



### Musical aptitude places at E-ACT Ousedale School Year 7 September 2027

For September 2027 entry there will be **up to 36** Year 7 places available at E-ACT Ousedale School for students who live outside the school's defined area and can demonstrate an aptitude for music, dependent on how many places remain after over-subscription criteria 1-3 have been applied. These places recognise a tradition of musical expertise and success at Ousedale over many years and the continuing development of music provision at the school with enhanced and improved specialist facilities. Should you wish to apply for a musical aptitude place at one of Milton Keynes' most successful and consistently over-subscribed schools you must register for your son/daughter to take the aptitude assessment.

Details, including how to register to take the musical aptitude assessment, are on the school website [www.ousedale.org.uk](http://www.ousedale.org.uk) under Admissions. Applications to take the assessment must be received by mid-day Monday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2026.

Electronic submissions will have receipt of application acknowledged by email and further details regarding the aptitude test will be sent after the closing date.

We look forward to seeing as many of you as possible on the assessment day scheduled for Monday 5<sup>th</sup> October 2026; no prior musical knowledge or experience of playing an instrument is necessary.