

ROYAL COLLEGE OF MUSIC JUNIOR DEPARTMENT

BARBARA BOISSARD JUNIOR CONCERTO COMPETITION 2018

Closing date: 5pm, Saturday 6 January 2018
Competition date: 9am, Saturday 24 February 2018

OPEN TO: All students in school years 7-10.

REQUIREMENTS: The time limit is **10 minutes**, including walking on and off the stage and tuning (ie **not more than 9 minutes playing time**). Competitors are required to play **from memory** a single movement (or as much as 10 minutes will allow) of a concerto or substantial work for soloist with orchestra (including cadenza where appropriate). You may perform a slow movement if you wish.

ACCOMPANISTS: Official accompanists will be provided for those students whose lessons are at College on Saturdays. Half hour rehearsals with the official accompanists for each entrant will take place (in lessons where possible) on **Saturdays 3 and 17 February**. Students with midweek lessons will need to find/book/use their own accompanists unless prior agreement for the use of a JD accompanist has been given by the Head of Junior Programmes before the closing date.

You must hand in the original of your piano accompaniment with your entry form. (NB photocopies cannot be accepted so if you need a copy of your piano part for practice purposes, you should make sure that you do this before you hand in your accompaniment). Incomplete entry forms or those without accompaniments (unless you are playing only unaccompanied repertoire) cannot not be accepted.

_____ PLEASE DETACH _____

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Complete all sections in **CAPITAL LETTERS** and return this form (with piano accompaniment) to the JD office by **5pm on Saturday 6 January 2018**.

STUDENT'S NAME (please use capital letters) _____

INSTRUMENT _____ YEAR GROUP _____

TEACHER'S NAME _____

LESSON TIME (if on a Saturday) From _____ To _____ Room* _____

*Is there a piano in this room for an accompanist to use? YES / NO

PROGRAMME (**Exact details** including composer, opus number, key, movement(s) etc.)

_____ Duration _____

TEACHER'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

PARENT'S SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____