



## CREATING **WORKING ARTISTS**

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# PERFORMING ARTS

## AUDITION FORM

NQF4 Further Education and Training  
Certificate: Performing Arts (SAQA ID: 48808)

# STUDENT PROFILE | APPLICATION GUIDELINES

Criteria for admission into COPA full-time programmes

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It is a requirement for all COPA full-time students to be able to speak and write English.

## **NQF4 Further Education and Training Certificate (SAQA ID: 48808) - Course duration : 1 year**

- Minimum age 17 in the year the course commences.
- There is an upper age limit of 25 for study at this level.
- The ideal applicant for this course will have a minimum of Grade 11 in school or an equivalent qualification.
- The average applicant will usually have 1-2 years' experience in their discipline.
- The applicant must successfully complete the relevant audition.

COPA collects information about you on this form to ensure that you are placed on the correct course. All information is treated as confidential and will not be disclosed to third parties.

## SECTION ONE

All applicants are required to complete the following:

1.1 Tell us about YOU - please complete all sections.

Surname: \_\_\_\_\_ First name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Postal code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home tel: \_\_\_\_\_ Cellphone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth: **DD / MM / YY** Gender: Male  Female

Highest grade achieved: \_\_\_\_\_ Nationality: \_\_\_\_\_

Country of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

1.2 Year of Study (e.g. 2016): \_\_\_\_\_ Campus: JHB  PTA  CPT  DBN

1.3 Previous musical education:

1st Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade\* : 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Awarding Body: \_\_\_\_\_

2nd Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade\* : 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Awarding Body: \_\_\_\_\_

Music Theory: Grade\* 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 Awarding Body: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*if applicable*

None

1.4 Please supply any additional information about yourself that may support your application to study at COPA (i.e. related experience in bands, song writing, studio recording and performance). Continue on a separate sheet if necessary.

1.5 Any particular learning requirements for which you will need additional support in your time at COPA. Please note: this question provides our support staff with the information required to provide any support that may be available to you and will not adversely affect your application.

- Dyslexia     Speech & language difficulties     Reading difficulties  
 Hearing impairment     Wheelchair use     Visual impairment  
 ADHH / ADD     Autistic Spectrum Disorder / Asperger's Syndrome  
 Mental / emotional health issues (incl. depression and bi-polar disorder)  
 Tourette's     Diabetes     Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been given dispensation (e.g. extra time in exams) whilst at school or college?

- Yes     No

1.6 How did you first hear about COPA? (Please tick one box only)

- COPA website     Google search     Facebook     Twitter     Instagram  
 Career expo  
 Music shop (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Referred by friend (please provide a name): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other (please specify): \_\_\_\_\_

## SECTION TWO

All applicants are required to complete the following: (Please continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

2.1 Discuss your relevant musical experiences so far and explain how they have helped you to develop as a performing artist.

2.2 Who has influenced and inspired your abilities to date and why?

2.3 What do you hope to gain from this course and what do you believe we will expect from you?

2.4 Discuss your strengths and weaknesses as a performing artist.

2.5 List your top three music genres, beginning with your favourite. Please be as specific as possible.

## SECTION THREE

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If you choose to record your audition, please introduce each exercise on the recording and where appropriate explain which example you are performing. Please record all exercises in the correct order, and ONLY record the exercises relevant to the level you are applying for.

### PLEASE NOTE

The musical component of this audition can be done on bass guitar, drums, guitar, keyboard or vocals.

Instrument of Choice: \_\_\_\_\_

3.1 The applicant must play 2 tracks of their choosing (one of which may be a solo).

3.1.1 Track 1 Title: \_\_\_\_\_

*Comments:*

3.1.2 Track 2 Title: \_\_\_\_\_

*Comments:*

3.2 General: \_\_\_\_\_

*Comments:*

## SECTION 5

I declare that, to the best of my knowledge, the information I have submitted is true and correct. Any recordings which I have submitted are my own work.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### CHECK SHEET

Before returning your Audition form to us, please use the following check sheet to ensure you have completed all the necessary sections:

SECTION	DETAILS
<input type="checkbox"/> 1	All applicants to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> 2	All applicants to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> 3	All applicants to complete
<input type="checkbox"/> 4	All applicants to complete

### PLEASE NOTE

This is not an enrollment form. Our team will carefully consider your application and may ask you to attend an interview. If you are accepted into a course you will receive an acceptance letter offering you a place in the relevant course. You will also receive instructions on how to complete the enrollment process. You are only a COPA student once enrolled.

Please ensure that you have answered ALL relevant questions as fully as possible in order to avoid delay in processing your application.

This completed form must accompany you to your live audition or alternatively be mailed to the relevant COPA branch with all the recorded tracks attached. Our admin team will notify you of the outcome of your audition. If successful you will be offered a place in the relevant course.

If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us at:

#### COPA JHB

(011) 622-7253 | adminjhb@copasa.co.za

#### COPA PTA

(012) 348-5877 | adminpta@copasa.co.za

#### COPA CPT

(021) 418-0953 | admincpt@copasa.co.za

#### COPA DBN

(031) 303-7701 | admindbn@copasa.co.za

FOR ADMIN USE ONLY:

Audition done by: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

The applicant can enter into (Tick the relevant box):

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Additional comments: