

**I am 17 years old now but will turn 18 on or before the Zoom auditions on 29 June 2025, can I apply?**

Yes, if you turn 18 on or before 29 June 2025 you may apply

**I am 25 years old now but will turn 26 on or before the Zoom auditions on 29 June 2025, can I apply?**

No, you must be 25 years old or younger on 29 June 2025

**I'm not available for the whole year, can I still audition?**

No. You must be able to commit to the entire fixed term period from January 2026 to January 2027 inclusive. No exceptions

**I'm not available for the Zoom auditions on 29 June 2025, can I apply?**

No. You must be available on both days in order to apply

**What do you mean by 'the right to work in the UK'?**

This could mean you have a UK passport, UK settlement or a valid UK work permit. Or you could have EU pre-settlement or settlement. If you do not currently have the right to work in the UK, this does not mean you won't be considered for the programme - this is just to give us some information about your current situation.

**Will I receive a refund for my £6 admin fee if my application is not successful?**

No, the £6 admin fee is nonrefundable

**I paid my £6 admin fee but have not received a link to the Google Form, what do I do?**

Please email [audition@hofesh.co.uk](mailto:audition@hofesh.co.uk)

**I can't upload my video onto the Google Form, it says it has exceeded the maximum file size?**

The maximum file size is 100mb per video, so if your video is too large you can resize it using various resizing websites (via Google) or phone applications / software programmes

**I still can't upload my video, who can I contact for help?**

Please email [audition@hofesh.co.uk](mailto:audition@hofesh.co.uk)

**When will I know if I am invited to attend the Zoom auditions in July?**

We will contact you no later than the middle of June if we would like you to attend the Zoom auditions. As we receive a large number of applications for Shechter II, we are unfortunately not able to get back

to everyone with feedback at this stage of the audition process. Thank you for your understanding. If you have not heard from us by 27 June, you can assume your application has not been successful this time, and we wish you all the best.

**What are the dates for the in-person auditions in the autumn?**

The in-person auditions will take place in London, in September. The exact date for this is still to be confirmed.

**Is this a paid opportunity?**

Yes, in addition to the training programme delivered by our artistic team and experts in the profession, you will be paid an apprentice salary equivalent to the national living wage for England, a relocation bursary and touring expenses (accommodation, travel and per diems)

**If your question has not been addressed by any of the above, please email [audition@hofesh.co.uk](mailto:audition@hofesh.co.uk)**