

### Trinity Champion Centre Drama/Music brief 2021 - 2022

The Trinity Champion Centre programme aims to highlight the exciting work of Trinity centres and promote Trinity exams across the UK and Ireland.

#### **What are Trinity Champion Centres?**

Trinity Champion Centres inspire existing and potential centres by sharing their practice and advocating for the qualifications in their communities and more widely. In return, we celebrate their achievements, profile their success and promote their work as part of our support offer to teachers and centres.

Champion Centres are recognised by Trinity for their successful delivery of our qualifications. Ways in which this success could be demonstrated include: strong exam results; an exciting programme of performance events impact on learners; or innovation in the performing arts. Their status will be recognised by Trinity through the award of a certificate and logo, with opportunities to showcase their creative offer throughout the year – for instance in case studies, blogs and marketing campaigns.

## What are we looking for in a Drama/Music Trinity Champion Centre?

- ▶ plans to book a Drama or Music exam between April 2021 March 2022
- a current Trinity Drama or Music offer and at least one previous successful exam session
- a notable approach to delivering Trinity's performing arts qualifications (this could include delivering with large groups, offering progression for learners through different exam grades, offering more than one Trinity qualification, digital/remote delivery, working with vulnerable people etc.)
- evidence of the positive impact your performing arts offer has on the learners who participate
- nomination of a lead and secondary contact for your centre
- willingness to collaborate with Trinity College London

We are particularly interested in hearing from centres that offer more than one Trinity College London qualification.

## **Trinity Champion Centre brief**

Champion Centres are expected to deliver Trinity College London's performing arts qualifications. They may be centres who only started delivering recently, or those with a track record. By applying to become a Trinity Champion Centre you are agreeing to be added to a pool of centres that Trinity will ask for support with other activities throughout the year. We could ask for support in the following areas:



- contribution towards Trinity's subject blogs with a guest post, or by providing quotes about your offer
- press and advocacy work with Trinity and our partners where appropriate (e.g. providing quotes, taking part in photo-shoots/filming including students/young people participating, parental permission allowing)
- offer guidance to other centres in your area (as requested by Trinity College London)
- appearing as a guest presenter on one of our webinars
- participation in consultation/evaluations/focus groups as appropriate
- attending networking events in your area, to generate interest and excitement for our qualifications

Successful applicants will receive the status of being a Trinity Champion Centre, a logo and personalised certificate. Their status will be rolling, and as such will be reissued with an updated logo and certificate at the end of each financial year. Exceptions to this will be centres that; discontinue their delivery of Trinity qualifications, do not engage with any of the activities outlined above and/or if any issues arise with the centre. Trinity College London reserves the right to terminate the agreement with the centre at any stage.

Overall the role of a Trinity Champion Centre does not offer any funding however, there will be a fund that Trinity Champion Centres can make a maximum of one bid per year to. This money can be used to fund a relevant activity such as a celebratory or networking event. The amounts awarded will range between £150- £250 for an event depending on the requirements of the centre.

# **Apply here** Deadline for applications is 5pm Wednesday 31st March 2021.

\* Please note there is a separate brief and application for Arts Award centres.