



National Youth Orchestras of Scotland

DIRECTORY OF TRUSTS AND FOUNDATIONS 2021/22

Once you have tried all the relevant possibilities in the NYOS Directory below and have applied for assistance from your school, college, university and local authority without success, you can then apply for a NYOS bursary.

If you require this directory in a different format, please email info@nyos.co.uk.

Please check the grant guidelines before applying to ensure you are eligible.

Agar Trust

Aged 8-21 and resident in rural Scotland. Applications are accepted twice a year with closing dates of 31 March and 30 September.

W: www.agar-trust.org.uk

E: info@agar-trust.org.uk

Awards for Young Musicians

Ages 5-17 only. Applications to the Annual Awards Programme open in November and close in March. Strictly means-tested awards only.

W: www.a-y-m.org.uk

E: enquiries@a-y-m.org.uk

T: 0117 904 9906

The Cross Trust

Undergraduates only.

W: <https://www.thecrosstrust.org.uk/individuals>

Dewar Arts Awards

Awards allocated on a rolling basis.

W: www.dewarawards.org

E: admin@dewarawards.org

Drake Calleja Trust

Age 16-18. Awards range from £500 – £1,500 for the whole academic year and are based on the individual's financial needs, talent and potential. Applications open in January, with auditions in London, Manchester, Glasgow and Cardiff in May.

W: <http://www.drakecallejatrust.org>

E: info@drakecallejatrust.org

Future Talent

Ages 5-18 only.

W: www.futuretalent.org
E: info@futuretalent.org
T: 020 3457 1310

Glasgow Educational & Marshall Trust

Applicants must have resided in Glasgow for at least 5 years

W: www.gemt.org.uk
E: enquiries@gemt.org.uk
T: 07746 673361 - Avril Sloane, Secretary and Treasurer

Peter Whittingham Jazz Award

Applications open in September and close in October.

W: www.helpmusicians.org.uk/creative-programme/current-opportunities/peter-whittingham-jazz-award
E: info@helpmusicians.org.uk
T: 020 7239 9100

West Lothian Educational Trust

Applicants must reside in West Lothian. Applications should be sent in no later than 30 June or 31 December, for consideration at the next Trustee meeting.

W: www.scott-moncrieff.com/services/charities/charitable-trusts/west-lothian-educational-trust
E: Jennifer.Law@scott-moncrieff.com
T: 0131 473 3500

The Wrightson Trust

Ages 11-18 only. Applications should be sent in no later than 1 February or 31 September, for consideration at the next Trustee meeting.

W: www.wrightsontrust.co.uk
E: info@wrightsontrust.co.uk

Help Musicians UK

Funding wizard only

W: www.helpmusicians.org.uk/creative-programme/funding-wizard

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NYOS bursaries are available to help those who genuinely cannot afford to pay the fees. For more information, or to make an application, please contact Carol Biggar, Finance Manager, via carolbiggar@nyos.co.uk.