

2022 APPLICATION PROCEDURES

The [Office of Admissions and Financial Aid](#) provides general guidelines and instructions on applying for entrance to undergraduate programmes at The Chinese University of Hong Kong.

The application procedure for Music also includes an audition (video), submission of supporting documents, and an interview.

VIDEO AUDITION & SUBMISSION OF SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS

1. Upload your audition video to YouTube (unlisted video instead of public) or a similar streaming platform.
2. Pack all supporting documents, e.g. secondary school reports (F.4 to F.5 and/or F.6), composition portfolio and recommendation letters into a shared folder link such as GoogleDrive, Dropbox and etc.
3. Provide the following information in <https://cloud.itsc.cuhk.edu.hk/webform/view.php?id=13642253>.
 - Your JUPAS/ Non-JUPAS application number, your full name (family name first), your instrument, names of the pieces performed, the URL (link) of your audition video and the URL (link) of your supporting documents.
4. Your application will NOT be processed if you fail to submit the URL (link) of your audition video and other supporting documents by Monday 30 May 2022.

Audition Video Requirements

Before beginning to play, show your face to the camera.

1. The video should contain two contrasting pieces: one fast and one slow (maximum total duration: 5 minutes)

2. Accompanists are not required and professional recording is not expected. The video may be recorded by mobile device, as long as the sound quality is good and the image quality is acceptable.
3. Upload the video to YouTube (unlisted video instead of public) or a similar streaming platform.

INTERVIEWS

In-person interviews* are planned for the week of 13–17 June. Applicants will be notified of exact arrangements on or about 7 June.

*We advise applicants to check for the latest information on accessing the CUHK campus [<https://www.cpr.cuhk.edu.hk/en/announcements/>]

Please direct enquiries to music@cuhk.edu.hk

ADMISSIONS FAQ

1. Should I have an accompanist for the audition?

You may, but it isn't required.

2. Can I play excerpts of pieces?

Yes. Just keep the total length of the video to a maximum of 5–minutes and play two contrasting pieces (slow/fast).

3. Do the two pieces need to be of contrasting styles or periods?

No. You just need to play or sing one piece that is fast and one that is slow.

4. May I play more than one instrument?

You need to perform two contrasting pieces on the same instrument and keep to the 5-minute overall time limit.

5. Due to the pandemic, ABRSM graded practical exams have been cancelled and Trinity College will introduce Digital Grades. Will this affect my admission result?

The music qualifications serve only as a reference and are not a requirement. Applicants may wish to submit results of ABRSM 'Performance Grades'.
