

# RULES FOR STREET MUSIC IN GRAZ

**Only registered street musicians may perform here.**

## **Who is allowed to play?**

Only individuals and groups of five persons or less are allowed to perform street music in Graz. Street musicians must be at least 15 years old.

## **When is street music allowed?**

Every day at the following times: from 11:00 until 11:45 hrs, from 12:30 until 13:15 hrs, from 14:00 until 14:45 hrs, from 15:30 until 16:15 hrs, from 17:00 until 17:45 hrs, from 18:30 until 19:15 hrs and from 20:00 until 20:45 hrs.

## **Keep your distance**

Players must be at least five metres away from house entrances and driveways, business entrances and driveways (during trading hours), as well as from passages and street areas used by eating and drinking establishments. As well as the above: at least 50 metres from other street musicians and from schools and churches.

## **Change of location**

Street musicians may perform no more than four times per day in a given location, including the area with a radius of 100 metres around this location, and these performances may not be consecutive (example: after playing in a certain location from 11:00 to 11:45 hrs, a street musician or musicians may only perform there again, including the area with a radius of 100 metres around it, at the earliest at 14:00 hrs).

## **No amplification**

Amplifiers are not permitted. Audio players and percussion instruments may only be used when this is absolutely necessary to accompany the street music. The playing of percussion instruments alone is not allowed.

## **No charging**

It is not permitted to request payment for a musical performance – only voluntary contributions are allowed.

## **Registration**

Registration is mandatory within the city centre area! Street musicians must register before performing in this zone (see reverse side). Every person playing in a group must be registered.

Registration takes place in Graz city town hall from Monday through Friday between 07:00 and 14:00 hours or electronically on the Graz city homepage, subject to the submission of an official photo identity document (e.g., a driver's licence, personal identity card or passport). Each musician may register a maximum of three times per calendar week.

Total registrations may not exceed 30 per day.

**Anmeldung für die Innenstadtzone:** Stadt Graz Rathaus, Landhausgasse 2, Erdgeschoß, 8010 Graz

**Öffnungszeiten:** Montag bis Freitag, 7 bis 14 Uhr, [graz.at/verordnungen](https://www.graz.at/verordnungen)

