

# PERFORMANCE DIPLOMAS



## WHY TRINITY PERFORMANCE DIPLOMAS?

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## WHO ARE THEY FOR?

Trinity diplomas are your first step into professional musicianship, taking candidates on their next steps beyond graded examinations. Available for a huge range of instruments, they help take candidates on a structured pathway – from ATCL at Level 4, through to LTCL at Level 6 and FTCL at Level 7 – into a whole range of music careers. These include professional performance, teaching and into further study in the creative arts. Diplomas also give you professional recognition with letters after your name, making them a widely-recognised qualification.

There are no prerequisites for our ATCL or LTCL diplomas, meaning you can prepare for them whether you have taken a Grade 8 exam or not.

## WHAT IS A PERFORMANCE DIPLOMA?

It is a professional performance that takes place in front of one of our expert examining panel. Our instrument repertoire lists, available online, contain more than 3500 pieces selected by our specialists. These, alongside our own-choice programme option allow you to focus on your individual strengths and musical interests. Further advice from our international teaching community on repertoire selection can be found on our [resources page](#).

## MORE REPERTOIRE TO CHOOSE FROM

Our diploma lists have been updated and now feature more than 1200 additional pieces to choose from. The repertoire lists are available **online** and you can use these to form your programme. We've added lots of pieces that have been approved as own-choice repertoire previously and will continue to add to the lists each year, based on repertoire performed by successful diploma candidates.



## FOCUS ON PERFORMANCE

The focus of these qualifications is performance, with detailed feedback given on specific performance areas: fluency & accuracy, technical assurance & application, and musical sense & communication, with 96% of your marks allocated to the recital. To find out more, you can download our 2019 **Performance Diploma syllabus**.

## FASTER ONLINE APPROVALS PROCESS

Our online approvals process means that you can get your diploma programme approved by our experts in a much shorter timeframe. We'll have a response to you within 15 working days.

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## PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Each of our diplomas comes with letters after your name, which are internationally recognised in the musical teaching and performing community.

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## EXPERT SUPPORT

As the next step in your journey to professional musicianship, we're keen to support you to become an expert in performance. Our dedicated **music resources site** contains a wealth of information from our international experts, to support you in choosing your programme, understanding how diplomas are marked and the benefits of holding a Trinity performance diploma.

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