



The fund

The fund was established in 1977 and was named after Dorothy Grinstead who was a much loved piano teacher and musician in Croydon.

The fund can help you:

- Buy a new instrument
- Pay for tuition
- Pay for a music course

Application Criteria:

- Age 10-26
- Educated at a Croydon School or live in Croydon
- Grade 5+ on your instrument/voice
- Perform regularly in a group/orchestra/choir
- Grants can be awarded for a maximum of three years reviewed annually
- Applications to be made a term in advance by 1st March, 1st June and 1st October
- Two references, from your instrumental teacher and place of education, will be required
- The Trustees' decision is final
- The fund does not cover 100% of the cost

Dorothy Grinstead Memorial Concert

Award holders might be invited to perform at an event in Croydon to raise funds for the charity.

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The Trustees of The Grinstead Music Fund prioritise data protection. Only essential information for your application is shared during trustee meetings, with all personal data removed. The **Application Form** is the only document trustees will review when assessing your application. Please bear this in mind when completing this Application Form.

Applicant Details

Education and Your Connection with Croydon

Current School/College/University
Year Group
Home Address Postcode e.g. CR0
Your connection with Croydon

Current Course of Study (GCSE/ASA/A level/Bacc/Degree/KS2, Grade Exam etc)

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Musical Background (Applicant)

Please indicate instruments played, standard, length of learning, member of ensembles, competitions and awards, musical qualifications (higher education), future plans

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Parent/Guardian Details

Relationship to applicant
Home Address Postcode e.g. CR0
Occupation
Gross annual family income

Please circle which one you are applying for:

Instrument / Tuition / Course

Details (name of instrument, course or type of tuition)
Full Cost
Your, Parental/Guardian Contribution
Other financial assistance applied for relevant to this application



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How will this grant benefit your musical future?

The Grinstead Music Fund pay the service provider directly. Please give us their contact details.

If you are purchasing an instrument ask your teacher if you are eligible for the Instrumental Assisted Purchase Scheme (IAPS).



Contact Details

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Applicant Details

Name	DOB
Permanent address	
Postcode	
Telephone and/or Mobile	
Email	
Term time address (if applicable)	
Postcode	

Instrumental Teacher

Name
Address
Postcode
Telephone and/or Mobile
Email



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Parent/Guardian Details

Name
Relationship to applicant
Address
Postcode
Telephone and/or Mobile
Email



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Please ask your instrumental teacher ***and*** teacher from your school (head/head of music/tutor) to send a reference to Bethany Norman (Secretary). References are to be sent to Bethany Norman bethanynormanmusic@gmail.com

Instrumental Teacher – information such as past record, current level of ability, potential, character, any other relevant details.

Name
Email

Head/Head of Music/Tutor – information on musical, academic ability, past record, potential, character, any other relevant details.

Name
Email

Parent/Guardian – information on number and age of siblings, any applicable family circumstances that are relevant to this application. We are a charity and have a duty to ensure that those who are helped are in need. Please include a separate covering letter if this box is too small. All correspondence is treated as confidential.

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Declaration:

I declare that all the information given above is true to the best of my knowledge and should circumstances change before I receive a grant, I will inform the Trustees.

Signed:..... Date:
(Applicant)

Signed:..... Date:
(Parent/Guardian if applicant is under 18)

This completed form should be emailed to Bethany Norman, Secretary of The Grinstead Music Fund, bethanynormanmusic@gmail.com