

2020 Practical Examinations – Dates

METRO - GRADES (Preliminary, 1 to 8, Certificate)				
Examination session	Online enrolment opening dates	Closing dates Mondays	Examination dates	Last date for 50% refund
06 Metro – first session (Incl Speech & Drama, Harp, Organ and Accordion) Sydney Metro - ALL postcodes (including Penrith) Percussion – Sydney only	28 Jan	2 Mar (9 Mar NESA schools)	27 Apr – 13 Jun (major venues) 27 Apr – 6 Jun (private studios)	9 Mar 9 Mar
	28 Jan	2 Mar	27 Apr – 13 Jun	9 Mar
	All period-to-period transfers close 22 Jun			
03 Metro Music – second session Sydney Metro (including Penrith) Period 1 2000 – 2071 postcodes Period 2 2072 – 2112 postcodes Period 3 2113 – 2143 postcodes Period 4 2144 – 2200 postcodes Period 5 2201 – 2999 postcodes	23 Mar	22 Jun	15 Aug – 5 Sep	29 Jun
	23 Mar	6 Jul	29 Aug – 26 Sep	13 Jul
	23 Mar	17 Aug	10 Oct – 31 Oct	24 Aug
	23 Mar	31 Aug	24 Oct – 14 Nov	7 Sep
	23 Mar	14 Sep	7 Nov – 5 Dec	21 Sep
	All period-to-period transfers close 6 Jul			
30 Accordion, Harp, Organ	23 Mar	17 Aug	10 Oct – 24 Oct	24 Aug
10 Metro Speech & Drama – second session Period 1 2000 – 2109 postcodes Period 2 2110 – 2180 postcodes Period 3 2181 – 2999 postcodes (including Wollongong and Newcastle, subject to sufficient enrolments)	23 Mar	6 Jul	29 Aug – 26 Sep	13 Jul
	23 Mar	17 Aug	10 Oct – 7 Nov	24 Aug
	23 Mar	14 Sep	7 Nov – 5 Dec	21 Sep
	All period-to-period transfers close 6 Jul			
09 CPM and Percussion session	23 Mar	24 Aug	17 Oct – 5 Dec	31 Aug

METRO - DIPLOMAS (including AMusA and LMusA)				
Examination session	Online enrolment opening dates	Closing dates Mondays	Examination dates	Last date for 50% refund
06 Metro – first session (all instruments plus Speech & Drama)	28 Jan	2 Mar	27 Apr – 13 Jun	9 Mar
04 Music Diploma session (all instruments including accordion, harp, organ and percussion) LMusA, LTMusA AMusA, ATMusA	23 Mar	13 Jul	19 Sep – 31 Oct	27 Jul
	23 Mar	13 Jul	19 Sep – 10 Oct	27 Jul
10 Metro Speech & Drama – second session Period 1 2000 – 2109 postcodes Period 2 2110 – 2180 postcodes Period 3 2181 – 2999 postcodes	All period-to-period transfers close 6 Jul			
	23 Mar	6 Jul	29 Aug – 26 Sep	13 Jul
	23 Mar	17 Aug	10 Oct – 7 Nov	24 Aug
	23 Mar	14 Sep	7 Nov – 5 Dec	21 Sep

ROCKSCHOOL				
Examination session	Online enrolment opening dates	Closing dates Mondays	Examination dates	Last date for 50% refund
80 Rockscool First Session	28 Jan	2 March	27 Apr - 13 Jun	9 Mar
85 Rockscool Second Session	23 Mar	17 Aug	10 Oct – 28 Nov	24 Aug

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REGIONAL					
Examination session	Online enrolment opening dates	Closing dates Mondays	Examination dates	Last date for 50% refund	
02 Regional – first session (Incl AMusA if sufficient numbers) Period 1 Central Coast, Canberra & Sth Coast Period 2 Newcastle, Maitland Period 3 Wollongong Period 4 North, North Coast, West, South	28 Jan	13 Apr	15 Jun – 4 Jul	27 Apr	
	28 Jan	27 Apr	29 Jun – 18 Jul	11 May	
	28 Jan	27 Apr	1 Jul – 10 Jul	13 May	
	28 Jan	18 May	20 July – 19 Aug	1 Jun	
08 Regional – second session (Piano and Speech & Drama grades only) Period 1 Wollongong Period 2 Canberra Period 3 Newcastle/Central Coast	23 Mar	27 Jul	28 Sep – 2 Oct	10 Aug	
	23 Mar	24 Aug	26 Oct – 30 Oct	7 Sep	
	23 Mar	31 Aug	31 Oct – 7 Nov	14 Sep	

2020 Written Examinations – Dates

WRITTEN				
Examination session	Online enrolment opening date	Closing date	Examination dates	Last date for 50% refund
05 - Speech and Performance Theory	23 Mar	29 Jun	19 Aug	20 July
50 - Diploma (On Application)	28 Jan	24 Aug	minimum 8 weeks after enrolment, exam must be completed by 5 Oct	N/A
55 - Grades 1 to 6 (Theory On Application) min 10 candidates metro, 5 candidates regional	28 Jan	24 Aug	minimum 8 weeks after enrolment, exam must be completed by 5 Oct	N/A
90 - Online written	always open	always open	any day	N/A
Music Craft Grades 5 & 6	Please contact the AMEB (NSW) office			

THINGS TO NOTE

- **SATURDAY EXAMS ARE NOT GUARANTEED.** When enrolling, please note weekdays to avoid.
- AMEB exams may be scheduled during school holidays and on long weekends that fall within the exam period. Check if a student will be away during these times and note any dates they cannot do their exams when completing their enrolment.
- A late fee of \$60 per candidate, per exam will be charged for enrolments received after the closing date.
- Closing dates and exam dates based on postcode periods use the postcode of the enrolling person's residential address.
- It is not possible under any circumstances to transfer a student's exam from one year to the next.
- Exams in Wollongong are only available for enrollers who live south of Waterfall.
- AMEB (NSW) holds exams on weekdays and Saturdays, but not on Sundays.