

Guildhall Artist Masters Eligibility for Postgraduate Loan Schemes

Government-backed postgraduate loans are available to help Masters students towards the cost of their tuition fees and living expenses. The Guildhall Artist Masters was designed with flexible pathways, modes of study and exit points. Due to specific government requirements for the postgraduate loan scheme, not all of Guildhall's Masters level courses are eligible for funding. The courses listed below are currently eligible for the postgraduate funding schemes in SFE and SFW.

Eligible Programme/Pathway	Part 1, 2 or both	Mode of study	Exit Award
Guildhall Artist Masters of Music	Part 1 only	1 year full-time or 2 years part-time	MMus
Guildhall Artist Masters of Performance	Part 1 & Part 2	2 years full-time	MPerf
Guildhall Artist Masters of Performance	Part 1 & Part 2	3 years (2 year part time followed by 1 year full time)	MPerf/MComp
Guildhall Artist Masters of Composition	Part 1 & Part 2	2 years full-time	MComp
Extended Guildhall Artist Masters (intention at outset not to go to Part 2)	Grad Cert + Part 1	2 years full-time	MMus
Extended Guildhall Artist Masters (intention at outset not to go to Part 2)	Grad Cert & Part 1	3 years mixed (1 year full time followed by 2 years part time)	MMus

Guildhall Artist Masters- SFE & SFW

1. I plan to study Part 1 only (full-time), would this be eligible?

Yes. If you know that you wish to exit the programme with a MMus after Part 1 and do not wish to progress to Part 2 to gain a MPerf or MComp, this would be eligible.

2. I plan to study Part 1 only (part-time), would this be eligible?

Yes. Programmes of up to two years part-time study are eligible. If you know that you wish to exit the programme with a MMus after Part 1 and do not wish to progress to Part 2 to gain a MPerf or MComp, this would be eligible.

3. I plan to study both Part 1 and Part 2 (full-time), would this be eligible?

Yes. Programmes of up to two years full-time study are eligible.

4. I plan to study Part 1 (part-time) and Part 2 (full-time), would this be eligible?

Yes. Programmes the equivalent of two years full-time study are eligible.

Extended Guildhall Artist Masters - SFE & SFW

1. I plan to study Grad Cert + Part 1 only would this be eligible?

Yes. If you know that you wish to exit the programme with a MMus after Part 1 and do not wish to progress to Part 2 to gain a MPerf or MComp, this would be eligible.

Ineligible Programme/Pathway	Part 1, 2 or both	Mode of study	Exit Award
Extended Guildhall Artist Masters (length of study must not exceed 2 years FT)	Grad Cert, Part 1 and part 2	3 years f/t	MPerf/MComp
Extended Guildhall Artist Masters (length of study must not exceed 2 years FT)	Grad Cert, Part 1 and Part 2	4 years mixed (1 year f/t, 2 years part time and then 1 year full time)	MPerf/MComp

Extended Guildhall Artist Masters - SFE & SFW

1. I plan to study Grad Cert + Part 1 and Part 2, would this be eligible?

NO. This is because programmes more than two years full time (or part-time equivalent) are not eligible.

[Student Finance NI:](#)

Postgraduate Masters funding is available for courses up to three years' duration. Full details are available on the [Student Finance NI website](#).

[Student Awards Agency Scotland:](#)

Funding from Student Awards Agency Scotland is only available for courses studied in outside of Scotland if the course is not available in Scotland. Students should contact Student Awards Agency for Scotland to see if their course may be eligible.