

How to Apply to Help Musicians Skills & Professional Development Fund

+ fund your place inside Home Recording Academy

1 Check that you and your project are eligible for funding

- Download the application guidelines from the Skills & Professional Development page on the Help Musicians website.
- Read all the eligibility details carefully.
- Make sure you're clear on exactly what you're applying for funding for and that it meets the criteria.

2 Contact Help Musicians for advice

- Help Musicians have designated staff members who are ready to chat through your application with you over the phone or via email.
- There are contact details on both the Skills & Professional Development page and the application guidance and form.
- It can help to read through the entire application form before speaking with Help Musicians so they can answer all your questions about this too.

3 Fill out the application at <https://helpmusicians.org.uk> making sure to target your answers to each question

- Make sure you've understood each question and highlight key words that will help you focus your answers.
- Get clear on the information you need to share and what you can leave out.
- Draft your answers in a separate document before submitting your final application.
- Follow up with Help Musicians if you have any further questions before submitting.

NO.1 Mistake To Avoid

Not demonstrating both the short & long term impact of the activity you want funding for.