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Dear Prospective Student,

Students applying for Music A-level:

We would like to see evidence of any practical and/or music theory exams you have taken. Please upload images of these to the link: https://wykecollege-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/person/sandy_clark_wyke_ac_uk/IgAndTpWESXwSbrPPXjJByTHAY3-Xp5xuifliY8Klw0GO4A

A video audition will be required for all applicants. This will be on your first instrument/voice, however if you play two instruments, or play one and sing, you may send audition videos for both. The video should be up to 3 minutes in length and you may use your GCSE Music performance if you studied this subject. Please state your full name at the beginning of the video and upload your files to this folder by clicking the link: https://wykecollege-my.sharepoint.com/:f/g/person/sandy_clark_wyke_ac_uk/IgAndTpWESXwSbrPPXjJByTHAY3-Xp5xuifliY8Klw0GO4A

During Wyke Start there will be a theory test at Grade 5 theory standard. You will also be assessed on various aspects of aural perception: dictation; chords, keys and cadences; recognition of instruments. This level of knowledge is required in order to do well on the course from September, and therefore will be used to further assess your suitability for the course. Please contact sandy.clark@wyke.ac.uk as soon as possible with any questions. This should include contacting if you will be unable to attend Wyke Start, or if you have decided you no longer wish to study A-level Music.

It is compulsory that you take lessons in your chosen instrument alongside your A-level Music lessons over your 2 years studying the course. This is because it is in these that you will create your performance piece which is worth 35% of your overall A-level grade. These can be done external to college, or they are also available in college, and this can be discussed with Sandy Clark at Wyke Start. During Wyke Start you will be able to complete the Instrumental Lessons Expression of Interest form, to formally log your interest in this for September.

All uploads must be received **by Friday 26th June**. We look forward to meeting you at Wyke Start and enrolment!

Best wishes,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Laura Bulless".

Laura Bulless

Head of Dance, Drama, Performing Arts, Music & Music Technology (Digital Music Production)

