Remote Audition Guidelines

BMus (Hons) Popular Music Performance (Vocals)

Please record all the videos below for your remote submission.

Your prepared performance (1 video)

• Please record two songs to perform that you feel comfortable singing. The songs must be contrasting styles e.g. pop, jazz, blues, soul, punk, rock. A verse and a chorus will be enough and you can either perform to a backing track or accompany yourself

Vocal skills - technique (1 video)

We would like you to demonstrate the following:

- Major & minor scales
- Intervals within one octave
- With the 'Lean on Me' Bill Withers backing track, please improvise a harmony over the original melody
- Sing a phrase, lick or exercise of your choice to a metronome

Theory & Sight Reading (1 video)

• We would like you to work through the attached theory and sight-reading exercises in one recorded take. Please do not worry if your theory knowledge is limited. We offer a practitioner support scheme to those who need to brush up their theory in the first year of their course

Making and submitting your videos

Your videos don't have to be recorded and edited professionally. Recordings using smart phones/tablets and laptops are suitable as long as the audio/video quality is clear and we can see a clear body shot.

Please upload your videos to a platform like youtube, dropbox or vimeo and send via one email to submissions@bimm.ac.uk using the submission form provided in your booking confirmation email.

