



## Extend and deepen your knowledge of Music

If you are interested in studying Music at University or a Conservatoire you may want to investigate it further to extend your knowledge in preparation for applying and interviews/auditions. The following resources will help with this.

### Podcasts

[BBC World Music](#)  
[London Music Podcast](#)  
[Sonic Talk](#)  
[Composer of the Week](#)  
[Song Exploder](#)  
[Aria Code](#)  
[Wigmore Hall](#)

### Webinars

[BBC Music Introducing](#)  
[Gresham Music](#)

### Music Resources

#### [Incorporated Society of Musicians](#)

The UK's professional body for musicians. This Society is dedicated to promoting the importance of music and protecting the rights of those working in the music profession. Their website has lots of advice and information.

#### [UK Music](#)

This organisation is the collective voice of the UK's music industry. They represent all sectors of the industry – bringing them together to collaborate, campaign, and champion music.

#### [Youth Music](#)

This website is for young people who want a career in Music. It provides information on grants, opportunities and resources.

#### [Musicians Union](#)

Music career advice and events designed to assist with developing a career.

#### [Carnegie Hall](#)

Videos offering advice to Young Musicians.

## Magazines

### [BBC Music Magazine](#)

A guide to the world of classical music, downloads, interviews, news, podcasts and more.

### [Gramophone](#)

Classical music reviews, news, playlists, features and blogs.

### [The Wire](#)

The Wire covers a wide range of global alternative, underground and experimental music.

## Books

The following books might be available in a local library, it is not suggested that you buy them.

Music: A Very Short Introduction N. Cook (Oxford University Press 2021)

Musicology: The Key Concepts (Routledge Key Guides 2016)

Tia Denora: Music in Everyday Life (Cambridge University Press 2000)

## Online Learning

Find bitesize short online courses based on your subject interests on the following platforms. Courses are usually free to complete and many are completed in no more than two or three hours a week over a two- or three-week period. You can usually start courses on a date that suits you. These courses are also known as MOOCS (Massive Online Open Courses).

[FutureLearn](#)

[Coursera](#)

## Videos

Explore Music related videos on [YouTube](#)

See also [TEDx Talks](#)

## Public University Lectures and Events

You may also find some relevant public lectures or online events through the following:

[Oxford University Events](#)

[Cambridge University Major Public Lectures](#)

[Edinburgh University Public Lectures](#)

[Gresham Lectures](#)

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