



Northamptonshire Music and Performing Arts Trust

February 2026

## Guitarstravaganza

To all Play and Stay students performing at Guitarstravaganza

We're looking forward to sharing your achievements from the Play and Stay course at Guitarstravaganza, and this letter provides all the information you need ahead of the day.

**Time & date:** 3.00pm start on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> February 2026

**Venue:** Cripps Hall Theatre, Northampton School for Boys, Northampton NN1 5RT

**Ticket information:** Tickets are priced at £10 (adults) and £6 (children/students) and are now available on TicketSource: [ticketsource.co.uk/NMPAT](https://ticketsource.co.uk/NMPAT)

Performers do not need a ticket – they will watch the rest of the concert, as a group, with NMPAT staff.

**Arrival:** Please arrive prior to the start of your rehearsal, detailed below, via the Cripps Hall Theatre entrance door. Changing facilities are limited so we recommend that you arrive in your concert dress. NMPAT staff will be on hand to show you into the school and where to leave your things.

### Schedule for the day

2.00pm	Frontier students arrive
2.10pm	Frontier Guitar Ensemble rehearsal
2.30pm	Doors open to audience members
<b>3.00pm</b>	<b>Concert starts</b> (there will be an interval)
5.00pm	Estimated end

**After the rehearsal,** Play & Stay students will have a small amount of time to have a snack and a drink. Students will be supervised by NMPAT staff for the duration of their time at the venue.

**Concert dress:** we would like all Play and Stay students to perform wearing their school uniform, to show the large number of schools represented on the course and as part of this event. Please arrive wearing your uniform, as there will not be time to get changed.

**Contact:** NMPAT staff can be contacted on the day, if needed, using the event phone number: 01604 816311.

Details of all events can be found on our online events calendar: [www.nmpat.co.uk/events](https://www.nmpat.co.uk/events)

We are looking forward to performing with you soon.

NMPAT Guitar Team