

Year 9 Music Scholarship

Audition Guidelines

- a) Candidates should be prepared to perform two contrasting pieces on their first study and one piece on all other instruments offered (including voice). They should have reached or be working towards at least the standard equivalent of Grade 5/6 (ABRSM). Candidates offering a first study instrument only should have reached Grade 7 standard or equivalent. Candidates must bring a spare music copy of all pieces for the audition panel.
- b) Candidates will be required to sight-read on the instrument(s) of their choice
- c) Candidates may also offer a solo song (if voice is not offered as one of the principal instruments)
- d) Candidates will be set a set of aural tests equivalent to their current standard
- e) Candidates will undertake a set of short interview questions on their musical aspirations and knowledge of music generally
- f) Candidates not offering voice as an instrument will undergo a brief voice assessment