



# Worcester Competitive Arts Festival

## STRING Syllabus

These are competitive classes and places will be awarded. Performers must introduce their piece(s) at the beginning of their performance. Timings should include introduction and any breaks between pieces. Orchestral string solo classes are for all orchestral instruments, including violin, viola, cello, double bass and harp. String groups may contain any stringed instrument.

## STRING SOLO

Own choice. In classes where the time limit is 5 minutes or less, ONE piece is to be performed. Where the time limit is 6 minutes or more, one OR two pieces may be performed within the time limit for the class. Competitors may enter only the class most appropriate for their playing standard and the open class for each instrument in each section. However, competitors may enter the same class on more than one instrument. A different piece must be played or performed for each entry. All performances should be accompanied. A copy of all own choice pieces must be provided for the adjudicator.

Class	Age	Time	Fee
001 BEGINNER ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO (up to APPROX. GRADE 3)	Any	Up to 3 mins	£5.00
002 INTERMEDIATE ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO (APPROX. GRADES 4-5)	Any	Up to 4 mins	£6.00
003 ADVANCED ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO (APPROX. GRADES 6-8)	Any	Up to 6 mins	£7.00
004 OPEN CLASS FOR ORCHESTRAL STRING SOLO	Any	Up to 10 mins	£10.00
005 BEGINNER ACOUSTIC GUITAR SOLO (UP TO APPROX. GRADE 3)	Any	Up to 3 mins	£5.00
006 INTERMEDIATE ACOUSTIC GUITAR SOLO (APPROX. GRADES 4-5)	Any	Up to 4 mins	£6.00
007 ADVANCED ACOUSTIC GUITAR SOLO (APPROX. GRADES 6-8)	Any	Up to 6 mins	£7.00
008 OPEN CLASS FOR ACOUSTIC GUITAR SOLO	Any	Up to 10 mins	£10.00
012 BEGINNER UKULELE SOLO (UP TO APPROX GRADE 3)	Any	Up to 3 mins	£5.00
013 INTERMEDIATE UKULELE SOLO (APPROX. GRADES 4-5)	Any	Up to 4 mins	£6.00
014 ADVANCED UKULELE SOLO (APPROX. GRDAES 6-8)	Any	Up to 6 mins	£7.00
015 OPEN CLASS FOR UKULELE SOLO	Any	Up to 10 mins	£10.00

# STRING GROUPS

2 contrasting pieces (own choice) should be performed within the time limit for the class (including the introduction and breaks between pieces). Groups may enter only one class appropriate for the age of the eldest in the group and the open class in this section. A different piece must be played or performed for each entry. Individual performers may perform as part of more than one group. Performances may be accompanied (backing tracks are permitted, but performers must bring their own PAT tested playback equipment).

Class	Age	Time	Fee
<b>009 STRING ENSEMBLE - 12 YEARS AND UNDER</b> Group of 3 to 10 people	12 and under	Up to 6 mins	£15.00 per group
<b>010 STRING ENSEMBLE - 16 YEARS AND UNDER</b> Group of 3 to 10 people	16 and under	Up to 6 mins	£15.00 per group
<b>011 STRING ENSEMBLE - Open</b> Group of 3 to 10 people	Any	Up to 10 mins	£15.00 per group
<b>016 UKULELE ENSEMBLE - 12 YEARS AND UNDER</b> Group of 3 to 30 people	12 and under	Up to 5 mins	£15.00 per group
<b>017 UKULELE ENSEMBLE - 16 YEARS AND UNDER</b> Group of 3 to 30 people	16 and under	Up to 6 mins	£15.00 per group
<b>018 UKULELE ENSEMBLE - Open</b> Group of 3 to 30 people	Any	Up to 10 mins	£15.00 per group