

Youth Music Monterey County JYO Concerto Competition 2022-2023 season Sunday, February 12, 2023, 11 am – 1 pm Hidden Valley Music Seminars

JYO Concerto Competition Rules

- 1. The length of the solo selection may not exceed 10 minutes, without written permission from the music director.
- All selections must be approved by the student's teacher and by the Music Director
 as part of the application process. Some selections may not be acceptable if the
 orchestration for the accompaniment is too large for the YMM orchestra that
 particular year.
- 3. No soloist will be approved without the support of the student's private music teacher.
- 4. The auditions will be heard by independent adjudicators and will NOT include the Music Director. The adjudicators cannot be private teachers of the students participating in the competition.
- 5. Concerto Competition winners and soloists are not eligible to enter the competition the year after they have performed.
- 6. String players and pianists are expected to play their selection from memory at the audition. **Piano accompaniment is optional but encouraged.**
- 7. The concerto must be performance-ready at the time of the audition.
- 8. The audition date and time is listed above. Attendance and performance at the audition is required. Due to the nature of the process, no alternative arrangements can be made.
- 9. Participants must provide three copies of their music on competition day for the adjudicators' reference.
- The winner of the competition agrees to perform their piece with the JYO Orchestra at the Spring (May 14th) concert at the Sunset Center in Carmel.



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Application Form

Due by 5 pm, Monday, January 23, 2023

Please <u>return this form</u> to the Orchestra Staff or by email, mail, or to the YMM office <u>by 5pm on Monday</u>, <u>January 23rd</u>. Thank you and good luck!