

# Girl Choristers – Application Form



Auditions will be held by appointment during January 2024, and Mr James Anderson-Besant is very happy to give applicants a pre-audition at a mutually agreed time.

Scholarships to the value of a 25% reduction in fees will be awarded to successful candidates. Additional means-tested bursaries are also available and the aim is that selection will be based solely on musical and academic potential, not financial background. If you require a Means-Tested Bursary application form, please download a copy from

<http://www.truroschool.com/joining-truro-school/financial-assistance/>

Surname:	
Given names:	
Date of birth:	
Name of singing teacher (if applicable):	

*Please provide a written reference letter from your Singing/Instrumental or Music Teacher. Please ask him/her to comment on your suitability to hold a Truro Cathedral choristership, both musically and in terms of discipline, responsibility, and time-keeping.*

**All applicants are required to sing a solo song, preferably from the ABRSM Grade 4 syllabus or higher, but not necessarily. An accompanist will be provided.**

Details of chosen song	
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## Instrumental and Singing examinations undertaken:

	First instrument	Second instrument	Third instrument
Name of Instrument (or voice)			
For how long have lessons been taken?			
Last grade examination detail (grade, date, mark)			
Approximate grade (if no exams taken)			

## Latest Music Theory examination undertaken:

Grade	Date	Mark

**Please briefly outline your choral/singing experience to date:**

**Please indicate if you have had any vocal difficulties in the past, and give details if applicable:**

**Signed**

..... **Parent name**.....

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**Forms should be returned, by Wednesday 13 December 2023, to :** [admissions@truroschool.com](mailto:admissions@truroschool.com)  
Admissions, Truro School. Trennick Lane, Truro, TR1 1TH, Cornwall

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