

ROYAL COLLEGE OF MUSIC
TERM DATES TO 2025/26



| | | 2020-2021 | 2021-2022 | 2022-2023 | 2023-2024 | 2024-2025 | 2025-2026 |
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| AUTUMN TERM | Term starts | 14 Sep 20 | 13 Sep 21 | 12 Sep 22 | 11 Sep 23 | 16 Sep 24 | 15 Sep 25 |
| | Induction week, w/c | 14 Sep 20 | 13 Sep 21 | 12 Sep 22 | 11 Sep 23 | 16 Sep 24 | 15 Sep 25 |
| | Teaching starts | 21 Sep 20 | 20 Sep 21 | 19 Sep 22 | 18 Sep 23 | 23 Sep 24 | 22 Sep 25 |
| | Performance week, w/c | 26 Oct 20 | 25 Oct 21 | 24 Oct 22 | 23 Oct 23 | 28 Oct 24 | 27 Oct 25 |
| | Teaching ends | 4 Dec 20 | 3 Dec 21 | 2 Dec 22 | 1 Dec 23 | 6 Dec 24 | 5 Dec 25 |
| | Audition week 1, w/c | 30 Nov 20 | 29 Nov 21 | 28 Nov 22 | 27 Dec 23 | 2 Dec 24 | 1 Dec 25 |
| | Audition week 2, w/c | 7 Dec 20 | 6 Dec 21 | 5 Dec 22 | 4 Dec 23 | 9 Dec 24 | 8 Dec 25 |
| Term ends | 11 Dec 20 | 10 Dec 21 | 9 Dec 22 | 8 Dec 23 | 13 Dec 24 | 12 Dec 25 | |
| SPRING TERM | Term starts | 11 Jan 21 | 10 Jan 22 | 9 Jan 23 | 8 Jan 24 | 6 Jan 25 | 12 Jan 26 |
| | Teaching starts | 11 Jan 21 | 10 Jan 22 | 9 Jan 23 | 8 Jan 24 | 6 Jan 25 | 12 Jan 26 |
| | Auditions & performance week, w/c | 15 Feb 21 | 21 Feb 22 | 20 Feb 23 | 19 Feb 24 | 17 Feb 25 | 23 Feb 26 |
| | Teaching ends | 19 Mar 21 | 25 Mar 22 | 24 Mar 23 | 15 Mar 24 | 28 Mar 25 | 20 Mar 26 |
| | Practical exams start | 22 Mar 21 | 28 Mar 22 | 27 Mar 23 | 18 Mar 24 | 31 Mar 25 | 23 Mar 26 |
| | Practical exams end | 26 Mar 21 | 1 Apr 22 | 31 Mar 23 | 22 Mar 24 | 4 Apr 25 | 27 Mar 26 |
| Term ends | 26 Mar 21 | 1 Apr 22 | 31 Mar 23 | 22 Mar 24 | 4 Apr 25 | 27 Mar 26 | |
| SUMMER TERM | Term starts | 12 Apr 21 | 25 Apr 22 | 24 Apr 23 | 15 Apr 24 | 28 Apr 25 | 20 Apr 26 |
| | Teaching starts | 12 Apr 21 | 25 Apr 22 | 24 Apr 23 | 15 Apr 24 | 28 Apr 25 | 20 Apr 26 |
| | BMus 1 & 2 written exam week, w/c | 17 May 21 | 16 May 22 | 15 May 23 | 13 May 24 | 12 May 25 | 18 May 26 |
| | Practical exams start | 24 May 21 | 23 May 22 | 22 May 23 | 20 May 24 | 19 May 25 | 26 May 26 |
| | Practical exams end | 25 Jun 21 | 17 Jun 22 | 16 Jun 23 | 14 Jun 24 | 13 Jun 25 | 19 Jun 26 |
| | Teaching ends | 16 Jul 21 | 8 Jul 22 | 7 Jul 23 | 5 Jul 24 | 4 Jul 25 | 10 Jul 26 |
| Term ends & graduation | 16 Jul 21 | 8 Jul 22 | 7 Jul 23 | 5 Jul 24 | 4 Jul 25 | 10 Jul 26 | |

NOTES:

For Junior Department term dates please refer to www.rcm.ac.uk/junior (information for current students)
MMus (Fast-track), MEd and MSc programme end date is 30 September of the following academic year
Please note that these dates are subject to change by the College

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