

DETAILS AND REQUIREMENTS OF PARTICIPATING ENSEMBLES

See the ensembles' websites for their concert programmes and other information.

PLYMOUTH PHILHARMONIC CHOIR

Rehearsal schedule	Rehearsals are on Thursdays, 7.15-9.30pm in Plymouth College, Mutley, Plymouth
Number of internship places	5
Voice categories	Soprano, Alto, Tenor, Bass
Expectations as to standard	Minimum grade 5 standard, and/or recommendation from music teacher.
Minimum age requirement	16
Selection process	Invitation to rehearsal on a trial basis, then interview and short audition
Further information	The intern would be required to attend at least 75% of the rehearsals for the concert. Plymouth Philharmonic choir performs large-scale works from the classical vocal repertoire, usually with professional orchestra, and with professional soloists.
Contact Person	See website

SOUTH WEST CHAMBER CHOIR

Rehearsal schedule	Wednesday evenings 7.30 pm in the Chapel at University of St Mark & St John, Derriford
Number of internship places	3
Voice categories	Any
Expectations as to standard	Must have basic music reading ability and be able to follow and hold a line.
Minimum age requirement	16
Selection process	Audition or recommendation and trial rehearsals.
Further information	SWCC performances are generally a cappella so voice blending and harmony are very important. Style: Mixed 16th– 21stC (but unlikely to be rock/ gospel/ country).
Contact Person	See website

PLYMOUTH SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Rehearsal schedule	Monday evenings 7:00 – 9:30pm at Marjon – details on website
Number of internship places	Open
Instrument categories	Any instrument
Expectations as to standard	Grade 8 or very close
Minimum age requirement	None
Selection process	Three trial rehearsals in situ
Further information	See website
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