

**ROCK
STEADY**

TRINITY QUALIFICATION



MUSIC PERFORMANCE IN BANDS INFORMATION



The official Ofqual regulated 'Music Performance in Bands' qualification is accredited by Trinity College London and exclusively delivered by Rocksteady.

What is the qualification and who is it for?

It's an exam and pressure free music qualification, which your child gains by learning at their own pace in their weekly Rocksteady lessons as part of your subscription.

Your child's band leader follows their progress in lessons and performances, and assesses that they have built up enough skills to be awarded the qualification.

The skills covered include **instrument**, **musicianship** and **performance** skills within a band setting.

The qualification is open to all pupils from Reception to Year 6 who have been with Rocksteady for more than one term, and it is a celebration of their musical journey so far.

If your child is younger and has recently enrolled Rocksteady lessons, they will have already started to build up their **musical skills** in preparation for progressing towards this new qualification when they are eligible.

HOW DOES GRADING WORK?



There are four grades of qualification which are available. The level your child receives will depend on how long your child has been with Rocksteady and their experience level. This official qualification is a great way to celebrate all their achievements, no matter what stage they are at and complements the additional benefits to confidence, wellbeing and social skills that children enjoying as part of the programme.

There are four different grades to the qualification:

- **Pre-initial**
- **Initial**
- **Grade 1**
- **Grade 2**
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Each grade has slightly different learning and assessment criteria.

To find out more visit: [Music Performance in Bands Qualification Resource](#)