



Newpark Music Centre

Bachelor of Arts in Jazz Performance (BAJP)

Application FAQs

1. How do I apply?

You can apply using the course application form. This can be obtained from Newpark Music Centre by calling +353-1-2883740, by email at newparkmusic@eircom.net or by downloading from our website: www.newparkmusic.com

2. What standard should I be at?

We're looking for people with a good basic level on their principal instrument. You don't need to have any formal training, though previous education will be taken into account at audition.

3. I'm interested in jazz, but I can't play it yet?

You don't have to already be playing jazz to enroll in the course. We accept musicians from a wide variety of musical backgrounds and styles.

4. What are my chances of being granted an audition?

We normally audition all applicants, though this does depend on the number and standard of applicant.

5. What happens at the audition?

You will be asked to play your principal instrument and there will be a short interview. You will be given further details if and when you are invited to audition.

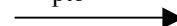
6. What happens once I send in my application form?

Once your application has been processed, we will contact you with an audition date and time, together with further instructions of what you may expect at the audition.

7. How much does the course cost?

The annual fee for the academic year 2008-2009 is €4150. Fees are tax deductible.

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8. Can I join the course in 2nd or 3rd year?

It may be possible to enter the course in a year other than first year where an applicant can demonstrate previous musical education to diploma level, or significant professional experience as a jazz musician.

Decisions in these instances will be made on a case-by-case basis by the Course Board, whose decision will be final.

9. When is the closing date for applications?

Monday 21st April 2008 is the final date for receipt of applications.

10. When are the auditions?

Auditions will be held on Saturday 26th and Sunday 27th April 2008. Dates may be subject to change.

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