



AUDITIONS 2025

Registrations for the ASPIRE 2025 auditions are now open for current students from Year 4 to Year 12. The auditions will be held at the Newcastle Convention and Exhibition Centre NEX, King St Newcastle (Wests Newcastle).

Registrations for auditions close on Friday 27 September 2024. Once we receive your registration, you will receive all relevant audition information during the first week of the holidays. This will include the audition dates and times.

ENSEMBLES

DRAMA AUDITION

Monday 28 October and
Tuesday 29 October 2024

The drama auditions are comprised of a half hour workshop comprising of a series of drama exercises in movement, voice, character work and devising (creating short scenes). Students will also be required to prepare a short one-minute monologue. A list of topics for Junior applicants will be on the ASPIRE website from Week 7 of Term 3, whilst Senior applicants will be required to source a monologue of their choice.

DANCE AUDITION

Wednesday 30 October 2024

The audition is entirely workshop based. You will be taken through some skills-based exercises before learning some new choreography. You may have an opportunity to add your own choreography so it's a good idea to have some ideas ready about what you might like to do.

INSTRUMENTAL AUDITION

Wednesday 30 October 2024

All instrumental auditions are 10 minutes. You are required to prepare a short piece that you feel shows your ability. After performing your piece for the panel, you will either be given some music to sight read then asked to perform scales on your instrument or asked to improvise a melody whilst accompanied by another instrument.

VOCAL AUDITION

Thursday 31 October 2024

For the one-hour vocal audition, you will be placed in a group of up to 20 students of similar age. The first part of the audition will comprise of learning a new song as a group and some simple movement to go with it. This allows us to see how well you pick up new music, lyrics and movement and place them together. In the second half of the audition, everyone will be required to sing the first verse and chorus of one of the ten selected songs. The list of songs will be available on the ASPIRE website at the end of term 3. You will be required to sing with the backing track (we provide). A link will be provided to each applicant so they can practice.

2025 ASPIRE AUDITION FORM



1. Follow the link or scan the QR code: <http://mn.shor.tn/ASPIREAuditions>
2. Fill in the form to apply