# UIL STATE SOLO-ENSEMBLE CONTEST (TSSEC) May 25 & May 27, 2024

### 1A/2A/3A/4A Woodwinds, Brass, Percussion Site Information

Site: Hendrickson High School, Pflugerville ISD

### 1A/2A/3A/4A Voice, Strings, Twirling, Piano Site Information

Kelly Lane Middle School, Pflugerville ISD

In order for the contest to run as smoothly as possible it is essential that the following protocol, rules, and guidelines are followed. Please read all instructions carefully and make sure your students and spectators are aware of all procedures. Take special note of the maps and follow traffic flow and parking specifics.

**INFORMATION BOOTH:** Front entrance at each HHS & KLMS, additional information booth located at HHS Cafeteria.

WARM-UP ROOMS: HHS Cafeteria & KLMS Cafeteria

**WARM-UP PIANOS:** KLMS Band Ensemble Room

**PERCUSSION WARM-UP:** HHS Band Lot; however, in the event of inclement weather, the location will be moved to the small gym near the cafeteria. Plan to arrive at the staging area 10 mins prior to performance time.

#### **INSTRUMENTS AND EQUIPMENT:**

Percussion Rooms: One set of Chimes, Bass Drum, (4) Timpani, 5.0 Oct. Marimba, 3.0 Oct Vibraphone, and 3.5 Oct. Xylophone. These instruments will be shared between the two locations (Band Hall/Aux Hall) and travel on an as needed basis.

The Keyboard Locations will have One 4.3 Marimba, and 3.5 Oct Xylophone available to be used and will travel between the individual performance rooms on an as needed basis.

\*NEW\* If you are needing to use percussion equipment, you will need to fill out the <u>Instrument Request Form</u>. There are no guarantees that the equipment will be available at your time of performance. Plan accordingly.

All Other Rooms: Participants will be responsible for providing all instruments and equipment.

NO MUSIC STANDS WILL BE PROVIDED: If stands are needed, you must provide your own.

**RECORDED OR ELECTRONICALLY-GENERATED ACCOMPANIMENTS:** recorded or electronically-generated accompaniments may be used. Students must provide their own equipment and should activate the system prior to entering the room to prevent any delays in the contest schedule.

**BUSES**: There will be a parking monitor for buses entering the Hendrickson location. The attendant will instruct the bus driver where to drop-off, unload, & park. **Percussion vehicles** may follow the traffic flow map.

**Map QR Code:** Participants should download the Google Earth Application



Site Map: 2024 TSSEC Site Map

PERSONAL VEHICLE PARKING: See 2024 TSSEC Site Map

**FOOD**: Food and beverages will be available for purchase in the cafeteria; however, NO FOOD OR DRINK MAY BE BROUGHT INTO THE PERFORMANCE HALLWAYS.

**RATINGS**: Ratings will be posted <u>online</u>.

CONTEST OFFICE/AWARD STATION: HHS & KLMS Library. Opens at 7:45 AM

ADJUDICATION SHEETS AND MEDALS: All adjudication evaluations are online. The comment sheet for each entry will be located in the director's account that registered the events for the contest (<a href="www.texasmusicforms.com">www.texasmusicforms.com</a>). Medals must be picked up in the award station (located in the HHS Library and KLMS Library) by the sponsor or designee. MEDALS WILL <a href="MODT">NOT BE MAILED. PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY. EXCEPTION: OUTSTANDING PERFORMER MEDALS AND MUSIC THEORY MEDALS THAT WERE NOT PICKED UP ON SITE WILL BE MAILED TO THE ADDRESS ON THE TEXASMUSICFORMS ACCOUNT.

**QUESTIONS**: Prior to the contest: music@uiltexas.org. During the contest: either the information booth or the contest office.

**SPECTATORS:** All performances are open to the public. Parents, teachers, friends and other spectators are welcome to attend any contest performance.

**COPYRIGHT COMPLIANCE:** All Judges must have a copyright compliant score to listen to and adjudicate a performance. No exceptions. Due to copyright law the use of photocopies by a judge is prohibited. [See C&CR Section 1104 and Section 1108(h)(4).] Copyright compliant downloads must have documentation indicating such. Please understand that if you arrive at the contest site without a score that is compliant with US Copyright Law and UIL Regulations you will have to make your own arrangements to secure a compliant score or forfeit your opportunity

to perform. UIL EVENT STAFF AND SITE HOSTS WILL NOT HAVE ANY MUSIC OR PHOTOCOPY ACCESS.

**DIRECTOR HOSPITALITY AREA:** HHS room G104; KLMS room 105

**CONTESTANT CHECK-IN:** There is <u>NO</u> contestant check-in at the contest office. Instruct all students to go directly to their performance room as early in the day as possible to check-in with the room monitor.

**MASTER SCHEDULE:** Each account holder may access their schedule by logging into your account at: <a href="www.texasmusicforms.com">www.texasmusicforms.com</a>. With a contest this size it is impossible to avoid all schedule conflicts, especially if an accompanist has been overextended or incorrect/incomplete accompanist information was given upon registration.

**SCHEDULE CHANGE REQUESTS:** All schedule change requests must be processed in the contest office. Changes will be made if availability exists.

**PERFORMING EARLY** An event may be permitted to perform to its scheduled time under one of the following provisions:

- 1. The judge is running ahead of schedule and allows the event to perform early.
- 2. An open time or no-show (DNA) allows the event to perform early.

**CHANGING MUSIC:** Changes to music selections must be made in the contest office.

**CHANGING PERFORMERS IN AN ENSEMBLE:** Up to 50 percent of performers in an ensemble may be substituted from the performers who qualified at the region contest. These changes must be made in the contest office.

**MEMORY REQUIREMENTS:** All solos must conform to the UIL C&CR and PML memory requirements.

**APPAREL, PATCHES, AND PINS:** Available for purchase at each site.

2024 HHS & KLMS Site Bandapp: https://band.us/n/a3a902F418l4u

## **Band App QR Code:**









