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ABRSM and Tomplay partner up to help violinists prepare for their music exam!



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Tomplay, the inventor of interactive sheet music, and ABRSM (the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music), the global music education charity, are excited to announce a ground-breaking partnership. This collaboration will bring violin pieces from ABRSM's new Bowed Strings Syllabus (from 2024) to the Tomplay platform, offering a dynamic and engaging learning experience for musicians and music enthusiasts worldwide.

Through its unique learning platform, Tomplay offers all musicians the possibility to play their instrument along with high quality recordings by professional musicians. Thanks to unique technology, the interactive scores scroll automatically on-screen with the music, creating an immersive, concert experience. With features such as controlling the speed of the score's recording, looping selected passages and self-recording, Tomplay makes learning music more effective and immersive. Tomplay is used by more than one million musicians in 157 countries.

ABRSM is the Associated Board of the Royal Schools of Music, a global music education charity. At the heart of everything they do is their belief that music enriches lives. Building on their heritage, the music charity offers face-to-face and digital exams, learning resources, and courses for students and teachers across the world. ABRSM helps learners to start or continue their musical journey and empowers teachers to build their pedagogical skills and encourage progress.

Partnership Links

<https://tomplay.com/abrsms>

<https://www.abrsms.org/for-learners/apps-and-practice-tools/interactive-sheet-music>

With this new partnership between Tomplay and ABRSM, music students from all over the world will instantly gain access to violin exam pieces from ABRSM's New Bowed Strings Syllabus in the Tomplay app. They will benefit from all the Tomplay interactive features, such as:

- **Synchronised Professional Piano Accompaniments:** music students can effortlessly listen to and perform alongside professionally recorded piano accompaniments.
- **Tempo Adjustment:** Users have the flexibility to modify the tempo of audio accompaniments, tailoring practice to their skill level.
- **Passage Looping:** Musicians can loop specific sections of music, for more focused and efficient practice.
- **Self-Recording:** The app offers a self-recording feature, allowing users to record their performances and review their progress.
- **Annotation Tools:** Musicians can annotate scores with fingerings, bowings, customised highlights, text additions, and more.
- **Sharing and Collaboration:** Users can easily share their annotations and recordings with their music teacher, promoting collaborative learning between lessons.

Alexis Steinmann, Co-founder and CEO of Tomplay states, “We are delighted to start this partnership and to offer ABRSM students a unique tool to prepare for their music exams.”

Robin Barry, ABRSM's Director, Publishing Transformation, said: “We know from listening to learners that choice is really important and that many musicians today want to access music and interactive learning tools online when preparing for exams and as part of their learning experience. The partnership with Tomplay expands our offering and the enhanced features in the platform will help transform the learning experience for many musicians. It's now easier than ever for candidates to practice with piano accompaniment and enjoy an immersive experience during the process.”

About Tomplay : Tomplay revolutionises the way you play music by offering thousands of classical, pop and jazz sheet music pieces with backing tracks. With more than 28 instruments available, learn and play your favourite works, accompanied by high-quality recordings made by professional musicians.



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