



**PENNSYLVANIA MUSIC EDUCATORS ASSOCIATION
FESTIVAL CONTRACT- STUDENT**

Please **print or type** all sections on both sides of this CONTRACT
and return with **MEDICAL FORM** and **PAYMENT** to:

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Greenville High School
9 Donation Rd.
Greenville, PA 16125

SECTION 1: To be completed and endorsed by student.

Student Last Name _____ Student First Name _____ Instrument / Voice Part _____ Age _____

Grade _____ Sex _____ Height in Inches (choir only) _____ Home phone number _____ Email Address _____

Home Street Address (Apt. Number) _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Name of School District _____ Name of High School _____ School Address _____ School Phone Number _____

CONTRACT AGREEMENT:

I hereby acknowledge and accept the following rules regarding the PMEA Festival in which I am participating. I agree to abide by these rules and by all policies which have been adopted or which may be adopted in the future by PMEA regarding this event. I understand that PMEA has sole discretion to make all decisions, including but not limited to, decisions regarding disciplinary matters and the final approval of students selected to perform. I also agree to:

1. Prepare assigned music prior to arriving at the Festival.
2. Conduct myself courteously and appropriately at all times.
3. Abide by the Student Code of Conduct and Rules.
4. Neither use nor have in my possession at any time alcoholic beverages, illegal drugs or substances.
5. Not to possess or use any tobacco products during the entire festival beginning with on-site registration and concluding with the concert.
6. Not participate in pranks or vandalism of any kind. (If I damage any property, my parents and/or I will assume full financial responsibility).
7. Abide by all decisions made by appropriate PMEA officials and obey all regulations listed above as well as any other regulations which may be implemented in the future by the host director or other administrative official.
8. Wear proper identification badge at all times.
9. Cooperate fully with host director & all PMEA officials.
10. Protect and promptly return all music materials after the concert, if requested.
11. Attend all rehearsals and concert(s) on time. (Students should not apply to participate in festivals if, for any reason, including religious activities, they plan to miss part of the affair. A student must participate in the complete festival program commencing with registration and concluding with the final concert, except in case of illness that must be verified in writing by a physician within 5 days of the festival. Students must rehearse and perform all musical compositions selected for the concert.)
12. There can be no use of any device that can be perceived to give aid to a student once the audition process has begun. Students having these devices in their possession during the audition risk dismissal from the festival and forfeiture of advancement.
13. PMEA authorities may, without a search warrant, search students or protected student areas based on a reasonable and articulable suspicion that a PMEA policy, rule, regulation or law has been violated. The search is in a manner reasonable in scope to maintain order and discipline at PMEA festivals, promote the educational environment, and protect the safety and welfare of students. PMEA authorities may seize any illegal, unauthorized or contraband materials discovered in the search. Items of contraband may include, but are not limited to, nonprescription controlled substances, marijuana, cocaine, amphetamines, barbiturates, apparatus used for controlled substances, alcoholic beverages, tobacco, weapons, explosives, poisons and stolen property. Such items are not to be possessed by a student while they are at PMEA festivals. Possession of such items will be grounds for disciplinary action including expulsion from the festival and may be reported to local law enforcement officials.

In signing this contract, I understand that membership in any PMEA Festival is a privilege and that membership may be forfeited if I fail to follow any of the above rules. I understand that violation of the above rules will give administrative officials the right to exclude me from participation. If such violation(s) occur, I understand that my parents/guardian will be immediately notified, and that they will be expected to provide my immediate transportation home.

Student Signature _____

Date _____

SECTION 2: To be completed and endorsed by parent or guardian.

I have read this official PMEA Festival document, discussed its contents with my son/daughter, agree to its contents, and agree to support its enforcement. I understand that the school will arrange transportation with my cooperation and understanding to the festival. (Students are not permitted to drive during a PMEA Festival) I also understand that my son/ daughter will be housed with a host family or in a hotel while a participant in the PMEA Festival. My son/daughter has my permission to participate and I understand that his/her participation in this festival is solely at his/her own wish and that I will not hold PMEA and its officers, directors, employees or volunteer officials responsible for any injuries or damage my son/daughter may suffer in any way related to this event.

_____	_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Printed Name	Home Phone	Work Phone
_____	_____	
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date	

SECTION 3: To be completed and endorsed by School Personnel

_____	_____
Student Name	School Phone Number

We, the undersigned, have read this official PMEA Festival document, discussed its contents with the student and agree to support its enforcement. We verify that the student whose name appears on this contract is a member, as determined his/her director, of the same performing organization at his/her home school. We understand that the school will arrange transportation with parent/s/guardian's cooperation and understanding to this event. (Students are not permitted to drive during a PMEA Festival) We endorse this student as an outstanding musician and student worthy of PMEA Festival Membership. We will assist him/her in preparing the music selected for the program.

_____	_____	_____
Music Teacher Printed Name	MENC/PMEA I.D. Number	Expiration Date
_____	_____	
Music Teacher Signature	Date	
_____	_____	
School Principal Signature	Date	

Please list below the name and title of the PMEA member/director from your school district who will be attending this PMEA Festival and will assume responsibility for this student and accompany the student to the On-Site Registration and serve on the Audition Committee. Every student is required to have a PMEA Member accompany him/her to registration.

_____	_____	
Name	Title	
_____	_____	
Cell Phone	Email address	Homephone

SECTION 4: To be completed and endorsed by parent or guardian and student

If selected to advance to the next festival level _____

_____	(Name of festival)	Date	Location)
(Student's Name)	WILL	WILL NOT	attend.)

(Parent or Guardian's Signature)

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PMEA Host Director: _____ Deadline: _____