singer and musician.

"Our teachers are exceptional: They care deeply about their students. They create an Individual Education Plans for each student, so their progress is continually monitored throughout their learning journey.

"We also develop strong partnerships with our students' families and the



local community. Together we foster each child's talents and strengths."

Richard Gill School's small class sizes enhance its warm, family atmosphere. The emphasis on multi-literacies ensures students become confident communicators from an early age.

The school is open to children from across the Upper Hunter and is now accepting 2024 enrolments for Kindergarten to Year 4.

Richard Gill School plans to grow to offer Upper Hunter children a musically focused education from Kindergarten through to Year 6,

with a long-term vision for a K-12 school.

Bus services are available to bring youngsters from Singleton, Scone and surrounding areas of the Upper Hunter. Scholarships also available on confidential application for both equity and talent.

Class sizes are limited. To learn more about Richard Gill School go to <https://richardgillschool.nsw.edu.au>, email admin@rgs.nsw.edu.au, or call 6543 1900.

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