

## Berkshire Young Musician of the Year 2018 - Piano

### Terms & Conditions

- Entry fees are not refundable.
- Entrants for each category must be within the age limits of that category based upon what their age will be on 31 August 2018. Please refer to the age category page on the website for full details of the age categories offered.
- Entry to the competition is strictly regulated to musicians of 18 years or under who can tick at least one of the following criteria:
  - A permanent resident of Berkshire
  - Attending a school within Berkshire
  - Currently taking lessons with Berkshire Maestros
- The closing date for entries is **Thursday 19 October**. Late entries will only be accepted in extenuating circumstances, in consultation with the Head of Keyboard whose decision is final
- The competition entries and performances in each round will be assessed by a panel of judges based on their interpretation of the performance submitted. The decision of the judges is final and no correspondence will be entered into over this decision. Feedback will be provided where appropriate in each round.
- Pieces should not exceed the time limit of 5 minutes.
- Page turners will not be provided, but you are welcome to provide your own.
- We are unable to provide warm-up pianos for Rounds 1 and 2.
- Official photographs of the event will be taken and all participants agree to the use of his/her name and image in any publicity material relating to the Berkshire Young Pianist of the Year Competition unless otherwise notified.
- In the event that a prize-winner is disqualified from the competition, the judges will select an alternative prize-winner and such selection will be subject to these terms and conditions.
- In accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998, Berkshire Maestros will hold data submitted on the entry form on computer, solely for the purpose of running the competition. The data will not be made available, or communicated, to any third party unless required to do so in order to provide the prizes offered.
- The competition will be covered by the Berkshire Maestros Child Protection Policy. Copies of this policy are available via Berkshire Maestros at [http://berkshiremaestros.org.uk/downloads/BM\\_Child\\_Protection\\_Policy\\_March\\_2013.pdf](http://berkshiremaestros.org.uk/downloads/BM_Child_Protection_Policy_March_2013.pdf)
- Entry into the competition will be deemed as acceptance of these terms and conditions.

The terms and conditions for the Berkshire Young Singer of the Year 2018 competition are different. Please refer to [http://berkshiremaestros.org.uk/downloads/Berks\\_Young\\_Singer\\_2018\\_TsCs.pdf](http://berkshiremaestros.org.uk/downloads/Berks_Young_Singer_2018_TsCs.pdf) to read those terms and conditions.