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WELLINGTON
COLLEGE

MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP ENTRY FORM FOR 13+ ENTRY

Surname		
Forenames in full		
Date of Birth		
Name of Present School	Date Joined
Name of Headteacher		
Name of Head of Music		
School Telephone	School Email

Instruments and latest Grade passed (Indicate approximate Grade if no exams taken.)

**There will not be time for much more than 20 minutes' music, including singing (if offered), at the audition.
Please list all instruments played, including voice (if applying for a choral award).**

1st Inst..... Grade.....Mark.....Date..... How Long Learnt.....

2nd Inst.....Grade.....Mark.....Date.....How Long Learnt.....

3rd Inst.....Grade.....Mark.....Date..... How Long Learnt.....

Other instruments played (if any)

Last Theory examination Grade..... Mark.....Date..... OR None taken

If a chorister from a choral foundation please state the name of Cathedral/College:

If appropriate, would you like a composition portfolio to be taken into account? YES/ NO

If so, this should be provided to the Director of Music by the first week of January.

Scholarships, Exhibitions and Choral awards

Music Scholarships and Exhibitions entail free music tuition in two instruments.

Music Scholars are also entitled to free Alexander Technique lessons and free composition lessons. They also have regular Masterclasses and consultation lessons with professors at the London Music Conservatoires. Music Scholars are also allowed to apply or continue to study at Junior Conservatoires on Saturdays. Wellington offers a specialist scheme that allows even greater focus on the nurturing of musical talent.

Music Exhibitioners may have the opportunity to apply for a Music Scholarship as they progress through the school if they demonstrate a sustained development in profile and quality of musicianship.

Choral awards are also available and these are linked to our choral programme where sight singing is an important feature. These awards entail free singing lessons at the College.

Scholars and Exhibitioners will be expected to play an active and positive leading role in the musical life of the College throughout their time at Wellington. Third Form award holders would be expected to choose music as an 'elective' with a view to them going on to take GCSE Music. Many scholars go on to study music in the Sixth Form (whether Music A Level, Music IB or Music Technology) and then go on to university or conservatoire.

Candidates who fail to gain Music Scholarships or Exhibitions may have the opportunity later in their time at College to achieve the status of Music Scholar if, in their first three years, they display commitment to and excellence in music comparable to that of a Music Scholar.

Does your son/daughter or child for whom you have parental responsibility already have a conditional place at Wellington? YES NO

OR Is he/she on the Waiting List? YES NO

Has he/she done Pre-testing? YES NO

Will he/she sit Common Entrance **OR Academic Scholarship** **OR College Entrance Exams?**

Applications to other Schools

If your son/daughter is auditioning for music awards at other schools, please list below all the schools (including Wellington College in order of preference). It is essential that ALL schools are shown in order of preference on this form, and that the order is the same on the application forms sent to the other schools. This will be verified and, in the event that the order differs between schools, we reserve the right to reject your child's application. If Wellington College is your only choice, write "none" in the other spaces.

If your son/daughter has already accepted a music award of any kind at another senior school, he/she cannot attempt our Music Awards examinations without the written permission of that school.

First choice

Second choice

Third choice

This form should be completed by the candidate's parents and returned to the **candidate's present school** for submission to Admissions by the end of the Autumn term. Please enclose with this form (a) colour photograph (b) music references.

Parental Declaration

We understand and agree that:

Wellington College awards music scholarships, music exhibitions and choral awards on the basis of individual merit. A previous music or choral award or additional financial assistance to a sibling is no indication that an award or financial support will be provided to a younger brother or sister;

Any offer to a candidate will be made verbally by the Director of Music to the Head or Director of Music of the present school within 5 days of the last audition date and confirmed the same day by email to the school. The offer will be confirmed by the Director of Admissions in a letter to parents;

Wellington College follows the procedure for Music Awards published by the Music Masters' and Mistresses' Association MMA. The school must adhere to that procedure, particularly with respect to the order of preference and the protocol for the acceptance of awards. We understand that it is not permissible to wait for results from schools lower in our stated order of preference before accepting an offer made by Wellington College;

We have done all necessary research, financial, musical, academic and pastoral to be in a position to accept at the latest within 3 days of the date of offer any music award offered. We hereby declare our intention to accept such an award in the event it is offered, subject only to the order of preference. Acceptance must be made in writing (email acceptable). We understand that Wellington College can offer the award to another candidate if acceptance is not made within the time limit;

We will be asked to sign Wellington College's standard Conditions of Award when accepting a music award and entry to the school remains conditional on our son/daughter satisfying the academic standards required;

Both parents/all persons with parental responsibility must sign below.

Signed..... Parent/ Person with Parental Responsibility	Date
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For the relevant sections of the MMA Code of Practice as published in the Music Masters' and Mistresses' Association Music Directory please visit their website (www.mma-online.org.uk).

If you have any questions when completing this form, please contact the Music School on 01344 444201 or email music@wellingtoncollege.org.uk.

School Declaration

I confirm that I have checked this application form and that the order of preference of schools is correct and matches information given to the other named schools.

The following documents are enclosed:

- Colour photograph of candidate
- Music References (Director of Music and instrumental teachers)

<p>Head Teacher's Signature</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>Date</p>
<p>Director of Music's Signature</p> <p>.....</p>	<p>Date</p>