

TAIPEI FUHSING PRIVATE SCHOOL
String Orchestra
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2025 AUSTRALIAN
INTERNATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

SYDNEY

5th – 12th July, 2025

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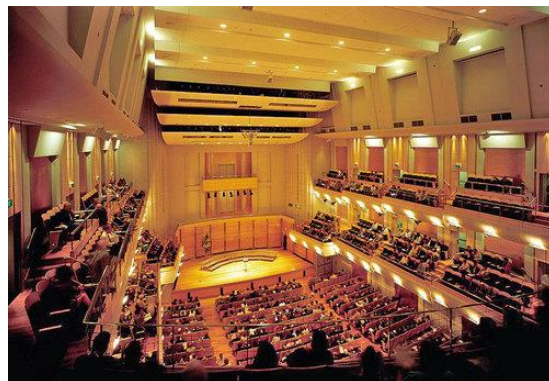
DAY ONE: Saturday, 5th July, 2025 – SYDNEY ARRIVAL (D)

Morning	Arrive into Sydney! Collect your luggage, meet your local Australian Tour Manager and load the coaches. Depart on a Sydney Orientation Tour including stops in the Central Business District, Eastern Suburbs and Bondi Beach.
Afternoon	Lunch on own. Mid-afternoon, transfer and check in to your hotel (TBC).
Evening	Dinner as a group (Included). Afterwards, attend the Festival Opening Concert for all participating groups at a venue (TBC).



DAY TWO: Sunday, 6th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D) – Adjudicated Performance

- Morning** Breakfast as a group at the hotel.
- Depart for Sydney's Taronga Zoo where you will be able to see both international and native animals such as kangaroos and koalas!!
- Afternoon** Lunch on your own at the park.
- Early afternoon, board the coaches and return to the hotel.
- Upon arrival back to the hotel, freshen up and change into your performance attire.
- Transfer to Verbrugghen Hall OR Chatswood Concourse (TBC).
- Upon arrival, sound check on stage.
- Evening** Takeaway dinner as a group this evening (Included).
- Adjudicated **performance** as part of this evening's Festival Concert at Verbrugghen Hall or Chatswood Concourse (TBC) (20 minute performance length each).
- Afterwards, return to the hotel.



DAY THREE: Monday, 7th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D) – Workshop & Rehearsal Exchange

- Morning** Breakfast as a group at the hotel.
- This morning, transfer to a venue in Sydney (TBC – possibly the Conservatorium of Music).
- Enjoy a 1-hour **workshop** with a member of the Festival Faculty for both ensembles.
- Afternoon** Lunch on your own in Sydney.
- This afternoon is free to explore Sydney on your own.
- Evening** Dinner as a group at a local restaurant (Included).



DAY FOUR: Tuesday, 8th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D) – Outdoor Performance

Morning Breakfast as a group at the hotel.

This morning enjoy a Guided Walking Tour of the Historic Rock's District in Sydney – one of the oldest settled areas in the country!

Afternoon Lunch on own in Sydney.

Outdoor **Performance** at Darling Harbour for both ensembles.

Evening Afterwards, dinner as a group at a local restaurant (included).

Afterwards, move to the Opera House to watch other festival participants this evening.



DAY FIVE: Wednesday, 9th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D) – Opera House Performance

Morning Breakfast as a group at the hotel.

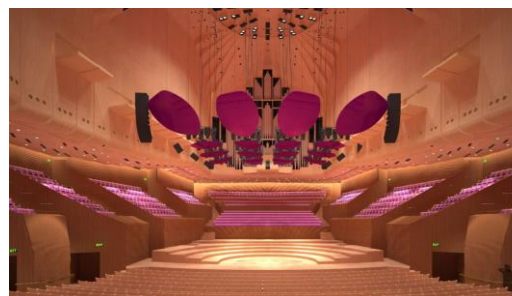
Late morning, board the coaches and transfer to the Sydney Opera House (TBC). Upon arrival you will move backstage to store your instruments.

Afternoon Lunch on your own nearby and return to the Opera House.

Performance as part of this afternoon's Festival Concert (15 minute performance length). You will also have the opportunity to hear other Festival ensembles perform this afternoon.

Afterwards, load the coaches and return instruments to the hotel.

Evening Dinner as a group at a restaurant and the rest of this evening is free.



DAY SIX: Thursday, 10th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D)

- Morning Breakfast as a group at the hotel.
Enjoy a 1.5-hour **rehearsal exchange** with another participating ensemble for the concert band.
- Afternoon Lunch on your own.
This afternoon is free to explore Sydney on your own.
- Evening Dinner as a group at a local restaurant (Included).
OPTIONAL: After dinner this evening, possibly watch some other groups perform.

DAY SEVEN: Friday, 11th July, 2025 - SYDNEY (B,D) – Command Performance

- Morning Breakfast as a group at the hotel.
This morning, enjoy a Harbour Cruise on Sydney's magnificent Harbour.
- Afternoon Lunch on your own followed by some free time this afternoon for independent shopping and sightseeing.
- Evening Dinner as a group at a local restaurant (Included).
Afterwards, transfer to Sydney Town Hall (TBC).
Attend (or **perform** in if you are the Adjudicator's choice) the Festival Command Performance in Sydney Town Hall (TBC).
After the concert, enjoy the Festival Closing Party.
Afterwards, return to the hotel.



DAY EIGHT: Saturday, 12th July, 2025 - SYDNEY DEPARTURE (B, meals/movies inflight)

- Morning Breakfast as a group at the hotel.
Check out of the hotel and transfer to Sydney Airport.
Arrive at Sydney Airport and check in for your flight.
- Afternoon Depart Sydney.

WELCOME HOME!!

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GROUND INCLUSIONS:

- ♪ Accommodation: Seven (7) nights at a central, 3-star hotel (subject to availability)
- ♪ Breakfasts: Daily as a group at the hotel (Full Breakfast in 3 Star)
- ♪ Dinners: Six (6) Restaurant Dinners & 1 Takeaway Dinner
- ♪ Full-sized deluxe touring coach(es) as required by the itinerary
- ♪ Sightseeing and admissions per itinerary including:
 - SYDNEY – Sydney Orientation Tour, Sydney Harbour Cruise, Taronga Zoo, Rock's Guided Walking Tour
- ♪ One (1) local tour manager PER COACH with the group throughout the tour (English Speaking)
- ♪ Australian International Music Festival inclusions as follows:
 - One (1) adjudicated performance at Verbrughen Hall or Chatswood Concourse (TBC)
 - One (1) performance slot at the Sydney Opera House Concert Hall
 - One (1) outdoor performance at Darling Harbour for both ensembles
 - Workshop: One (1) with a member of the Festival Faculty for each ensemble
 - Rehearsal Exchange: One (1) with another participating ensemble for the Concert band
 - Festival T-shirt
 - Festival program and sticker
 - Festival Plaque for each group
 - One (1) recording of an indoor performance
 - Access to all Festival events and concerts
 - Festival Closing Party
- ♪ Large equipment provided at Festival concert and rehearsal locations (Timpani, Concert Bass Drum, Xylophone, Glockenspiel, Marimba, Vibraphone, Chimes, Drum Kit, Music Stands Piano & Choral Risers)
- ♪ Taxes and tolls (where applicable)

EXCLUSIONS:

- ♪ Airfare and related taxes/surcharges/baggage charges
- ♪ Ground Transportation to/from your local Airport
- ♪ Additional Music Instrument Rental (such as Double Bass, Tuba etc)
- ♪ Meals not indicated in the itinerary including lunches and some dinners
- ♪ Excess or overweight baggage charges (if any)
- ♪ Items of a personal nature (laundry, room service, telephone fee, internet connection, mail, etc.)
- ♪ Travel Insurance

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NUMBER OF TRAVELERS: 40-74 paid+ 4 Gratis = 44-78 Total Travelers
 (Gratis is based on Twin Share)

GROUND COST PER PERSON **3 STAR HOTEL:**

	TRIPLE SHARE	TWIN SHARE	SINGLE SHARE
40-44 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,465	\$2,817	\$4,046
45-49 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,390	\$2,742	\$3,971
50-54 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,383	\$2,735	\$3,964
55-59 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,593	\$2,945	\$4,174
60-64 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,517	\$2,869	\$4,098
65-69 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,500	\$2,852	\$4,081
70-74 Paid + 4 Gratis	\$2,449	\$2,801	\$4,030

NOTES:

- **AUD Dollar Costs:** All costs are in Australian Dollars and must be paid to WPSP in Australian Dollars
- **Availability / Ground Costs:** the quote is subject to availability of accommodation and vehicles at the time of booking.
- **Accommodation:** Triple Rooms are subject to availability at the hotel.
- **Opera House Performance:** Due to the high cost of this venue, performance slots are issues based on number of total participants. A minimum of 40 participants are required.
- **Agreement:** once this tour has been deposited on, Taipei Fuhsing Private School acknowledges the costs, inclusions/exclusions and Payment/Cancellation Schedule as shown on this proposal.
- **Numbers:** World Projects reserves the right to recost the tour, should the numbers fall outside those shown above.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

BY: Upon

Acceptance	Deposit:	\$450 per person	Non-refundable
BY: Feb 15, 2025	Progress Payment #1:	\$550 per person	50% refundable to Mar 1, 2025
BY: Apr. 15, 2025	Final Payment:	Balance in Full	50% refundable to May. 1, 2025