

APPLICATION FOR FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE – SPRING TERM 2019

Applications must be received by Gwent Music no later than 17th December 2018.

Financial Assistance provided by Torfaen County Borough Council for Gwent Music activities is available as follows:

Applications can be made up to a maximum of £101 per child per term and can be used towards instrumental or vocal lessons, and/or group membership where a charge is applicable.

- Maximum of £65 per term group tuition
- Or maximum of £65 per term towards full cost of individual tuition
- And maximum of £36 per term membership of Music Centre and/or Gwent Ensembles.
- **The pupil must be in receipt of free school meals.**
- The application must be signed and approved by Head Teacher (primary) Head of Music (secondary) of the school attended by the pupil. This is to support the application and to confirm that certain criteria have been fulfilled such as good attendance at school. Poor attendance at music lessons may result in future applications being declined.
- Applications are assessed on a first come, first served basis. Once the full grant has been allocated no further funding will be available until the next school term.
- Balance payment may be due to cover the full cost of tuition and activities.
- This grant does not cover hire or purchase of instruments, music, exam entries, etc.

PLEASE PRINT LEGIBLY AND COMPLETE IN FULL OR WE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO PROCESS THE APPLICATION

FULL PUPIL NAME		
PUPIL DATE OF BIRTH		
Do you have a Gwent Music instrument on loan? Please circle as appropriate	YES	NO
HOME ADDRESS with post code		
HOME PHONE NUMBER		
PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME		
RELATIONSHIP TO PUPIL		
PARENT MOBILE TEL NO		
PARENT E-MAIL ADDRESS <i>Please provide us with an e-mail address wherever possible so that we can send confirmation of the outcome of your application</i>		
CURRENT SCHOOL <i>(if year 6, or changing school please list the school your child WILL be attending when the tuition begins)</i>		

PLEASE SEE OVERLEAF APPLICATION DETAILS & DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDING (APPLICATIONS ARE PER TERM)

TERM & YEAR	SPRING TERM 2019	
AMOUNT APPLIED FOR <i>Up to a maximum of £101 per term £65.00 for Music tuition £36.00 for Music Centre or Gwent group</i>		
PROVISION – PLEASE INDICATE BELOW WHAT THE GRANT APPLICATION IS FOR AND THE AMOUNT		
TYPE OF PROVISION	PLEASE INDICATE YES OR NO	COST PER TERM
Is it for music lessons paid for through school? <i>Do you normally pay the school for lessons & if so how much?</i>		
Is it for music lessons paid for through Gwent Music? <i>Do you normally pay Gwent Music for lessons?</i>		
MUSIC CENTRES	PLEASE NAME MUSIC CENTRE	COST PER TERM
Is it for Music Centre or Gwent Ensemble fees? <i>Do you normally pay Gwent Music for your child to attend a Music Centre and if so which one?</i>		
TOTAL AMOUNT OF FUNDING APPLIED FOR		

All applications must be received no later than 17th December 2018.

Please note that applications will be considered on a **TERMLY BASIS** new application must be submitted **EACH TERM.**

For on-going applications, the Local Authority will also consider your child's attendance at the allocated sessions and should attendance fall below 95% without a valid reason (i.e. medical absence) then future applications may not be considered and you may be required to reimburse the Local Authority for the sessions missed.

PARENTAL SIGNATURE	
DATE	

Head Teacher (primary) or Head of Music (secondary) school.

I confirm approval of this application for financial assistance for the named child for music lessons through Gwent Music and I confirm that the named child is in receipt of Free School Meals.

HEAD TEACHER/HEAD OF MUSIC TEACHER NAME	
HEAD TEACHER/HEAD OF MUSIC TEACHER SIGNATURE	
DATE	

Please return completed form to: gwent.music@newport.gov.uk

Or post to:

**Gwent Music
Malpas Court Primary School Grounds
Whittle Drive
Newport
NP20 6NS**