

Dates and fees 2023

Face-to-face exams

Face-to-face instrumental and singing exams

Practical Grades, ARSM, Prep Test, Performance Assessment, Ensembles and Choral Singing

For digital Performance Grade and ARSM dates, select 'digital exams'.

Session 1

Booking Period: **24 January - 7 February 2023**

Choral singing and ensemble booking period: **3 - 13 January 2023**

Exam dates

USA (all states)

April - June

Session 2

Booking Period: **22 August - 5 September 2023**

Choral singing and ensemble booking period: **24 July - 11 August 2023**

All instruments and grades

USA (all states)

October - December

Notes

Prep Test	83 USD
Initial Practical Grade	85 USD
Practical Grade 1	94 USD
Practical Grade 2	102 USD
Practical Grade 3	113 USD
Practical Grade 4	131 USD
Practical Grade 5	140 USD
Practical Grade 6	172 USD
Practical Grade 7	187 USD
Practical Grade 8	250 USD
ARSM	413 USD
Performance Assessment	140 USD
Ensemble: Primary†	187 USD
Ensemble: Intermediate†	250 USD
Ensemble: Advanced†	413 USD
Choral Singing: Primary†	187 USD
Choral Singing: Intermediate†	250 USD
Choral Singing: Advanced†	413 USD
Choral Singing: Attendance Fee	113 USD

† It is not possible to book these exams using our online booking service. Please download an [entry form](#) and send a completed digital copy to your Local Representative.

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Digital exams

Fees

Initial Performance Grade	79 USD
Performance Grade 1	87 USD
Performance Grade 2	96 USD
Performance Grade 3	106 USD
Performance Grade 4	121 USD
Performance Grade 5	132 USD
Performance Grade 6	162 USD
Performance Grade 7	175 USD
Performance Grade 8	235 USD
ARSM	386 USD

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Online Music Theory (Grades 1-5)

Online Music Theory

Online Music Theory fees

Grade 1	53 USD
Grade 2	67 USD
Grade 3	72 USD
Grade 4	84 USD

Grade 5

89 USD

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Paper-based Music Theory (Grade 6-8)

Music Theory exams (session one)

Booking Period: **9 -20 January 2023**

Exam Date

Grades 6-8

Saturday 4 March 2023 10:00

Music Theory fees

Grade 6 98 USD

Grade 7 101 USD

Grade 8 114 USD

Music Theory exams (session two)

Booking Period: **18 -29 September 2023**

Exam Date

Grades 6-8

Saturday 4 November 2023 10.00

DipABRSM, LRSM, FRSM*

Diploma exams (session 1)

Booking period: **3 - 13 January 2023**

Exam date

USA (all states)

April - June

Fees

DipABRSM (complete exam new or retake) 589 USD

LRSM (complete exam new or retake)** 1,831 USD

FRSM (complete exam new or retake) 2,721 USD

Diploma exams (session 2)

Booking Period: **24 July - 11 August 2023**

Exam date

USA (all states)

October - December

DipABRSM (partial retake) 471 USD

LRSM (partial retake) 1,465 USD

FRSM (partial retake) 2,177 USD

Notes

Special notices

* ARSM exams will take place during Practical exam periods – see the first tab for details of fees.

** LRSM Teaching fees are payable in two instalments: 40% must be paid on submission of the Case Study Portfolio & Video of Teaching Practice, and the rest when entering for the remaining sections of the exam

Fees

Payment must be included along with your Diploma entry. Please contact your local representative for further information on how to pay.

Local representatives

[See details of your local representative](#)

Prerequisites for Practical exams Grades 6–8

Candidates for Practical exams Grades 6–8 must already have passed one of the following qualifications: ABRSM Grade 5 (or above) in Music Theory, Practical Musicianship, or a solo Jazz subject. A copy of the certificate or mark form must be supplied at the time of entry.

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