



# Aspiring Performers Academy

## Application for Audition

### MUSIC STRAND

Applicant's Family Name (*Block Letters*): \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Given Name/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Applying for school level: 7 / 8 / 9 / 10 / 11 / 12 (circle)

Parent Mobile: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Permanent Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Post Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Primary or High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Private Music Teacher/s: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Music Syllabus (*AMEB / ABRSM / Suzuki method etc.*): \_\_\_\_\_

LEVEL of last music exam/s (*if applicable*):

RESULT of last music exam/s (*if applicable*):

Performance: \_\_\_\_\_

Performance: \_\_\_\_\_

Theory: \_\_\_\_\_

Theory: \_\_\_\_\_

Recent/Current Achievements:

Why do you want a place in the Aspiring Performers Academy – Music Strand?

Acceptance into the Junior Aspiring Performers Academy (APA) Music strand is by audition only. The two-year course focuses on musicianship, which brings together the knowledge and understanding of music with the development of inner hearing, cognition, artistic sensitivity and creativity in all music activity and thought. It involves critical reflection on music as an art form and as an expression of culture.

Students will learn the following skills (including aural skills):

- Fundamental Percussion / Keyboard / Guitar Skills
- Score reading (for multiple parts)
- Using music technology to record and compose own music
- Skills for live performance (both technical and expressive)
- Sound production and the acoustics of instruments
- A variety of composition skills and techniques

All students involved in the program perform in front of a live audience at various performance events.

If you are applying for more than one academy program, please list them below in order of preference.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ 2. \_\_\_\_\_ 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_ / \_\_\_ / \_\_\_