

Event	Time	Place	Involving
4 – 8 September 2023			
			Week 1 (A)
04 M	Inset		
05 Tu	Inset		
06 W	First day of Autumn Term		
07 Th			
08 F	Senior House Music Competition open		For 4 th , 5 th year and 6 th Formers
10 Su	First Sunday of the Choir Year	Cathedral	All Choristers
			Week 2 (B)
11 – 15 September 2023			
			Week 3 (A)
18-22 September 2023			
18 M			
19 Tu	Sixth Form Open Evening		Music Teachers
22 F	Senior House Music Competition DEADLINE:12:00		
			Week 4 (B)
GCSE Students Solo recital 25 - 29 September 2023			
25 M	GCSE Students' Solo Concert	18:30-19:30 Chapel	Current 5 th and Fast Track 4 th years
	Senior House Music Competition Rehearsals and round 1 marking	All week Music School	4 th – U6
26 Tu			
27 W			
29 F	Music Concert	16:30-17:30 Chapel	Open to all musicians/singers
01 Su	Chapel Anniversary	Chapel	Chamber Choir
			Week 5 (A)
ABRSM Theory deadline 02 – 06 October 2023			
02 M	Senior House Music Competition Rehearsals and Round 1 marking	All week Music school	4 th – U6
05 Th	Closing date for ABRSM Theory exam entries grades 6 – 8	Grades 6 – 8 only	16th A Level Musicians
Forms to be handed in by 4.00pm			
06 F			
07 Sa	Senior School Open Morning	09:00–13:00	Musicians and Teachers, Jazz Orchestra, small ensembles
			Week 6 (B)
Music Concert 09-13 October 2023			
09 M	House Music Competition Round 1	All week Mus. School	
10 Tu	Music Concert	16:30-17:30 Chapel	Open to all Musicians/Singers
12 Th	Evensong with the Chamber Choir Meet in M1 at 16:00 to walk to the Cathedral	16:00-18:30 Cathedral	Chamber Choir
15 Su	CYO Rehearsal	All day	
			Week 7 (A)
House Music Week 16-20 October 2023			
16 M	Senior House Music Competition Semi Finals 09:00-16:00	Chapel	4 th year – U6
19 Th	Senior House Music – FINAL COMPETITION 19:00-21:00	Chapel	Wind Band and finalists

20 F	Chorister Trip to London and Cambridge			Girl Choristers
Half term 23 October – 03 November Week 8 & 9				
04 Sa	Jazz Workshop, Sir Humphry Davy school, PZ			
06 – 10 November 2023				
				Week 10 (B)
07 Tu				
08 W				
09 Th				
10 F	Remembrance Service	10:45-11:15 TAH		Girl Choristers
12 Su	CYO Rehearsal	all day	Truro high school	County Youth Musicians
13-17 November 2023				
				Week 11 (A)
13 M	Music Concert	16:30 17:30 Chapel		Open to all Musicians/Singers
14 Tu	ABRSM Theory Exam for Grades 6 – 8 only	17:00-20:00 TBC		Grades 6 – 8 Only
18 Sa				
19 Su				
20 – 24 November 2023				
				Week 12 (B)
20 M	Junior Musicians' Concert	18:30-19:30 Chapel		Music PIPPS
	Includes solo performances from 1 st -3 rd year Music PIPPS			
21 Tu				
22 W				
23 Th				
24 F				
25 Sa				
Christmas Song Concert 27 Nov - 01 Dec 2022				
				Week 13 (A)
27 M	3 rd Year Christmas Song Concert	16:30-17:30 M1		3 rd Year Music
	Mock Exams for 5 th Years	All week		5 th Year
28 Tu	Music Concert	16:30-17:30 Chapel		Open to all Musicians/Singers
30 Th	Evensong with the Chamber Choir meet in M1 at 16:00 to walk to Cathedral	16:00-18:30 Cathedral		Chamber Choir, optional 5 th years
02 Sa				
03 Su	CYO Rehearsal	All day	Truro High School	County Youth Musicians
Exam week 04 - 08 December 2022				
				Week 14 (B)
04 M	Mock Exams for 5 th Years	All week		5 th year
05 Tu	Messiah Rehearsal– Truro Choral Society	19:30-21:30 Truro School Prep		Optional Chamber Choir
09 Sa	Messiah – Truro Choral Society *	19:30-21:30 Cathedral		Optional Chamber Choir

		Christmas Concert Week 11 - 15 December 2022		Week 15 (A)
11 M	Exam mop up		TAH	5 th year
12 Tu	Christmas Concert	18:30-20:00 Chapel		Bands, Orchestras and Junior Choirs
	Rehearsals throughout the day	09:15-15:45		
13 W	Nine Lessons and Carols rehearsals	08:30-11:30 Cathedral	Crypt Entrance	Chamber Choir & Prep School Choir, Barbershop Group, Vocal Ensemble
	Readers rehearse	11:30-12:30		
14 Th	End of Term Service		TMC	Brass/Drum and Chamber Choir
	Brass/percussion & Chamber Choir	08:30-10:00 TMC		
	Nine Lessons and Carols	19:00-21:00 Cathedral		Chamber Choir & Prep School Choir, Barbershop Group, Vocal Ensemble
15 F	ABRSM exams – Special Visit	09:00-18:00 M1		
16 Sa	ABRSM Exams – Special Visit	09:00-18:00 M1		
7 Su	CYO Rehearsal	All day	Truro High School	County Youth Musicians

The details on this calendar are correct at the time of printing. Events listed in italics are not run by Truro School. Events marked with an asterisk (*) may charge for admission. Finish times are approximate. For further details of which groups/individuals are involved, and for any updates to timings, please check the school's online calendar. Please visit www.truroschool.com/events

Key Dates for 2023/2024

- Cornwall Music Festival 11 - 16 March 2024
- Hall for Cornwall Concert Tuesday 23 April 2024

VISITING MUSIC TEACHERS

CLARINET	Rebecca Brenton†
FLUTE	Rebecca Bingham† Karen Green Sarah McDonagh
OBOE	Tamsin Robinson
SAXOPHONE	Rebecca Brenton† Sarah M'Donagh
FRENCH HORN	Jacqueline Kershaw†
TRUMPET	Alan Pope†
TROMBONE	Matt Harrison
TUBA	Matt Harrison
VIOLIN & VIOLA	Stuart MacQuarrie Philip Montgomery-Smith
CELLO	Barbara Degener Ben Hoadley
GUITAR	Lee Blackmore Tom Holland
DRUMS/PERCUSSION	James Robinson Steve Weeks
RECORDER	Sarah-Jane Whomersley
PIANO	Jonathan Carnet† Paul Comeau† Frances Eagar† Steve Hawker Stella Pendrous
ORGAN	Andrew Wyatt
SINGING	Tim Travers-Brown Naomi Johnston Carne Ben Hoadley Heather Mee
MUSIC THEORY	Staff marked †

MUSIC ENSEMBLES

FR ID	Before school	Chamber Choir	M1	Richard Osmond
MONDAY	Lunchtime 13:00-13:30	Girl Choristers	M1	James Anderson Besant
		B Natural Girls' Pop Choir (1 st – 3 rd Years)	M1	Sarah Whomersley
		Vocal Ensemble 4 th – 6 th form (invite only)	M4	Heather Mee
		Brass Group	M6	Alan Pope
		1 st Year Rock Band	Perc.	Lee Blackmore
	After School	Brass Quintet	M1	Peter Thomson
TUESDAY	Before school	Girl Choristers	M1	James Anderson Besant
		Boys Barbershop	M6	Peter Thomson
		Percussion Group	Perc.	Steve Weeks
	Lunchtime 13:00-13:30	Flute Choir	M8	Rebecca Bingham
		Samba Band	Perc.	Steve Weeks
		Junior Band	M1	Peter Thomson
		Chamber Choir	Chpl	James Anderson Besant
	After School	Wind Band	TAH	Alan Pope & Rebecca Bingham
Junior Strings		M1	Sarah Whomersley	
WEDNESDAY	Before school	Girl Choristers	M1	James Anderson Besant
		4 th Year Rock Band	Perc.	Tom Holland
		Boys Choir (1 st & 2 nd years)	M8	Richard Osmond
	Lunchtime	1 st Year Rock Band (invite only)	Perc.	Tom Holland
	Wednesday afternoon activities	Music GCSE Fast-track	M6	Richard Osmond
Music Theory		M8		
THURSDAY	Before school	Girl Choristers	M1	James Anderson Besant
		Chamber Orchestra	Chpl	Richard Osmond
		Saxophone Ensemble	M11	Rebecca Brenton
	Lunchtime 13:00-13:30	Early Music Group	M8	Sarah Whomersley
		Jazz Orchestra	TAH	Peter Thomson
	After School	Symphony Orchestra	TAH	Gareth Churcher



TRURO SCHOOL MUSIC

Autumn Term 2023 Calendar



Music Department

Richard Osmond—Director of Music
Peter Thomson—Teacher of Music
Sarah Whomersley—Teacher of Music

Tracey Bailey—Music Manager
Sue Wilkinson—Music Administrator

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