



SCHOLARSHIPS, AWARDS and BURSARIES (September 2020 Entry)

All Academic Scholarships are Honorary, and have no financial value. Music Scholarships are not means-tested, and can be worth up to a maximum of half the current day fee. Some bursary funding is available, on a means-tested basis, each year to candidates based in the UK.

The total fund for bursaries and music scholarships is the equivalent of three full fee-paying places.

Academic Scholarships

Academic Scholarships will be awarded on an annual basis at the end of each academic year, and will be based on performance throughout the year.

Academic Scholarships will be subject to annual reviews, and we anticipate that the composition of our scholars' group will vary considerably as the cohort moves up the school.

Music Scholarships - only available on entry to the School

Music Scholarships, worth up to 50% fee remission, will be awarded to candidates of outstanding musical ability or potential, who are also academically able, for entry at 11+ and 13+. They are awarded on the basis of tests and audition, and a good performance in the entrance assessment. Candidates will be expected to have reached, at least, Grade IV standard (11+) or Grade VI standard (13+) in at least one instrument. They will be asked to play two contrasting pieces which demonstrate their skill as well as their musical sensitivity, and to show in tests a good level of aural response, sight-reading ability and skills of musicianship.

Music scholars are expected to contribute to the musical life of the school, participate in the department's activities, and act as ambassadors for the school.

Music scholarships are reviewed annually, and may be withdrawn at the school's discretion.

Scholarships at 16+ - only available on entry to the School

We offer a means-tested scholarship/bursary to candidates from state-maintained schools who gain a minimum of 8 A/A* grades at GCSE. Please contact the Registrar for further details.

All Scholarship and Bursary applications must be made to the school no later than the end of the Autumn term prior to joining the school.

Key Dates for entry in September 2020

All Scholarship and Bursary applications for entry to the school in September 2020 must be made by Friday 13th December 2019

11+ Music Scholarship Auditions	Tuesday 14 th /Wednesday 15 th January 2020
11+ Entrance Assessment Day - main sitting (external candidates only)	Monday 20 th January 2020
13+ Music Scholarship Auditions	Wednesday 15 th January 2020
13+ Entrance Assessment	Tuesday 21 st January 2020