



**Florida State Music Teachers Association, District One**

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**2017-2018 Password: Prelude**

**Pensacola Music Teachers Association**

[www.pmta.info](http://www.pmta.info)



## **Student Day**



### **Teacher Information & Registration Packet**

Student Day Chair:

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#### **Disciplines:**

**Piano**

**Voice**

**Strings**

**Harp**

**Guitar**

**Brass**

**Woodwinds**

**Percussion**



**Student Day**  
**Florida State Music Teachers Association, District One**  
**Pensacola Music Teachers Association – [www.pmta.info](http://www.pmta.info)**  
**Date: April 14, 2018**

Event Location: Pensacola Christian Academy, 10 Brent Lane  
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## **STUDENT DAY REGISTRATION INSTRUCTIONS**

**1. Registration Form:** Each teacher should complete and return one copy of the completed registration form either by physical copy or via the Email Google Spreadsheet Registration Form. Please list students **by instrument, then by level**. A copy of the master list, including all audition times will be sent (via internet) to each participating teacher. Please let the chairman know if you do not have access to a computer and a paper copy will be mailed to you. Be certain to double-check all spellings so they will be correct on the certificates.

**2. Student Day Examination Form:** One Student Day Examination Form must be completed for each student entered. Copies of these can be found online at [www.pmta.info](http://www.pmta.info) by following the link for Student Day to the FSMTA Website. **The FSMTA website requires a password to access the Student Activities page forms. This password will change annually in early October. The 2017-2018 password is "Prelude"**. At the top of the Examination Form, fill in the student's name. Check to be sure you are completing the form for the **correct level** for each student. The level is listed at the top of the form, centered on the page.

Next, put a checkmark by either Achievement or Progress. Remember, Achievement is not better than Progress. If you think you student is making Progress, but not yet mastering all four areas of examination, then check the Progress box.

Also note that if a student is testing on multiple instruments, their theory text will reflect the highest level tested. (ie. Piano: Level 3, Flute: Level 2, then their theory tests will be: Theory Level 3)

**In SECTION 2: REPERTOIRE of the Examination Form**, list the title of each piece including the composers' names and the lengths of the pieces.

Remember, we must comply with Florida State Repertoire Requirements which mandate that all pieces must be original compositions; no arrangements are allowed. This means that hymns, folk tunes, or simplified classical pieces are not allowed as they are arrangements all music must be original music. No photocopies are allowed which means you must provide separate original copies for soloists, accompanists, and judge.

**3. Teacher Work Preference Form:** It gives better flow for the day's activities when teachers can work all day. Thank you for trying to accommodate this request.

**4. Special Scheduling Requests:** There is not a separate form for this. If you are using the Google Excel Spreadsheet to register, the last column is for Special Scheduling Requests. If you are using the "regular paper registration form," the last column is for Special Scheduling Requests for any special situations, such as needing a morning or afternoon audition, or efforts to coordinate siblings. We will do everything we can to honor these special requests.

**5. Check:** Include your payment for entry fees and teacher fee. Cost is \$30 per student for each instrument entered. The teacher fee is \$10 which includes lunch. Send one check per teacher, made out to PMTA, for the combined total of entry fees and your \$10 teacher fee.

**Registration Checklist:** Your registration should include:

- 1) the completed registration form (OR email via the Student Day Registration Google Spreadsheet!)
- 2) teacher work preference form
- 3) one Student Examination Form for each student for each instrument
- 4) one check per teacher

All registration materials are due on or before March 17, 2018. Late entries cannot be accepted, as judges are secured and schedules made to accommodate registered students.

Registration materials may be mailed to:

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A drop-off box for registration will be available in the teacher area of Blues Angel Music until the due date. There will also be a drop-off box located at 29 Cummings Road, Pensacola FL 32503.

Please type or print neatly so that we spell everything correctly on your certificates.

Thank you!

Debbra Pope, Student Day Chairman

## STUDENT DAY REGISTRATION FORM

FSMTA, District One / Pensacola Music Teachers Association – [www.pmta.info](http://www.pmta.info)

**Date: April 14, 2018**

Event Location: Pensacola Christian Academy, 10 Brent Lane

Enter through Door 6 near the gymnasium

Honors Concert Date: Monday, April 16, 2018 at 5:30 and 6:30 pm

Honors Concert Location: Marcus Pointe Baptist Church, Choir Room,  
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### STUDENT DAY REGISTRATION FORM (OR fill out the Online Excel Spreadsheet and email!)

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list students by instrument, then by level.

Name	Instrument	Level	Special Scheduling Request
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Number of Students	_____	X \$30.00	=	_____
Teacher Fee			+	\$10.00
Total Enclosed			\$	_____

Enclose one check, made payable to PMTA.

## PMTA Student Day Teacher Work Preference Form

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

We request that teachers work all day, or provide a substitute to work in your place.

Check at least on preference:

- \_\_\_\_\_ I will work all day Saturday.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I can work morning only on Saturday (8:00-1:00)
- \_\_\_\_\_ I can work afternoon only on Saturday (12:00-5:00)
- \_\_\_\_\_ I am not able to work on the date of Student Day.

The contact information for my substitute worker is:

Substitute's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### Additional Assistance

- \_\_\_\_\_ I will help set up Friday afternoon/evening for the contest.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I will help clean up Saturday after the contest.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I have students (high school and up) and/or parents who are willing to work.  
Please list name(s), contact information, and availability on the back of this form.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I am accompanying \_\_\_\_\_ students

I prefer to work in the following area(s):

- \_\_\_\_\_ Aural Testing
- \_\_\_\_\_ Written Testing
- \_\_\_\_\_ Monitoring
- \_\_\_\_\_ Information Desk
- \_\_\_\_\_ Snack/Lunch for Teachers and Judges

I prefer to obtain my student folders, certificates, and medals by:

- \_\_\_\_\_ Picking up at Blues Angel Music
- \_\_\_\_\_ Picking up at PCA (for PCA Teachers)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mailed to my home address (Please send the chairman reimbursement for postage if you choose this option.)

## Teacher Information for Student Day

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1. All auditions and testing will be held at Pensacola Christian Academy in the music wing. Students and parents will enter through Door 6 near the gymnasium.
2. Please be sure students bring their original music with measures numbered. No photocopies of music are allowed.
3. The Information/Check-In Desk will be located at the entrance to the music wing. Participants, parents, and guests will wait in the cafeteria area in between tests. This greatly assists in eliminating confusion and noise in the hallways where students are testing and allows a more comfortable, spacious waiting area.
4. Students should arrive ten minutes before their first event.
5. Like 2017!! Keeping with our Music Olympics theme, everyone including teachers, judges, workers, and performers are encouraged to wear something "Olympic" like a team jersey, a warm up suit, your favorite team's t-shirt, your baseball hat, etc! We are going to have a GREAT time at our Music Olympics this year!
6. All students other than Primary, take four exams:
  - \* Technique Exam
  - \* Aural Theory Exam
  - \* Repertoire Exam
  - \* Written Theory Exam

The first two exams (**Technique and Repertoire**) will be with one judge at an assigned audition time. The **Aural Exam** is given in a different room at a different assigned time for the student's level. The **Written Exam** can be taken any time the student has a 30 minute break in the other testing. If the student has an audition time near the end of the day's testing, please instruct the student to take his written exam before his playing audition with the judge. The Written Theory Room will close fifteen minutes before the last scheduled audition time.

7. Honors Concert results will be emailed to teachers Saturday night, as the Honors Concert will be on Monday evening, April 16, at 5:30 and 6:30 at Marcus Pointe Baptist Church Choir Room. Teachers must contact their students informing them that they were selected for the Honors Concerts.
8. The rest of the Student Day Testing Results and Certificates will be given to the teachers the week following Student Day. Teachers will be notified via Email when their folders are available for pick-up.

Thank you for your participation in Student Day!  
Debbra Pope, Student Day Chairman

The following pages are provided ONLY for our teachers' convenience in communicating with their parents and students about Student Day and Honors Concert Events. These are NOT required forms.

- Parent Information Letter to give parents and students an overview and some details about Student Day
- Parent Permission Form for Teacher
- Student Audition Schedule Form for Week of Event

## **Parent Information Letter for Student Day**

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Student Day Entry Fee: \$30.00 per Student per Instrument

Dear Parents,

Florida State Music Teachers Association annually offers students of its members the opportunity to receive an evaluation of the student's musical accomplishments for the year. This is done through auditions and testing in each of the nine districts of Florida. This event is referred to as "Student Day."

Each participating student plays required technical skills and memorized pieces for a qualified judge. In addition, each student is given both an aural theory and written theory exam to measure their achievement in these areas. All students who meet the criteria for their Level are awarded a Certificate of Achievement. Students who need more time to successfully complete a particular level will receive an evaluation of the work they have completed and will be awarded a Certificate of Progress.

Judges are given the opportunity to award special recognition to a few outstanding performances through an Honors Concert Recital. Students who perform a piece exceptionally well may be nominated for this honor by their judge regardless of their scores earned in other testing.

Students earning high scores on any text are given **Honor Seals** on the certificates. Students who pass aural and written theory, and score 90% or above on their technique and repertoire exams earn the distinct title "State Honors" on their certificate and receive a medal from the State of Florida.

As a member of both the Pensacola Music Teachers Association and the Florida State Music Teachers Association, it is a privilege to provide this opportunity to my students. In order to register your child for this event, please sign the enclosed registration form and send the form along with your check for the entry fee made payable to me, the teacher. There is no refund for absences since examiners are secured based on student entries.

Attire: Olympic Theme! Keeping with our Music Olympics theme, everyone including teachers, judges, workers, and performers are encouraged to wear something "Olympic" like a team jersey, a warm up suit, your favorite team's t-shirt, your baseball hat, etc! We have fun while we work hard at our Music Olympics! I look forward to each student demonstrating their musical accomplishments this year at Student Day! Please feel free to contact me if you have further questions about this event.

Sincerely,



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**STUDENT DAY Parent Permission Form**  
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From Teacher's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I give my permission for (student) \_\_\_\_\_ to participate in the FSMTA / PMTA Student Day evaluations. I accept responsibility for his/her appearance at the appointed time for their audition and theory tests and I understand there is no refund if my child does not come. If he/she is selected to perform in the Honors Concert, I assume responsibility for his/her attendance at the concert.

Enclosed is the entry fee of \$30.00 payable to your teacher.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian

# STUDENT DAY

## Student Audition Schedule Parent Letter

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Student: \_\_\_\_\_ Level: \_\_\_\_\_

Playing Audition Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Judging Room: \_\_\_\_\_

Aural Skills Test Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Aural Testing Room: \_\_\_\_\_

Written Theory Test: Begin anytime between 9:00 am and 4:30 pm

Written Theory Room: Room M-7 (Band Room)

Be sure to bring your original music to your playing audition with all measures numbered! You cannot play if you do not have your original music to give to your judge. You should also bring two sharpened pencils for your written and aural tests. Attire: Keeping with our Music Olympics theme, everyone including teachers, judges, workers, and performers are encouraged to wear something "Olympic" like a team jersey, a warm up suit, your favorite team's t-shirt, your baseball hat, etc! We have fun while we work hard at our Music Olympics sharing our accomplishments with others! Arrive 10 minutes before your first test.

If you are chosen to play in the Student Day Honors Concert, I will let you know.

If chosen, the information is as follows:

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Teacher: