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future talent

The charity supporting young musicians from low-income backgrounds for 20 years



Future Talent supports talented young musicians of all genres who come from low-income families. We offer specialised programmes for young musicians at different stages of their development, and provide funding for music-related expenses.

Funding

Masterclasses

Workshops

Performances

Mentoring

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**Hertfordshire
Music Service**



**APPLY
FROM
28TH FEB**

**DEADLINE
16TH
APRIL**

Who is eligible?

If you are...

- From a household with income of £37,500 or less
- Under 18 years old as of 1st September 2025
- Lived in the UK for at least 3 years

Then you are eligible to apply! Extenuating Circumstances are considered

Apply for a programme
running from **September
2025 - July 2026**

Our programmes:

Applicants for the Junior programme are selected from written application and video performance only. Development and Senior applicants are shortlisted for a live audition in June/July 2025.

Junior

- Ages: 8-14 approx.
- £500 per year funding
- Duration: 1 year
- Level: Grades 1-5 or equivalent

£500 FUNDING

Development

- Ages: 12-16 approx.
- £1000 per year funding
- Duration: 1-2 years
- Level: Grades 6+ or equivalent

£1000 FUNDING

Senior

- Ages: 16-18
- £1000 per year funding
- Duration: 1-2 years
- Level: Grades 7+ or equivalent

£1000 FUNDING

NEW

Our Named Awards:

Alongside a place on a programme, applicants may also be considered for a special Named Award.



Coombs Scholarship

- Ages 16-18
- Duration: 1 year
- For an exceptional musician looking for a career in music

£2000 FUNDING



team Archie Brass Award

- Ages 16-18
- Duration: 1 year
- For outstanding brass players of any brass instrument

£2000 FUNDING

Indian Classical Award

- Ages 14-18
- Duration: 1 year
- For players of Indian Classical Instruments

£2000 FUNDING

National Children's Choir

- Ages 9-14
- For choral singers
- Gain a funded place for NCCGB's annual residentials

RESIDENTIALS

NEW

Jazz Award

- Ages 14-18
- Duration: 1 year
- For outstanding Jazz musicians on any instrument

£2000 FUNDING

Harvey Parker Award

- Ages 16-18
- Duration: 1 year
- For exceptional woodwind players of any woodwind instrument

£2000 FUNDING

VOCES8 Award

- Ages 15-18
- For choral singers
- Development opportunities with VOCES8

£1000 FUNDING

APPLICATION

Applications open 28th February 2025, deadline 16th April 2025

FINANCIAL APPLICATION

If you have been successful in your application, you'll be asked to complete a financial application to assess your household income

AUDITION

Development and Senior applicants will be invited to audition for the programme in June/July 2025

RESULTS

You'll receive confirmation of your results in July/August 2025

FLOURISH!

You're on the programme! You'll receive full information and start the year in September 2025



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