

Take your playing to the next level!

Accelerate! Winds

Accelerate! Winds offers talented woodwind players in Years 10–12 the chance to refine their skills through practical workshops, masterclasses, and bootcamps across 2026.

Led by **Ashley Smith**, the program includes the opportunity to attend activities alongside UWA students and learn from a host of industry professionals.

Topics include:

- Choosing and preparing repertoire for your ATAR performance program
- Refining your practise
- Tips for optimising the air and the posture
- Developing a positive mindset for elite performance
- Overcoming performance anxiety
- Working with an accompanist

SCHEDULE

Day of Woodwind

Sunday 8 March | 10am-2pm

Accelerate Session 1

Friday 20 March | 4-5.30pm

Accelerate Session 2

Monday 13 April | 10am-1pm

ATAR Bootcamp

Wednesday 15 April | 10am-3pm

Accelerate Session 3

Friday 8 May | 4-5.30pm

Accelerate Session 4

Friday 17 July | 10am-12pm

ATAR Woodwind Workshops

Sunday 2 August | 2-4pm

Accelerate Session 5

Friday 11 September | 4-5.30pm

Open Rehearsal

WASO (Clarinet Concerto performed by Ashley Smith)

Friday 2 October | 10am-12.30pm



FURTHER INFORMATION

Cost: Full scholarship program (there is no cost to participants)

Application details: Entry is via audition. Record yourself playing your best piece (on a phone is fine) and send it to us along with a statement about why you'd like to be part of Accelerate.

Application deadline: 3 March 2026

Questions? Email concerts@uwa.edu.au or call 6488 7836

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