




# Appointing Lead Schools / Settings for Music

# Does your school or setting?...

- exemplify high-quality music provision and teaching?
- champion best practice music education in your LA area?
- show commitment to curriculum delivery with significant timetable time, co-curricular opportunities, inclusive provision, and teacher development?
- contribute to the development of a strategic approach to inclusion?
- advocate for music education and the work of the Music Hub to colleagues in other schools?

**If the answer is yes...**

A group of young women, likely students, are shown in a school orchestra. They are wearing red shirts and are focused on playing their cellos. The background is slightly blurred, showing other students and the interior of a school building. The lighting is warm and focused on the musicians.

... the Tri-borough Music Hub invites schools/settings to consider becoming a Lead School or Setting for Music within your local area...

# Why is this happening?



HM Government

## The power of music to change lives:

A National Plan for Music Education



By April 2025 **Lead Schools** must be appointed in each Local Authority area.

This is in accordance with the new DfE/Arts Council England changes and the National Plan for Music Education (NPME)

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# What is the role for?

Lead Schools/Settings will play a distinct role supporting other schools / settings to improve their music provision.

They will be expected to support and develop other schools / settings through the following:

- learning networks
- CPD courses
- mentoring
- peer support activity
- collaborative music projects
- practice and resource sharing

(NB: this list is just illustrative and is not limited to these areas)

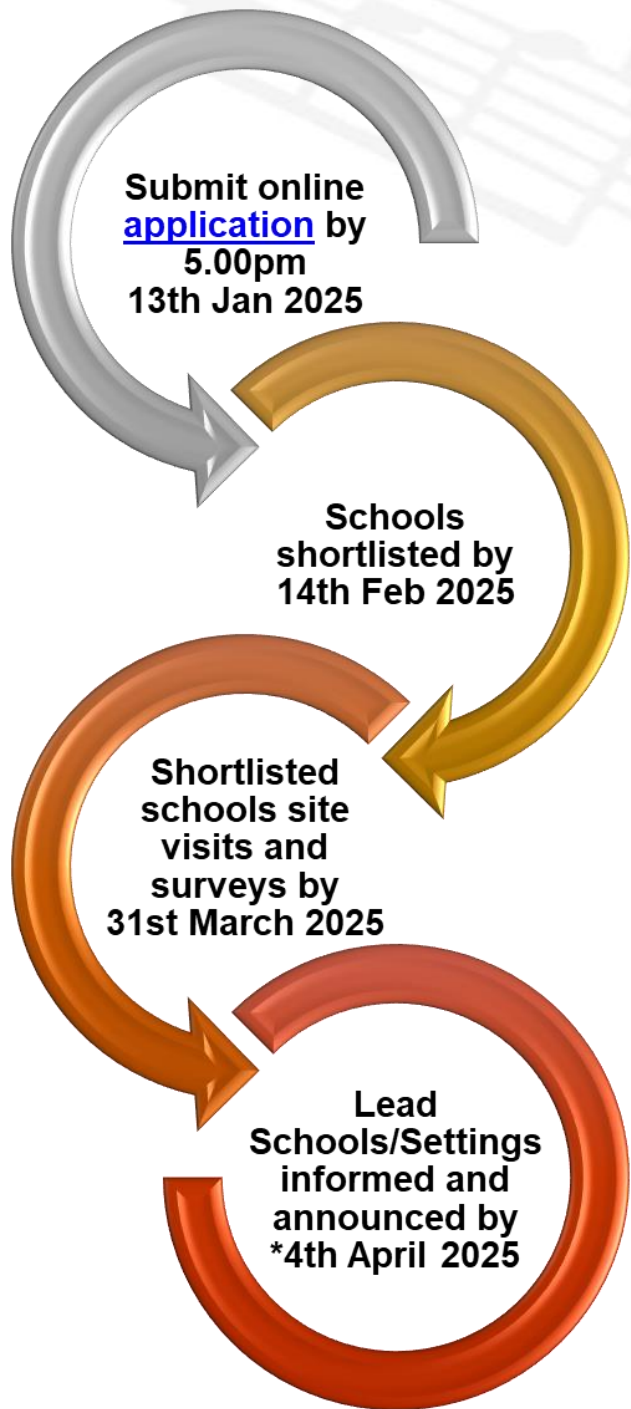
# How many will there be?

There must be named Lead Schools for Music in each LA:

- 1 x Primary
- 1 x Secondary

The Tri-borough Music Hub aims to extend the group of Lead Schools to also include (where possible) Alternative Provision, SEND, EYFS and Further Education settings.

	<b><i>Proposed Tri-borough Music Hub Lead Schools and Settings April 2024</i></b>		
	<b>Hammersmith &amp; Fulham LBHF</b>	<b>Kensington &amp; Chelsea RBKC</b>	<b>Westminster WCC</b>
<b>Will recruit at least one...</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Primary School</li><li>• Secondary School</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Primary School</li><li>• Secondary School</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Primary School</li><li>• Secondary School</li></ul>
<b>Ambition to also recruit, where possible, at least one...</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EYFS Setting</li><li>• FE Setting/College</li><li>• SEND Setting</li><li>• AP Setting</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EYFS Setting</li><li>• FE Setting/College</li><li>• SEND Setting</li><li>• AP Setting</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• EYFS Setting</li><li>• FE Setting/College</li><li>• SEND Setting</li><li>• AP Setting</li></ul>



# Sounds exciting!

## What else do we need to know? Read the Guidance [HERE](#)

## YES! How do we apply? Apply on the digital form [HERE](#)

## Thank you!

**WORK WELL**  
**MAKE MUSIC**  
**HAVE FUN**  
**BE KIND**

**Thank You!**

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