

SAFARICOM YOUTH ORCHESTRA 2023 AUDITION APPLICATION FORM

A. Notes and guidelines

- Essential requirements for candidates:
 - The applicant should be aged between 10-17 years on or before December 31, 2023. Applicants who are aged over 17 years but still in High School are eligible to apply.
 - The applicants should be Kenyan Citizens and/or Residents in Kenya planning to remain in the country for a minimum of two years from March 2023.
 - The applicant should have previous experience in performing music.
 - The applicant should be able to commit adequate time to attend WEEKLY Safaricom Youth Orchestra rehearsals and regular individual music practice.
 - The applicant should provide a reference from their music teacher.

Additional requirements (these carry less weight in your application):

- The applicant should be able to play any chosen instrument. *
- The applicant should be able to read music.
- The applicant should have knowledge of music theory.

In addition to the chosen instrument, applicants are encouraged to bring and demonstrate their ability on any other instruments they play. Students who play traditional instruments in addition to their chosen instrument are welcome. Students who play, or are willing to play, rare instruments such as Oboe, Viola, Bassoon, Cello & Double Bass are especially encouraged to audition.

- This form must be duly signed by the applicant and parent/guardian and returned to the contacts below by 31st March 2023.
- Audition requirements:

In addition to the application form, all applicants are required to record and submit two pieces of music with different styles/musical periods:

- The recording should be a 2-3 minute video.
- The recording must have good sound quality and a clear image of the applicant playing their instrument.

B. Personal particulars of applicant

Name:	
Sex:	Age:
Date of Birth:	
Address:	
Email:	
Telephone (Home):	
Mobile:	
Name of School:	
Address:	
Telephone:	
Class/Level:	
County:	

(*) Chosen instrument can be any of the following:

Flute, Oboe, Clarinet, Bassoon, Saxophone, Horn, Trumpet, Cornet, Trombone, Euphonium, Tuba, Orchestral Percussion, Violin, Viola, Cello, Double Bass

C. Musical attainment/qualification (this section refers to your chosen instrument)

Musical instrument:		
Year(s) of study:		
Certification (e.g. ABRSM, KMF, etc.):		
Instrument/Theory	Grade level	Result date
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Band/Choir/Orchestra:		
Position/Voice Part:		Period:

D. Do you play any other instruments? Please provide information on a separate sheet and your level/experience in them.

E. This form MUST be signed by a parent/guardian

Name of parent/guardian:	
Relationship with applicant:	
ID Number:	
Occupation:	
Place of work:	
Telephone (Mobile):	
Office:	
Home:	
I hereby give my consent for: _____	
to attend auditions and participate in the Safaricom Youth Orchestra of Kenya.	
Signature:	Date:

F. I declare that the information I have provided in this form is correct, and I understand that any false information will disqualify me as an eligible applicant.

Signature:	Date:
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Applications without copies of proofs/results will not be considered.

If you download the form or receive it by email, it must be printed, signed and posted or delivered to the contact below:

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