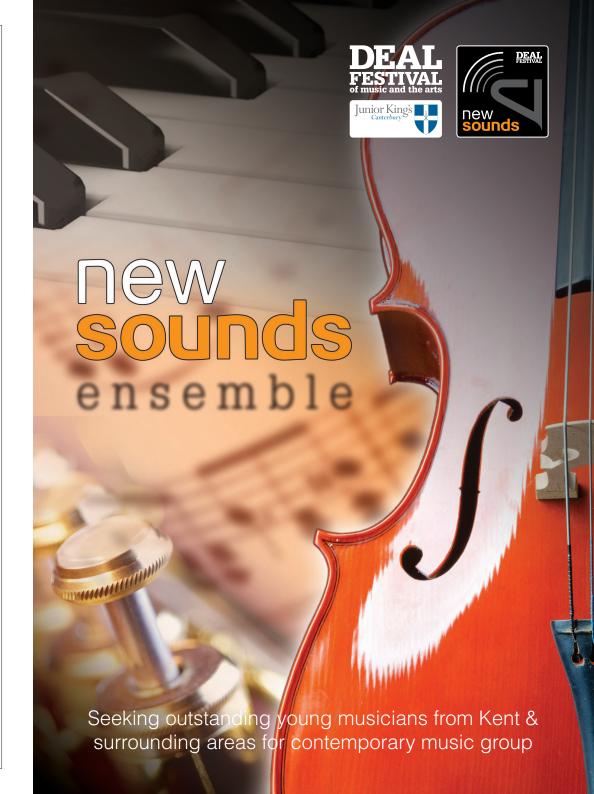
APPLICATION FORM: The completed form should be sent to Deal Festival, New Sounds Application, 49 Barton Mill Road, Canterbury CT1 1BP or scanned and emailed to **dealfestivaleducation1@gmail.com** by 15th December 2017. Please complete in BLOCK CAPITALS. Full name of applicant: Consenting parent or legal guardian (If applicant is under 18 years old) Name: Signature: Address of applicant: _____ Email Address: Emergency Telephone Number: Mobile Phone Number: _____ Instrument: _____ Ability/Level/Grade: _____ School/College/University/Occupation: Any Special Educational Needs, disabilities, or medical needs we should be aware of? For applicants with a low income we may be able to assist with travel expenses. Please tick if you wish for us to be in touch about this \square I give photo/video consent to Deal Festival for evaluation / marketing purposes □YES □NO I would like to be given options about local accommodation in East Kent for this course YES NO **Personal statement.** Please state anything else you wish us to know about yourself when considering your application: _ Ethnicity White ☐ British ☐ Irish ☐ Other ☐ Bangladeshi Asian/Asian British ☐ Indian ☐ Pakistani □ Other Black/Black British ☐ African ☐ Caribbean □ Other ☐ Other Mixed ☐ White & Black Caribbean ☐ White & Asian ☐ White & Black African Mixed Other Fthnic ☐ Chinese □ Other



NEW SOUNDS ENSEMBLE

The New Sounds Ensemble is a new bespoke music group led by Deal Festival, which combines internationally acclaimed professional musicians with outstanding young musicians. The ensemble will focus on rehearsing and performing contemporary music, whilst providing mentoring and professional development for young musicians.

Leadership from Musical Directors Michael Foyle and Maksim Štšura, together with mentoring from exceptional professional musicians.

The New Sounds Ensemble will meet for the first time in March 2018.

We are looking for outstanding young musicians to join the ensemble in March 2018, and to commit to performances at other Deal Festival concerts in coming months and years.

For more information, please contact: Deal Festival Education Administrator: dealfestivaleducation1@gmail.com or 07927 781 536





NEW SOUNDS ENSEMBLE SPRING COURSE:

Dates: Saturday 24th / Sunday 25th March 2018

Venue: Junior King's Canterbury

Address: The Junior King's School, Milner Court, Sturry,

Canterbury, Kent, CT2 0AY

Times: Saturday 10am - 5pm

Sunday 10am – 3pm

Sunday 3.30pm performance at Junior King's School Recital Room

CRITERIA FOR YOUNG MUSICIANS:

- Grade 8+ (or equivalent) musician
- Aged between 13 and 25 years old, showing a commitment to...
 - investigating interesting musical repertoire, especially contemporary music
 - further work with Deal Festival 2018 and beyond
 - pursuing a professional musical or musically related career or with the intention of maintaining a purposeful musical dimension to personal activity beyond education

Likely instrumentalist positions required (list not fixed):

Flute	Oboe	Clarinet	Bassoon
French Horn	Trombone	Trumpet	Tuba
Percussion	Timbales	Electric Guitar	Synthesizer
Violin	Viola x 2	Double Bass	Electronic Music

APPLICATION PROCESS:

- Please fill in the application form overleaf (signed by a parent/carer, if under 18 years) and scan / email to our Education Assistant via dealfestivaleducation1@gmail.com or via post to Deal Festival, New Sounds Application, 49 Barton Mill Road, Canterbury CTI IBP
- Send a short audio or video of yourself playing your instrument (for example, recorded on your smart phone) with two examples of short contrasting pieces / studies, to our Education Assistant: dealfestivaleducation1@gmail.com
- As appropriate and as necessary we may meet with individuals, and will be in touch if this is the case
- Musicians must commit to learning the music in advance of the weekend, which will be sent 2 months in advance
- Musicians must have availability for the full weekend of Saturday 24th & Sunday 25th March 2018, and be available for a rehearsal and performance in early July (likely Monday 9th July 2018)
- Deal Festival will select musicians on the above criteria and will notify all applicants of their application status
- Deadline for applications: 15th December 2017