



Canterbury Area Chorister Awards

Application Form

Section 1 – Candidate’s details

Candidate’s name

Date of birth (if under 18) / /

Candidate’s church / school

Candidate’s voice part Treble Soprano Alto Tenor Bass

If the Candidate is under 18, please complete section 2, otherwise move on to section 3.

Section 2 – Parental / Guardian consent

**I give permission for my son / daughter to be entered for a
Royal School of Church Music Canterbury Area Award.**

Signed

Name (please print)

Date / /

Section 3 – Contact details

Contact’s name

Contact’s address

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Telephone number

Email address

Section 5 – Award

Please circle the award that you are entering for:

Dean’s (Bronze) Award Bishop’s (Silver) Award
(£36) (£42)

Section 6 – Choice of venue

To make the Area Awards more accessible to churches and schools, the Area Committee is offering the opportunity to have candidates examined either at the candidate's own church, or at a venue closer by. However, this cannot always be guaranteed, and there are strict child protection issues that need to be in place if your candidate(s) are under 18 (see section 7).

Please select one or more of the following options:

- a) If possible, I would like for the examination to be scheduled in the next Area Awards session held centrally (usually Canterbury)
- b) If possible, I would like the examiner to visit my candidate(s) at my church, or another venue closer to me.

If you chose (b) and your candidates are under 18, please read and complete Section 7 **carefully**, otherwise move on to section 8.

Section 7 – Child Protection

The Royal School of Music takes child protection extremely seriously. Consequently, all examiners and assisting staff at central awards sessions are CRB checked and have been given clearance to work with young people by the RSCM.

If you have requested that an examiner visits your candidate(s) at your own church or another venue, i.e. not a central awards session, then it is essential that the person who will be supervising candidates before and after their examination complies with all Child Protection policies and procedures laid down by the church / school where they supervise children.

The following must be completed by the Child Protection Officer of the supervisor's church / school:

Name of supervisor

I confirm that the person named above is cleared to work with young people under the age of 18, according to this organisation's Child Protection policies and procedures.

Signed

Name (please print)

Church / school

Section 8 – Details of music

Hymn from which hymnal?

Psalm verses from which psalter?

Solo piece(s) (please refer to the syllabus for the award you are entering for)

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Section 9 – Testimonial

Choir trainers, please comment on the candidate’s commitment to the choir of your church / school and their suitability for this examination. This forms *Section D: Belonging to the choir* of the examination.

Signed
Name (please print)
Date / /

Supported by the incumbent / minister / head teacher:

Signed
Name (please print)
Date / /

Please send this completed application form to:

The Awards Administrator

Mrs Alison Swinney
13 The Knole
Faversham
Kent
ME13 7QG

Tel: 01795 533448
Email: awards@canterbury-rscm.org.uk

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