

GET TO KNOW OUR PROGRAMMES!

MUSIC AND CULTURE

SUMMER CAMP

A SUMMER MUSIC EXPERIENCE FOR 12 TO 17-YEAR-OLDS

JULY 2020













WHAT IS THE MUSIC AND CULTURE SUMMER CAMP AND WHO ORGANISES IT?

Music and Fun Summer Camp (29 June-12 July 2020)

Music, culture, languages and fun

Young Artists Summer Camp (13-26 July 2020)

A 100% musical programme

Throughout the last 29 years, the **Reina Sofía School of Music** has become one of **best music schools in Europe**, with a wide and prestigious international recognition in the training of young musicians coming from more than 30 countries.

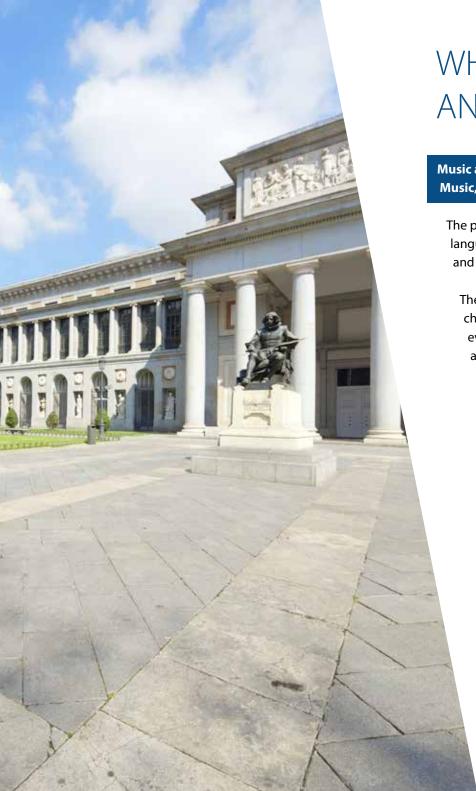
The School offers **12 to 17-year-olds** the possibility of participating in one of its two summer programmes designed to make the most of the Reina Sofía School experience. The student may choose between a cultural immersion programme and a 100% musical programme. In both, students will be able to improve and develop their musical skills with the best music professors through a unique teaching method in a wonderful environment.

Each program lasts 13 days, including Saturdays and Sundays.

The academic activities take place at unique facilities in Madrid's Plaza de Oriente, offering technologies and classrooms to give music classes in the best possible conditions of sonority and concentration for each of the instruments.

There are two types of Campus in both programmes:

- Full Campus: Students stay overnight at the Colegio Mayor Universitario San Pablo.
- Day Campus: Students enter at 9.30 a.m. and finish their day at 9 p.m.



WHAT ARE BOTH PROGRAMS ABOUT AND WHICH ONE SHOULD I CHOOSE?

Music and Fun Summer Camp (29 June-12 July 2020)

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The program is focused as a cultural and linguistic immersion in the musical world along with sports, languages and leisure activities that balance the intensity of instrumental activity. It is open to all levels and is a great choice as a prelude of the Summer Camp programme for young artists.

The teachers of the summer camp are final year and former students of the School, all of whom are chosen according to the School's academic criteria. The supervisors, with a ratio of one supervisor for every eight students and all of them holders of the diploma on Leisure and Free Time, accompany and help students make them feel at home.

The programme divides students in groups. They spend half the day in our facilities for everything related to music and the other half at the Colegio Mayor Universitario San Pablo, where they take theoretical subjects, play sports and learn languages.

How do I know if this programme is for me?

The programme is designed for students who are beginning to play an instrument and those with an intermediate level that want to get immersed, for 14 days, in a unique musical and artistic environment while enjoying leisure and sports activities.

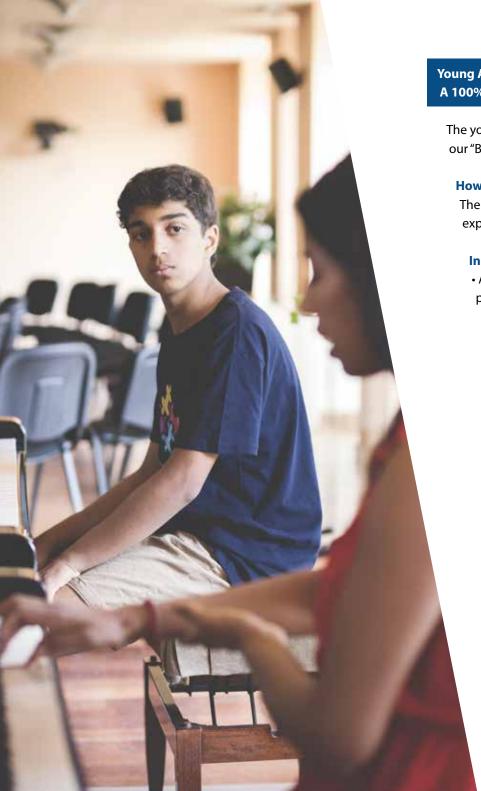
The programme by hours:

- **Eight hours of individual class** with the teacher of instrument technique. During this class, the teacher helps the student improve his technique by adapting to his level.
- **Sixteen hours of instrument practice** in individual booths. Therefore, the student can practice what he has learned or rehearse before class.
- **Eight hours of choir.** The group choir subject helps students work in harmony and brings cohesion to the group.



- Nine* hours of theoretical subjects of History of Music and Art, Ear Training, Harmony and History of Instruments and Organology.
- **Ten* hours of culture.** We organise several musical and cultural activities in order to create the right immersion atmosphere for the group. From visiting great museums and luthiers in Madrid to having the opportunity to attend closed-door rehearsals of the Santander Encounter of Music and Academy musicians as well as those of Madrid's Symphony Orchestra.
- Five* hours of languages. Students receive English or Spanish classes, depending on their mother tongue. Groups are divided by level.
- **Eight* hours of sports**: yoga, swimming, tennis or volleyball. It is a perfect way to relax before or after classes.
- **Leisure activities**: The programme is completed with leisure activities which take place mostly in Santander, where students enjoy their free time playing games as well as swimming, always under the watch of supervisors, thus helping strengthen the group. In addition, all students of the Full Campus have one hour of supervised leisure.
- **Weekend trip to Santander**: According to the calendar of the Santander Music and Academy Encounter, students visit the conservatory where rehearsals take place, they attend masterclasses and concerts of the Encounter's official programme.
- **Concert for parents**: Performance of the students at the end of the programme, to be held in the School's Sony Auditorium.

^{*}The length of the activities may vary due to organization needs.



Young Artists Summer Camp (13-26 July 2020) A 100% musical programme

The young artists summer camp is focused as a musical experience, comprising instrument technique, our "Building an Artist" masterclasses and chamber music.

How do I know if this programme is for me?

The programme is designed for students of intermediate and upper level with at least two years of experience playing an instrument. Candidates will be selected according to teachers' criteria.

In order to apply for the programme, we ask the student to send:

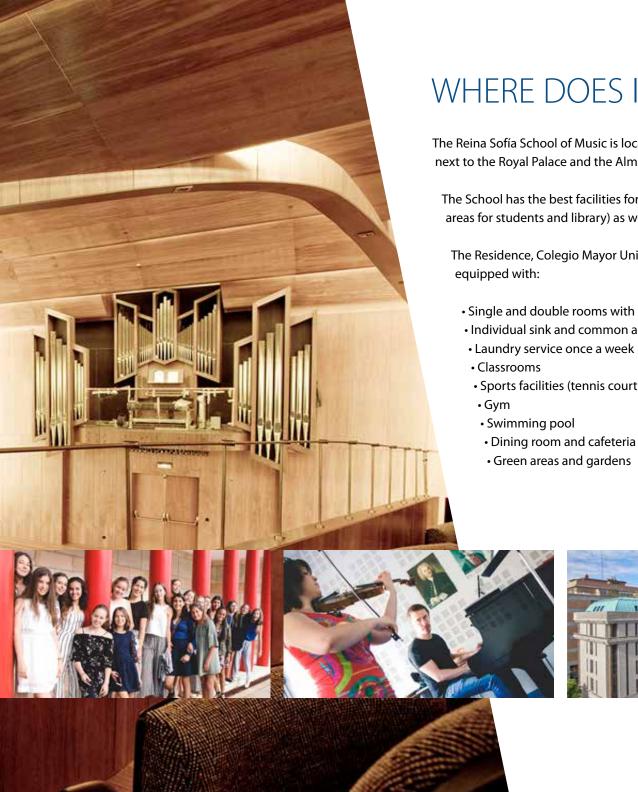
- A 5 to 10-minute video playing the instrument with which the student wishes to participate in the programme, sent through any file sharing platform (Dropbox, WeTransfer, etc.).
- A Curriculum Vitae detailing the musical training and experience.

The programme by hours:

- **Ten hours of individual class** with the teacher of instrument technique. During this class, the teacher helps the student improve his technique by adapting to his level.
- Two hours of attendance to classes of peers with the instrument technique teacher, to be chosen by the students.
- Thirty hours of practice in booths. Therefore, the student can practice what he has learned or rehearse before class.
- **Eight hours of chamber music classes**. During this class, different chamber music groups will have a joint class with the teacher.
- **Eight hours of chamber music practice**. Students will have one hour to rehearse before the class.
 - **Seven hours of masterclasses** offered by great professionals within the subject "Building an Artist".



- Storytelling or how to enter the professional world of music. During this class, students will learn about career opportunities in classical music as well as how to write a Curriculum Vitae.
- How to get ready for auditions, competitions and entrance exams, designed to teach our young artists prepare for challenges they will have to face.
- Rhythm workshop where different methodologies are used, including body percussion techniques, small percussion and voice.
- How to deal with stage fright: breathing exercises and steps to follow before going on stage.
- Preventing injuries: physical and mental health. Both physical and mental health are essential for professional musicians.
- The Alexander Technique: This technique is the art of making good use of our body, thus building trust and helping students relax their body and mind.
- The value of music within society. How can we contribute to society as musicians?
- Four* hours of culture. We organise several musical activities focused on the manufacture of instruments and attendance to rehearsals or meetings with great professionals.
- On the first Sunday, students will go on a field trip to a musical experience.
- **Concert for parents**: Performance of the chamber groups at the end of the programme, to be held in the School's Sony Auditorium.



WHERE DOES IT TAKE PLACE?

The Reina Sofía School of Music is located in the Plaza de Oriente square, a privileged spot in the heart of Madrid, next to the Royal Palace and the Almudena Cathedral.

The School has the best facilities for the study of music (perfectly equipped classrooms and rehearsal booths, areas for students and library) as well as a renowned Auditorium for rehearsals and concerts.

The Residence, Colegio Mayor Universitario San Pablo, is one of best youth residences in Madrid,

- Single and double rooms with air conditioning and Wi-Fi as well as wired connection
- Individual sink and common area with toilets and showers
- Sports facilities (tennis courts, paddle and multipurpose courts)













HOW IS A DAY LIKE IN THE MUSIC AND FUN SUMMER CAMP?

Depending on the group in which the student is placed, we take different shifts so that each student can make the most of our facilities and so that classes do not exceed 20 students per teacher.

07:30 Waking up and grooming *

08:30 Breakfast in the dining room of the Colegio Mayor San Pablo *

09:00 Transfer to the Reina Sofía School of Music by private bus

09:30 Arrival at the Reina Sofía School of Music for students of the Day Campus Classes begin!

- Individual instrument session with the teacher every day
- Instrument practice in booths
- Choir class

13:30 Transfer to the Colegio Mayor San Pablo by private bus

14:00 Swimming pool/Free time

14:30 Lunch in the dining room of the Colegio Mayor San Pablo

15:30 Break/Free time

16:30 Start of the afternoon activities

- Sports
- Languages
- Theoretical music classes
- Museum tours and cultural activities

21:00 Departure of students enrolled in the Day Campus

21:00 Dinner in the dining room of the Colegio Mayor San Pablo *

22:00 Evening group dynamics *

23:00 Time to sleep! Lights off *

NOTE: During the trip to Santander, the day will start between 08:00 and 09:00 in the morning.

NOTE: Class schedules may vary from morning to afternoon and vice versa, some classes will alternate depending on the day of the week.

^{*} Only for students of the Full Campus









HOW IS A DAY LIKE IN THE YOUNG ARTISTS SUMMER CAMP?

07:30 Waking up and grooming *

08:30 Breakfast in the dining room of the Colegio Mayor San Pablo * 09:00 Transfer to the Reina Sofía School of Music by private bus

09:30 Arrival at the Reina Sofía School of Music for students of the Day Campus Classes begin!

- 30-minute rehearsal before the beginning of classes
- Instrument class
- Option to attend class of another instrument of your choice
- Instrument practice in booths

14:00 Lunch

15:30 Break/Free Time

16:00 Start of the afternoon activities

- "Building an Artist" masterclasses
- Chamber group practice
- Chamber music class

20:00 Departure of students enrolled in the Day Campus

21:00 Dinner in the dining room of the Colegio Mayor San Pablo *

22:00 Free time *

23:00 Time to sleep! Lights off *

NOTE: During the field trip, the day will start at 10:00 in the morning.

NOTE: Class schedules may vary from morning to afternoon and vice versa, some classes will alternate depending on the day of the week.

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HOW MUCH DO THE PROGRAMMES COST?

The price of the Music and Fun Summer Camp is the same for both programmes.

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It includes all expenses during the stay in Madrid in the chosen modality as well as in Santander

for both Day and Full Campus *

TOTAL (Full Campus) 5,650 €

TOTAL (Day Campus**) 4,450 €

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*It does not include the round trip to countries of origin/destination in case of students coming from abroad, nor the transfer service from/to the airport.

Instrument rental is not included. We facilitate the rental of instruments for students who may request it.

^{**}There is also the possibility of choosing only 'Day Campus' without including dinner or accommodation.



HOW CAN I GET THE SCHOLARSHIP?

In order to obtain the scholarship covering the 40% of the cost of the programme, the student must submit the following information to summercamp@albeniz.com once the registration period is opened, specifying the program the candidate wants to participate in.

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- 1. Fill the application form **HERE**
- 2. A 2 to 10-minute video of the candidate playing the instrument with which he wishes to participate in the programme, sent through any file sharing platform (Dropbox, WeTransfer, etc.).
- 3. A cover letter of no more than 200 words, explaining why the candidate is interested in participating in the programme and what does he like about music and, specially, about his instrument.

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- 1. Fill the application form **HERE**
- 2. A Curriculum Vitae of the student, detailing the training background and experience (students will be selected based on our teachers' criteria).
- 3. A 5 to 10-minute video of the candidate playing the instrument with which he wishes to participate in the programme, sent through any file sharing platform (Dropbox, WeTransfer, etc.).
- 4. A cover letter of no more than 200 words, explaining why the candidate is interested in participating in the programme and what does he like about music and, specially, about his instrument.



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