

GM Music Hub: Charges, Remissions and Bursaries

Greater Manchester Ensembles - Information for Parents/Carers and young people

The local Music Services in Greater Manchester work together, and with partners in the region, to provide a number of GM Ensembles which offer an exciting music pathway for young people in all of our local boroughs.

Young people with experience of local music-making are nominated for a place in the regional groups. They have the chance to rehearse and perform alongside young people from other areas of Greater Manchester, receive tuition and mentoring from professional musicians and to perform in world-class venues.

Further information about these regional ensembles can be found at [GM ensembles | Greater Manchester Music Hub \(gmmusichub.co.uk\)](http://gmmusichub.co.uk)

The annual membership for these groups is £120 and includes 3 weekend workshops/rehearsals (Friday/Saturday/Sunday) plus an end of year performance at the Bridgewater Hall. Sometimes the number of rehearsals is changed to suit the requirements of each group, and the annual membership charge will be adjusted accordingly.

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Greater Manchester Regional Ensembles	
Standard Annual Programme (3 weekends plus concert at the Bridgewater Hall)	£120
Charge for joining a second ensemble = half price	£60
Charge for a sibling joining the same or another ensemble = half price	£60
<i>Sometimes the length of the courses or the number of weekends is reduced and in this case the cost will also be reduced. All members will be provided with a link to register with Eventbrite and any adjustment to the standard charges will be displayed when you register.</i>	

Bursaries
We want these opportunities to be accessible to all young people. Bursaries for the GM Ensembles are currently provided locally, and on a limited basis – please contact Bolton Music Service music.service@bolton.gov.uk or 01204 333533, for more information about any local bursaries which you may be able to access.

If you have any questions about our charges and remissions for the GM Ensembles please contact us on 01204 333533 or music.service@bolton.gov.uk