



An Addendum to the CLASSICAL GUITAR SYLLABUS 2018 EDITION



The following materials are useful for reference, teaching, and examination preparation. No single resource is necessarily complete for examination purposes, but these recommended reading and resource lists provide valuable information to support teaching at all levels.

Resources by The Royal Conservatory

Classical Guitar Series, 2018 Edition

Classical Guitar Series, 2018 Edition. 10 vols. Toronto, ON: The Frederick Harris Music Co., Limited, 2018.

Elementary	Preparatory Repertoire and Etudes
	Repertoire and Etudes 1
	Repertoire and Etudes 2
	Repertoire and Etudes 3
	Repertoire and Etudes 4
Intermediate	Repertoire and Etudes 5
	Repertoire and Etudes 6
	Repertoire and Etudes 7
	Repertoire and Etudes 8
Elementary-	Technique (Preparatory–ARCT)
Diploma	

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Four Star[®] Online Ear Training

Elementary	Preparatory A and B
	Level 1
	Level 2
	Level 3
	Level 4
Intermediate	Level 5
	Level 6
	Level 7
	Level 8
Advanced	Level 9

* For more information, visit rcmusic.com/learning/digital-learning.

Celebrate Theory

Theory Syllabus (available online) *Celebrate Theory.* 18 vols. Toronto, ON: The Frederick Harris Music Co., Limited, 2016–2017.

Elementary	Preparatory
	Level 1
	Level 2
	Level 3
	Level 4
	Answer Book: Preparatory–4
Intermediate	Level 5
	Level 6
	Level 7
	Level 8
	Answer Book: Levels 5–8
Advanced	Level 9 Harmony
	Level 10 Harmony & Counterpoint
	ARCT Harmony & Counterpoint
	ARCT Analysis
	Level 9 History
	Level 10 History
	ARCT History

★ For more information, visit **celebratetheory.com**.

Digital Learning

RCM Music Theory Apps. Preparatory–Level 4. Music Theory 5–8 Online. Levels 5–8. Music History Level 9 Online.

Official Examination Papers

The Royal Conservatory Official Examination Papers. 12–15 vols. Toronto, ON: The Frederick Harris Music Co., Limited, published annually.

Intermediate	Level 5 Theory
	Level 6 Theory
	Level 7 Theory
	Level 8 Theory
Advanced	Level 9 Harmony
	Level 10 Harmony & Counterpoint
	ARCT Harmony & Counterpoint
	ARCT Analysis
	Level 9 Keyboard Harmony
	Level 10 Keyboard Harmony
	ARCT Keyboard Harmony
	Level 9 History
	Level 10 History
	ARCT History
	Piano Pedagogy Written— Elementary, Intermediate, Advanced

★ Individual Teacher's ARCT Written Examination papers are also available upon request.

 \bigstar For a list of current titles, please visit **bookstore.rcmusic.com**.

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Online Resources

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Classical Guitar Composers List: www.musicated.com/CGCL

Classical Guitar Magazine: www.classicalguitarmagazine.com

Database of Contemporary Guitar Music: www.sheerpluck.de

European Guitar Teachers Association: www.egta.co.uk

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International Music Score Library Project: www.imslp.org

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