

Cardiff County & Vale of Glamorgan



MUSIC AUDITIONS 2011

Held at The Friary Centre Cardiff CF10 3FA

Phone 029 2064 0950/1 www.ccvgmusicservice.org

Schools & school years mentioned overleaf refer to school year starting in September 2011

How do I try for a place?

- Choose your group
- Check the date and time overleaf
- Practise your pieces (see below)
- **JUST TURN UP & PLAY OR SING TO US!!**
- Successful applicants start in September

Orchestras, Wind Bands, Brass Bands, Percussion & Guitar Ensembles

Prepare two contrasting pieces with scales appropriate to your grade*. Sight-reading will also be tested.

Symphonic Brass

As for orchestras etc above. (Vacancies for trumpet and tuba only—see www.ccvgsymphonicbrass.org for more details)

Choirs

Perform a song of your choice.

Jazz groups (N.B. "Junior Jazz" is available only to pupils in school years 7 to 9)

Prepare a piece, not necessarily jazz, of your choice. Sight reading will also be tested. If you wish to, you may improvise with accompaniment on a 12 bar blues. If you don't want to improvise, please come along anyway!

*** Grades are not a requirement, just a guide.**

Applicants are expected to work their way up from beginner groups to more advanced groups (e.g. Transitional to High Schools' to Youth). There is no requirement to stay in one strand, i.e. a member of Transitional Orchestra may audition for High Schools' Wind Band and/or Orchestra on the same instrument.

Pupils may be members of several different ensembles.

All members are expected to support their school ensembles

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Youth Orchestra for pupils in secondary schools

Brass/Harp	Wed 11 May	7.00-8.00pm
Percussion	Fri 13 May	6.00pm
Violin/Viola surname A-M	Tues 10 May	6.00-7.00pm
Violin/Viola surname N-Z	Tues 10 May	7.00-8.00pm
Cello/Bass	Wed 11 May	6.00-7:00pm
Woodwind surname A-M	Mon 9 May	6.00-6.45pm
Woodwind surname N-Z	Mon 9 May	6.45-7.30pm

High Schools' Orchestra for pupils in secondary schools

Woodwind	Sat 21 May	10.00-12.00
Brass	Sat 7&14 May	11.00-11.30
Percussion	Sat 28 May	11.00-12.00
Violin/Viola surnames A-G	Sat 7 May	10.00-11.00
Violin/Viola surnames H-M	Sat 7 May	11.00-12.00
Violin/Viola surnames N-S	Sat 14 May	10.00-11.00
Violin/Viola surnames T-Z	Sat 14 May	11.00-12.00
Cello/Bass surnames A-M	Sat 28 May	10.00-11.00
Cello/Bass surnames N-Z	Sat 28 May	11.00-12.00

Transitional Orchestra for pupils in secondary schools

Violin/Viola surnames A-G	Wed 11 May	5.45-7.00pm
Violin/Viola surnames H-M	Wed 11 May	7.00-8.15pm
Violin/Viola surnames N-S	Wed 18 May	5.45-7.00pm
Violin/Viola surnames T-Z	Wed 18 May	7.00-8.15pm
Woodwind surnames A-H	Wed 11 May	5.45-8.15pm
Woodwind surnames I-P	Wed 18 May	7.15-8.15pm
Woodwind surnames Q-Z	Wed 25 May	7.15-8.15pm
Brass, Percussion	Wed 18 May	7.15-8.15pm
Cello/Bass surnames A-M	Wed 25 May	5.45-7.00pm
Cello/Bass surnames N-Z	Wed 25 May	7.00-8.15pm

Junior Schools' Orchestra for pupils in primary schools

Percussion	Thur 9 June	5.45-6.30pm
Brass	Thur 9 June	6.30-7.15pm

ALL OTHER INSTRUMENTS by School Name as follows:

School names starting A-F	Thur 9 June	5.45-6.30pm
School names starting G-L	Thur 9 June	6.30-7.15pm
School names starting M-R	Thur 16 June	5.45-6.30pm
School names starting S-Z	Thur 16 June	6.30-7.15pm

Violin and 'Cello Clubs

For primary school pupils after at least one year's tuition.
No audition needed, details through tutor.

Symphonic Brass

Vacancies this year for:-

Trumpet & Tuba only	Fri 6 May	4.30pm
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Youth Wind Band for pupils in secondary schools

Brass	Tue 10 May	6.30-7.30pm
Percussion	Tue 10 May	7.30-8.00pm
Woodwind surnames A-M	Tue 10 May	6.30-7.30pm
Woodwind surnames N-Z	Tue 10 May	7.30-8.30pm

High Schools' Wind Band for pupils in secondary schools

Brass	Mon 23 May	6.30-7.30pm
Percussion	Mon 23 May	6.30-7.00pm
Woodwind surnames A-M	Mon 23 May	6.00-7.15pm
Woodwind surnames N-Z	Mon 23 May	7.15-8.30pm

Transitional Wind Band for pupils in year 6 & above

Woodwind surnames A-M	Mon 16 May	5.45-6.45pm
Woodwind surnames N-Z	Mon 16 May	6.45-7.45pm
Percussion	Mon 16 May	6.00-6.30pm
Brass	Mon 16 May	7.00-7.45pm

Brass Bands for pupils of all ages who must already be having lessons, choose one of the following:-

Wednesday	11 May	6.30-7.30pm
Saturday	14 May	10.00-11.00am

Percussion groups for pupils of all ages who must already be having lessons on percussion or drum kit

Saturday	Sat 14 May	9.30-11.00am
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Youth Choir for pupils in secondary schools (years 11-13 in Sep)

Soprano & Tenor	Thur 12 May	6.45-7.45pm
Alto & Bass	Thur 19 May	6.45-7.45pm

High Schools' Choir for pupils in secondary schools (yrs 7-10)

Surnames A-M	Tue 17 May	5.45-7.30pm
Surnames N-Z	Tue 7 June	5.45-7.30pm

Junior Schools' Choir for pupils in primary schools

All voices	September	To be advised
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Jazz for pupils in secondary schools

Junior Jazz (school yrs 7-9)	Thur 26 May	5.00-7.30pm
Youth Big Band (Jazz News)	Thur 26 May	7.30-8.30pm

Junior Guitar Ensemble after at least 6 months' tuition from primary age up to years 7 & 8**Senior Guitar Ensemble** for secondary pupils grade 2 plus

Surnames A-M	Tue 24 May	6.30-7.30pm
Surnames N-Z	Tue 24 May	7.30-8.30pm