

Royal College of Music Committee Schedule 2025/26

Term & Week	Date	Time	Meeting	Location
Summer Vacation	Tue 02-Sep	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu 04-Sep	10.00 - 11.00	Mitigating Circumstances Committee: UG + PG	Exchange Meeting Room
Summer Vacation	Mon 08-Sep	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
		11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue 09-Sep	10.00 - 11.00	Autumn Termly Overview Meeting	Recital Hall
		11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed 10-Sep	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503
	Thu 11-Sep	11.00 - 12.30	Undergraduate Board of Examiners	JM503
14.00 - 16.00		Postgraduate Board of Examiners	JM503	
Autumn Term (2025)				
Term Starts	Mon 15-Sep	14.00 - 15.00	Percussion Faculty Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
Week 1 Induction Week	Tue 16-Sep	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed 17-Sep	16.00 - 18.00	Estates Committee	JM503
	Thu 18-Sep	15.30 - 16.30	Remuneration Committee	JM503
Week 2 Teaching Starts	Tue 23-Sep	10.00 - 11.00	Student Numbers Meeting	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
		11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
Week 3	Mon 29-Sep	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
		11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue 30-Sep	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu 02-Oct	10.00 - 12.00	Risk Workshop	JM503
16.00 - 18.00		Audit & Risk Assurance Committee	JM503	
Week 4	Tue 07-Oct	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
Week 5	Mon 13-Oct	11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
		14.00 - 14.30	Mitigating Circumstances Committee: Postgraduate	Exchange Meeting Room
	Tue 14-Oct	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed 15-Oct	10.30 - 17.00	Council Residential	Performance Hall
	Thu 16-Oct	11.00 - 12.30	Postgraduate Board of Examiners	JM503
16.30 - 18.30		Finance & General Purposes Committee	JM503	
Week 6	Tue 21-Oct	10.00 - 11.00	Student Numbers Meeting	G04
		11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
		14.00 - 15.30	Nominations Committee	Director's Room (G05)
	Wed 22-Oct	13.00 - 14.00	String Faculty Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
	Thu 23-Oct	10.00 - 11.00	Collections Management Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
		11.00 - 12.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
15.30 - 17.00		Senate	Carne Room	
Week 7 Performance Week	Mon 27-Oct	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
		11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue 28-Oct	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu 30-Oct	11.00 - 12.00	Student Debt Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
15.00 - 16.00		Access & Participation Working Group	Exchange Meeting Room	
Week 8	Tue 04-Nov	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
		13.30 - 15.00	Student Curriculum & Experience Forum	JM503
		15.30 - 17.00	Programmes Forum	JM503
Wed 05-Nov	16.00 - 18.00	Audit & Risk Assurance Committee	JM503	
Week 9	Tue 11-Nov	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed 12-Nov	11.00 - 12.00	Environmental Management Committee	JM503
	Thu 13-Nov	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503

Week 10	Mon	17-Nov	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	18-Nov	10.00 - 11.00	All Staff Meeting	Recital Hall
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			13.30 - 14.30	Professional Services Committee	JM503
			14.30 - 16.00	Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Belonging Committee	JM503
	Wed	19-Nov	13.00 - 14.00	Historical Performance Faculty Meeting	JM503
	Thu	20-Nov	10.00 - 11.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			14.00 - 16.00	Research & Knowledge Exchange Committee	JM503
Week 11	Tue	25-Nov	10.00 - 11.00	Directorate UNISON	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			14.00 - 15.00	Digital Strategy Implementation Committee	JM503
	Wed	26-Nov	09.30 - 11.30	RCM / NAFA Programme Management Committee	Teams meeting
			16.00 - 18.30	Council + AGM	Carne Room
	Thu	27-Nov	14.00 - 16.00	Research Degrees Committee	JM503
<i>Teaching Ends</i>	Fri	28-Nov			
Week 12 <i>Audition Week 1</i>	Tue	02-Dec	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	03-Dec	13.00 - 15.00	Investment Committee	JM503
			17.00 - 18.00	Composition Faculty Meeting	Teams meeting
	Thu	04-Dec	14.00 - 15.30	Collections Committee	JM503
Week 13 <i>Audition Week 2</i> <i>Term Ends</i>	Tue	09-Dec	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Fri	12-Dec	13.30 - 16.30	1:1 Scholarships meetings with HoFs	G04
<i>Christmas Vacation</i>	Mon	15-Dec	Morning	(extra 1:1 Scholarships meetings with HoFs if needed)	G04
			12.45 - 17.30	SEC Admissions meeting	Recital Hall
	Tue	16-Dec	10.00 - 11.30	SEC Scholarships meeting	JM503
<i>Christmas Vacation</i>	Mon	05-Jan	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	06-Jan	10.00 - 11.00	Spring Termly Overview Meeting	Recital Hall
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04

Spring Term (2026)

Term Starts	Mon	12-Jan			
Week 1 Teaching Starts	Tue	13-Jan	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	14-Jan	16.00 - 18.00	Estates Committee	JM503
	Thu	15-Jan	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503
Week 2	Tue	20-Jan	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	21-Jan	15.30 - 16.30	Environmental Management Committee	JM503
Week 3	Mon	26-Jan	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	27-Jan	10.00 - 11.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
Week 4	Tue	03-Feb	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	05-Feb			
Week 5	Mon	09-Feb	11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	10-Feb	10.00 - 11.00	Directorate UNISON	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	12-Feb	11.00 - 12.00	Student Debt Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
			13.30 - 15.00	Student Curriculum & Experience Forum	JM503
			15.30 - 17.00	Programmes Forum	JM503
Week 6 Auditions & Performance Week	Tue	17-Feb	10.00 - 11.00	Student Numbers Meeting	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	18-Feb	16.00 - 17.00	Health, Safety & Wellbeing Committee	JM503
Week 7	Mon	23-Feb	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	SEC including Admissions & Scholarships	JM503
	Tue	24-Feb	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	25-Feb	11.30 - 12.30	Mitigating Circumstances Committee: UG + PG	JM503
			13.00 - 14.30	Sub-board of Examiners UG + PG	JM503
			15.30 - 17.00	Senate	Carne Room
	Thu	26-Feb	15.00 - 16.00	Nominations Committee	Director's Room (G05)
			16.30 - 18.30	Finance & General Purposes Committee	JM503
Week 8	Tue	03-Mar	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			13.30 - 14.30	Professional Services Committee	JM503
			14.30 - 16.00	Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Belonging Committee	JM503
	Thu	05-Mar	11.00 - 12.00	Collections Management Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			14.00 - 16.00	Research & Knowledge Exchange Committee	JM503
Week 9	Mon	09-Mar	11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	10-Mar	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	11-Mar	13.00 - 14.00	Historical Performance Faculty Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
			16.00 - 18.15	Council	Carne Room
Thu	12-Mar	14.00 - 16.00	Research Degrees Committee	JM503	
Week 10	Mon	16-Mar	10.00 - 11.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
	Tues	17-Mar	09.00 - 10.00	Digital Strategy Implementation Committee	G04
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	19-Mar	15.00 - 16.00	Access & Participation Working Group	Exchange Meeting Room
Week 11 Practical Exams	Mon	23-Mar	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	24-Mar	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	26-Mar	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503
Teaching ends	Fri	27-Mar			
Week 13 Practical Exams	Tue	31-Mar	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
Term Ends	Fri	03-Apr		Bank Holiday	
Easter Vacation	Tue	07-Apr	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
Easter Vacation	Tue	14-Apr	10.00 - 16.00	Directorate away day	TBC

Summer Term (2026)

Term starts	Mon	20-Apr			
Week 1	Tue	21-Apr	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	23-Apr	10.00 - 11.00	Summer Termly Overview Meeting	Recital Hall
	Mon	27-Apr	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
Week 2			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	28-Apr	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			14.00 - 15.00	Brass Faculty Meeting	LG10
Week 3	Mon	04-May		Bank Holiday	
	Tue	05-May	10.00 - 11.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	07-May	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503
			15.00 - 16.00	Nominations Committee	Director's Room (G05)
Week 4 <i>BMus 1&2 Written Exams</i>	Mon	11-May	13.00 - 17.00	SEC away day	TBC
	Tue	12-May	10.00 - 11.00	Student Numbers Meeting	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			16.00 - 18.00	Estates Committee	JM503
	Thu	14-May	11.00 - 12.30	Student Curriculum & Experience Forum	JM503
			13.30 - 15.00	Programmes Forum	JM503
			15.30 - 17.00	Senate	Carne Room
	Fri	15-May	13.00 - 14.00	Strings Faculty Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
Week 5	Mon	18-May	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	19-May	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			15.30 - 17.30	Investment Committee	JM503
	Wed	20-May	09.30 - 11.30	RCM / NAFA Board of Examiners and Admissions Committee	Teams meeting
			17.00 - 19.00	Vocal Faculty Meeting	JM503
	Thu	21-May	15.00 - 16.00	Access & Participation Working Group	Exchange Meeting Room
		16.00 - 18.00	Audit & Risk Assurance Committee	JM503	
Week 6 <i>Practical Exams</i>	Mon	25-May		Bank Holiday	
	Tue	26-May	10.00 - 11.00	Directorate UNISON	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	27-May	15.00 - 16.00	Environmental Management Committee	JM503
	Thu	28-May	11.00 - 12.00	Student Debt Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
		16.00 - 17.00	Health, Safety & Wellbeing Committee	JM503	
Week 7 <i>Practical Exams</i>	Tue	02-Jun	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Thu	04-Jun	10.00 - 11.00	Collections Management Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			14.00 - 16.00	Research & Knowledge Exchange Committee	JM503
			16.00 - 17.00	Safeguarding Committee	JM503
Week 8 <i>Practical Exams</i>	Tue	09-Jun	10.00 - 11.00	Prevent Steering Group	G04
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			13.30 - 14.30	Professional Services Committee	JM503
			14.30 - 16.00	Equity, Diversity, Inclusion & Belonging Committee	JM503
	Thu	11-Jun	10.00 - 11.00	Disaster Recovery Workshop	JM503
			14.00 - 16.00	Research Degrees Committee	JM503
Week 9 <i>Practical Exams</i>	Tue	16-Jun	14.00 - 15.00	Digital Strategy Implementation Committee	JM503
	Tue	16-Jun	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	17-Jun	14.00 - 17.00	Mitigating Circumstances Committee: UG + PG	Exchange Meeting Room
	Thu	18-Jun	15.30 - 16.30	Remuneration Committee	JM503
			16.30 - 18.30	Finance & General Purposes Committee	JM503

Week 10	Mon	22-Jun	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
	Tue	23-Jun	10.00 - 11.00	Student Support Committee	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			14.00 - 15.00	Student Numbers Meeting	G06 (Deputy Director's Office)
	Thu	25-Jun	10.30 - 13.30	Postgraduate Sub-board of Examiners	JM503
	Fri	26-Jun	10.00 - 14.00	Undergraduate Sub-board of Examiners	JM503
Week 11	Mon	29-Jun	14.00 - 17.00	Postgraduate Board of Examiners	JM503
	Tue	30-Jun	10.00 - 14.00	Undergraduate Board of Examiners	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
			17.00 - 18.00	Composition Faculty Meeting	Exchange Meeting Room
	Thu	02-Jul	14.00 - 16.00	Research Ethics Committee	JM503
Week 12	Mon	06-Jul	10.00 - 10.45	Artistic Planning Committee	JM503
			11.00 - 13.00	Senate Executive Committee	JM503
Teaching Ends	Tue	07-Jul	11.00 - 13.00	Directorate	G04
	Wed	08-Jul	16.00 - 18.15	Council	Carne Room
Term Ends	Fri	10-Jul		Graduation ceremonies	
Summer Vacation	Tue	14-Jul		Directorate away day	TBC