

## Application Form (continued)

(Please tick boxes.)

I enclose

the entry fee of £5:

(Cheques payable to "West Suffolk Young Musician".)

a stamped, addressed envelope:

I have read the rules of the competition and I agree to be bound by them:

Signed:

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(To be countersigned below by the parent/guardian of the competitor.)

Signed:

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*This section is to be completed by the instrumental or singing teacher:*

Teacher's name:

Address:

Postcode:

Tel (home):

Tel (mobile):

Email:

I certify that this pupil is playing or singing at the level for which they are entering.

Signed:

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*Please return this application, the entry fee and a stamped, addressed envelope to:*

West Suffolk Young Musician

PO Box 668

Bury St Edmunds

Suffolk

IP33 9EW

## Rules

1. All competitors must live or attend school in the West Suffolk Area.
2. They should be 18 or under on 31st August 2011.
3. Competitors must perform music of a standard appropriate to the level at which they enter ie  
Level 1 (grades 3-4)  
Level 2 (grades 5-6)  
Level 3 (grade 7 and above).
4. All competitors must provide their own accompanist and a copy of their music for the Adjudicator.
5. Each entry must be on a separate entry form (you may photocopy this one or download one from the website).
6. The winners of the heats will perform at the Finalists' Concert from which an overall winner will be declared West Suffolk Young Musician.
7. The closing date is Monday, 29th November 2010. Each entry must be on an official entry form, accompanied by a cheque for £5 made payable to "West Suffolk Young Musician" and a stamped addressed envelope.
8. The Adjudicators' decision is final and no correspondence can be entered into.
9. The West Suffolk Young Musician will be awarded a shield to be held for one year. He, or she, may not enter the next competition with the same instrument.

## Important Dates

Closing date for entry forms: Monday, 29th November 2010.

Heats: week beginning Monday 7th February 2011.

Finals: 7pm, Tuesday, 5th July 2011.



## Competition 2011

Details and application form

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# West Suffolk Young Musician Competition

The West Suffolk Young Musician Competition aims to foster music-making by local young musicians. The competition is open to young musicians living in West Suffolk or attending schools in the area.

West Suffolk Young Musician is a member of Making Music. The competition is supported by Balaam's Music, G Signs & Design, Music Sales Group, the National Association of Decorative and Fine Arts Societies, the Suffolk Sinfonia and Waitrose. The competition website is at [www.wsym.org.uk](http://www.wsym.org.uk).

## Preliminary Heats

The preliminary heats will be held in Bury St Edmunds during February 2011. Competitors may enter for Strings (including classical guitar), Woodwind, Brass, Piano and Voice. Each entry must be at one of three levels:

**level 1** is equivalent to grades 3-4,  
**level 2** to grades 5-6, and  
**level 3** to grade 7 and above.

All competitors will perform music at that level and of their own choice lasting less than 5 minutes. For each group there will be a winner at each level. All winners will perform in the Finalists' Concert.

## Competition Prizes

There will be prizes for all the finalists, but only the winners of levels 2 and 3 will be considered for the title of West Suffolk Young Musician.

## Finalists' Concert

There will be a public concert by the winners of levels 2 and 3, who will perform a programme of their own choice. The programme must last less than 5 minutes for levels 2, or 8 minutes for level 3. The level 1 winners will present a "Showcase Performance" during the adjudicators' deliberations. The concert will be held in the Theatre Royal, Bury St Edmunds, at 7pm on Tuesday, 7th July 2011. A panel of adjudicators will select two winners, one at each level, and an overall winner who will be declared West Suffolk Young Musician 2011.

## How to Enter

Complete the entry form attached, or download one from [www.wsym.org.uk/brochure-2011.pdf](http://www.wsym.org.uk/brochure-2011.pdf). The competitor's parent/guardian and teacher must sign the form. Each entry must be on an official entry form, accompanied by a cheque for £5 made payable to "West Suffolk Young Musician" and a stamped addressed envelope. Send your entry to the address below.

## Contact details

Website:  
[www.wsym.org.uk](http://www.wsym.org.uk)

Email:  
[competition@wsym.org.uk](mailto:competition@wsym.org.uk)

Write to:  
West Suffolk Young Musician  
PO Box 668  
Bury St Edmunds  
Suffolk  
IP33 9EW

## Application Form

To be completed in BLOCK CAPITALS by all instrumentalists and singers, and returned by Monday, 29th November 2010.

Competitor's name:

Address:

Postcode:

Tel (home):

Tel (mobile):

Email:

Name and location of school:

Age on 31st August 2011:

Date of birth:

*Please indicate which instrument (or voice) you wish to enter. Competitors wishing to enter more than one instrument must submit a separate entry form and fee for each entry. (Photocopy this form if necessary.)*

Strings (including classical guitar):

Brass:  Piano:

Woodwind:  Voice:

Instrumentalists - please state instrument:

Instrumentalists and singers please state which level you wish to enter:

Level 1:  Level 2:  Level 3:

Name of accompanist (if known already):

*NB Competitors must provide their own accompanist.*

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