



# The Grinstead Music Fund

## 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.

## Trustees

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## Applicant Details

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

## Education and Your Connection with Croydon

Current School/College/University
Your connection with Croydon

## Instrumental Teacher

Name	
Address	
Postcode	
Telephone	Mobile
Email	

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

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## Parent/Guardian Details

Name	
Relationship to applicant	
Address	
Postcode	
Telephone	Mobile
Email	
Occupation	
Gross annual family income	

## 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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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

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).



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References: email [jon.regan@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:jon.regan@croydon.gov.uk)

Please ask your instrumental teacher and teacher from your school (head/head of music/tutor) to send a reference to Jon Regan.

**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:  
Jon Regan, Secretary of The Grinstead Music Fund**

**Email: [jon.regan@croydon.gov.uk](mailto:jon.regan@croydon.gov.uk)**