

Application for Audition

*Please download and save this application form to your computer before completing it.
This form works best when completed in Adobe Reader, which is [available as a free download here](#).



1. Entry details

Year of entry 20 I would like to apply for a place as a: Day Student ☐ Boarder ☐

2. Applicant details

Surname Nationality
Given Names Gender
Date of Birth / Age on 31 August 20 (insert year of entry) Years Months
Parent/Carer
Address Postcode
Parent/Carer Telephone No.

If you have not always lived in the UK, please state the date you arrived to live in the UK
Please also see section 9 on page 4

Please attach details of your address outside the UK if different from the above.

3. Parent/carers details Please provide details for at least one parent/carers.

Parent/Carer #1 Name Nationality
Occupation Contact Telephone No.
Email Address

Signature of parent/carers #1 Date

Father ☐ Mother ☐ Carer ☐ Other ☐ (please state)

Parent/Carer #2 Name Nationality
Occupation Contact Telephone No.
Email Address

Signature of parent/carers #2 Date

Father ☐ Mother ☐ Carer ☐ Other ☐ (please state)

4. Musical experience

Instrument 1 is the instrument which the applicant hopes to take as 1st study, even if learned for a shorter time than Instrument 2.

Instrument please specify	1	2	Theory
Examinations taken:			
Exam Board			
Grade			
Mark			
Date of last change of teacher			
Regularity of lessons	Weekly Twice weekly Less often	Weekly Twice weekly Less often	Weekly Twice weekly Less often
Average daily practice time			

5. Music tutors' details

Instrument 1

Name of teacher

Teacher's address

Teacher's email address

Instrument 2

Name of teacher

Teacher's address

Teacher's email address

Other, please specify instrument

Name of teacher

Teacher's address

Teacher's email address

**A music report from your instrumental teacher(s) in support of this application MUST be enclosed.

6. Additional information to support this application

e.g. musical activities in school, concerts, festivals, hobbies, interests.

7. Current education

Email address for your child's present school

Present school and address address (include type of school e.g. independent, comprehensive)

School Telephone No.

Postcode

Name of Head

who is also asked to sign the following statement:

I confirm that

is a student at my school and I am aware of their application for an audition at Chetham's School of Music.

Signature of Head*

*Please ensure this form is signed by the Head before returning to us. This is required before an audition can be arranged.

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8. Ethnic background & disability information

Chetham’s School of Music welcomes applications from all prospective students regardless of their background. This is reflected in our three key equality and diversity aims:

- Access:** Improve accessibility, reduce barriers, and challenge perceptions for audiences, visitors, staff, and students.
- People:** Promote a positive and harmonious working and creative environment in which all individuals are treated with respect and are valued for who they are, as they are.
- Culture:** Embrace and celebrate the richness of society striving to reflect it. Where inequality exists recognise and reduce it.

Please complete this form and return it with the application for audition form. Please note, audition application forms cannot be accepted without a completed copy of this form.

Ethnic background

Ethnic background describes how we think of ourselves based on skin colour, language, culture, family history etc. Ethnic background is not the same as nationality or country of birth. The Information Commissioner recommends that young people aged 11 and over have the opportunity to decide their own ethnic identity. Parents are asked to advise on and support these decisions. Young people over 16 can make the decision for themselves.

Please look at the list below and tick one box to indicated the ethnic background of the applicant named above.

White

- English ☐
- Welsh ☐
- Scottish ☐
- Northern Irish ☐
- Irish ☐
- British ☐
- Gypsy or Irish Traveller ☐
- Prefer not to say ☐

Any other white background, please write in:

Mixed/multiple ethnic groups

- White and Black Caribbean ☐
- White and Black African ☐
- White and Asian ☐
- Prefer not to say ☐

Any other mixed/multiple ethnic background, please write in:

Asian/Asian British

- Indian ☐
- Pakistani ☐
- Bangladeshi ☐
- Chinese ☐
- Prefer not to say ☐

Any other Asian/Asian British background, please write in:

Black/African/Caribbean/Black British

- African ☐
- Caribbean ☐
- Prefer not to say ☐

Any other Black/African/Caribbean/Black British background, please write in:

Other ethnic group

- Arab ☐
- Prefer not to say ☐

Any other ethnic group, please write in:

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8. Ethnic background & disability information (continued)

Disability or special educational needs

Chetham’s welcomes applicants from candidates from diverse backgrounds and those with special educational needs and disabilities. It is recognised that some candidates may need special arrangements for the audition stages, e.g. additional time allowance during auditions, to enable them to perform to the best of their abilities. Please do inform us of access needs in advance so we can endeavour to make appropriate arrangements.

All candidates will be assessed against the same criteria.

Please complete as appropriate:

My child has the following disability / special educational needs:

My child receives support at present in the following way:

Please tick if English is not the applicant’s first language: ☐

Please do not hesitate to contact Miss Louise Fogg, the Head of the Compensatory Education Department at the School if you require any further information, guidance or advice on louisefogg@chethams.com.

9. Residency status

Please complete this section if you are not a UK Citizen and/or you have not been permanently resident in the UK for the last two years.

Do you have a current British Passport? Yes ☐ No ☐

If no, do you have leave to remain in the UK, EU settled status, BN(O) visa or any other visa granting you the right to live and study in the UK?

Yes ☐ No ☐

If YES, please specify and provide a copy of the relevant documentation with your application.

If NO, we will need to help you obtain a Child Student Visa, so this information will help us to help you.

10. Marketing information

Have you visited Chetham’s School of Music on an Open Day?
Yes ☐ No ☐

Please state the date you visited (month / year)

How did you hear about Chetham’s?

Music paper/magazine	Present or past Chetham’s staff	Leaflet/poster	Current school
General paper/magazine	TV/radio	Music Hub	Music teacher
Present or past Chetham’s student	Concert/event	Social media	Other (please state below)