



1.1. Extension Studies – Choir (10 hours)

Lecturer: Réka Csernyik

Overview: Extension studies: Choir allows participants the opportunity to broaden their experience in choral music, striving for excellence in a final performance.

Dates: Block 1 (5 days): Monday 13 April to Friday 17 April 2015
Block 2 (5 days): Monday 28 September to Friday 2 October 2015

Time: 2.00pm – 3.00pm

Venue: Presbyterian Ladies' College (room to be announced)

Concert: Friday 2 October 2015, 6.00-7.15pm.

Time Commitment: In addition to the daily classes (total 10 hours), students will need to put aside time to for memorisation of repertoire. Students are expected to perform at the final concert as part of the AKC Course Choir on Friday 2 October 2015.

Materials: Students will need to a pencil and black display folder. Access to a piano or piano keyboard is strongly recommended.

Set Text: Csernyik, R. (Editor). Let Us Sing. *Sound Thinking Australia*.

Course Content:

Each session will contain warm up activities and vocal technique. Participants will learn appropriate warm up exercises and exercises to develop voice production through breathing, articulation and vowel placement.

Assessment:

- Assessment will be based on punctual class attendance and the student's willingness and preparedness to participate in all rehearsals and performances.
- Assessment will be graded as a Pass/Fail.