
Northern District Auditions: Piano (VMTA)

DATE AND PLACE

Friday-Sunday, June 11-13, 2010; Woman's Club of Arlington

POSTMARK DEADLINE

May 3, 2010

FEE

\$20.00 for all levels. All fees are nonrefundable.

CHAIR

Lori Santos, Chairman

LEVELS AND TIME LIMITS

Levels and time limits are determined by the student's *current* school grade (and the student must have reached the corresponding sight-reading and theory levels for his or her grade, as shown below).

Audition level	Current school grade	Sight reading	Theory	Time limit
	K	1	1A	
I-A	1	1	1A	5 minutes
	2	1	1B	
	3	2	1B	
I-B	4	3	2A	10 minutes
	5	3	2B	
II	6	4	3A	15 minutes
	7	5	3B	
	8	6	4	
III	9	7	5	20 minutes
	10	8	6	
	11	9	7	

REPERTOIRE REQUIREMENTS

Three compositions representing three of the following periods: Baroque, Classic, Romantic, Impressionist, or Contemporary. No changes of repertoire will be allowed after the postmark deadline. No photocopied scores will be allowed even if the music is out of print.

ELIGIBILITY

Student must have passed the examinations for their level at Theory Mastery Day and Skills Day by the application deadline. For example, at the time of application, a student currently in Grade 5 would enroll in level I-B and must have passed sight-reading level 3 and theory level 2B. Students should not enter the Northern District Auditions if they plan to participate in the MTNA Junior High or High School competitions of Virginia.

Participants must have studied with their current teacher for the 6 months preceding the event, and the teacher must be an active member of NVMTA (as defined in the bylaws). This rule also applies to students who advance to the State Competition in the Fall.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

Use the application form below. Be very specific listing piece titles, including opus or Hob. numbers, keys, and movements. Please type the application or print clearly. Include a stamped, self-addressed envelope. Mail along with your check (one check per studio, payable to VMTA) to: Lori Santos, 5420 23rd Street North, Arlington, VA 22205.

TEACHERS GUIDELINES

No video or other recording of any kind is allowed.

All parent or student questions about an event should be handled by the teacher. Teachers should never give parents or students the phone numbers or e-mail addresses of chairmen. Chairmen have no obligation to respond to parent or student inquiries.

This is a closed audition. Parents and teachers may wait in the foyer area while students perform.

The final decision on scheduling and related aspects of each event rests with the chairman.

AWARDS

In each level: First Place \$40, Alternate \$25. Winners and alternates in each level will represent Northern Virginia at the State Auditions at the VMTA Fall Conference. Any Winner or Alternate who chooses to enter the MTNA/Virginia Junior High or High School competitions must withdraw from the State Auditions.