

ORCHESTRAS

5.02 OPEN ORCHESTRA

Open to regional, local or community orchestras and orchestras based in schools of music.

Minimum players: 15. The following instruments are essential – first violins, second violins, third violins or violas, cellos. All other orchestral instruments are optional.

1st Prize: Cup and certificate

2nd Prize: Certificate

Entrance: €70

Test: Contrasting pieces of own choice. Playing time not to exceed 15 minutes.
A proportion of the marks will be given for the musical value of pieces selected
NB: Competitors may not play in more than one orchestra.

5.03 PRIMARY SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The Peter Killian Cup, *presented by the Post-Primary Music Teachers Association*. Confined to schools.

Minimum players: 15. The following instruments are essential – first violins, second violins, third violins or violas, cellos. All other orchestral instruments are optional.

1st Prize: Cup and certificate to conductor

2nd Prize: Certificate

Entrance: €70

Test: Contrasting pieces of own choice. Playing time not to exceed 15 minutes.
A proportion of the marks will be given for the musical value of pieces selected.
NB: Orchestra members must be registered students of the school represented.

5.04 POST-PRIMARY SCHOOL ORCHESTRA

The Dorothy Mayer Foundation Cup, *presented by Ceol Chumann na nÓg*.

Minimum players: 15. The following instruments are essential – first violins, second violins, third violins or violas, cellos. All other orchestral instruments are optional.

1st Prize: Cup and certificate to conductor

2nd Prize: Certificate

Entrance: €70

Test: Contrasting pieces of own choice. Playing time not to exceed 15 minutes.
A proportion of the marks will be given for the musical value of pieces selected.
NB: Orchestra members must be registered students of the school represented.