

# JOIN THE AUSTRALIAN YOUTH ORCHESTRA IN 2022

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## **AYO INSTRUMENTAL PROGRAMS**

AYO is a place for young musicians from all over Australia to come together to create music, learn from each other, study and perform. Our training pathway has been created to nurture the musical development of Australia's aspiring young instrumentalists: from the emerging, school-aged student, to those on the verge of a professional career.

## **AYO ARTS ADMINISTRATION & COMPOSITION PROGRAMS**

It takes more than the musicians on stage to bring a performance to life. Step behind the scenes to discover AYO's opportunities for aspiring arts administrators, music journalists, composers and sound engineers.

### **AYO YOUNG SYMPHONISTS** **Age 12–17**

Start your AYO journey here. Practise and perform with other young musicians from around Australia for an immersive, intensive week of music.

### **AUSTRALIAN YOUTH ORCHESTRA**

**Age 25 and under**  
Play with the internationally renowned flagship ensemble in a challenging and rewarding setting.

### **COMPOSITION** **Age 16–30**

Refine your composition skills and create an orchestral masterpiece.

### **WORDS ABOUT MUSIC** **Age 18–30**

Share your passion for music through the written word.

### **AYO NATIONAL MUSIC CAMP** **Age 14–22**

The highlight of the year for many young Australian musicians, gather with your peers and enjoy this intensive fortnight of orchestral music making.

### **AYO ORCHESTRAL CAREER DEVELOPMENT** **Age 18–25**

Gain unique access to life in a professional orchestra.

### **SOUND PRODUCTION** **Age 18–30**

Learn the skills required to become an experienced sound engineer.

### **AYO ORCHESTRAL MANAGEMENT** **Age 18–28**

Take a peek backstage to learn how an orchestra runs.

### **AYO CHAMBER PLAYERS** **Age 18–28**

Study chamber music in residence with leading professional ensembles.

String auditions are due by **Tuesday 14 September**  
All other auditions are due by **Thursday 16 September**  
Portfolios are due by **Thursday 16 September**