

Ross Sheppard – Music Tuition CV

// Freelance Drum teacher and Musician (2014 – present)

// website: www.rsdrums.co.uk

Education:

BMus Professional Music Performance (Drum set): **FIRST**(Academy of Contemporary Music, 2016)

Trinity Grade 8 Drum Kit: **DISTINCTION**

Studied privately with Steve White, Pete Cater, and Pete Riley

Experience:

// Private Tutor // 2014 – Present

Ross works as a private Drum Kit educator at his home studio. Here he teaches a number of students from first time players to professional multi-instrumentalists. Teaching content includes Trinity and Rock School grades as well as tailored lesson plans.

// The British School of Rock // September 2016 – May 2022

Ross has taught drums for the Guildford, Kingston, Epsom, and Weybridge branches of The BSOR. Group tuition and musical direction is undertaken with a range of drum students from beginner to advanced.

// The Southern Drum School // February 2017 – April 2017

Ross worked as a peripatetic drum tutor for the Southern Drum School's Guildford students.

// The DK Music Academy // April 2017 – July 2017

Ross was one of The DK Music Academy's main Drum tutors, putting together lesson plans and teaching 1-1 sessions at the Godalming School.

// Trafalgar School at Downton// May 2017 – July 2018

Ross worked alongside key students at the school who had learning difficulties. Here he taught drums on a one to one basis as an extra-curricular activity for SEND students.

// The Bunker Studios // September 2017 – May 2018

Ross has taught for The Bunker Studios in Salisbury, where he was the principal Drum tutor. Here he managed 1-1 sessions, and supported students as a band skills leader and MD.

// Bohunt School // February 2022 – Present

Ross is currently teaching at The Bohunt School in Liphook as their Drum tutor. Duties include grade prep, GCSE/A Level support as well as tailored drum lessons.

* Alongside residential teaching positions, Ross has also worked as a cover for other schools, including **The Academy of Contemporary Music** after being asked to cover for a resident teacher during a public music educational event.

Other

// Multiple enhanced DBS checks

// Full time musician, with performance credits including BBC Radio, live TV, and major UK music festivals.

// More info available at www.rsdrums.co.uk

// CPD certified

References:

Available upon request.