

# NYSSMA Level 1-6

## THE NYSSMA MUSIC FESTIVAL STUDENT LETTER

The NYSSMA (New York State School Music Association) Solo Music Festival will be held at **Locust Valley High School** on **April 8 and 9, 2024**. Students are given the opportunity to perform a prepared piece before a judge and receive a written evaluation and grade. For older students, these grades weigh heavily on their acceptance into next year's All- County organizations.

**Music should be chosen from the current NYSSMA Manual (Edition 33 - Effective July 2022)** which is in every school music office. If your child is enrolled in private instruction they should consult the private teacher regarding the choice of music, otherwise the school music teachers can help the student select the piece. However, **all students *must* register through a school music teacher and should play or sing their selection for the music teacher prior to the festival adjudication.**

If your child is interested in participating, please fill out the form below and return it, along with the fee to their school music teacher **no later than January 12, 2024**. Performance times will be distributed prior to the festival date.

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**Return this form with a check to your school music teacher before January 12, 2024.**

Student's Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade in School \_\_\_\_\_  
Home phone # \_\_\_\_\_ Parent email \_\_\_\_\_  
Instrument or Voice Classification (i.e. Soprano, alto) \_\_\_\_\_

Vocal Soloists only: (circle one) **Live accompanist** or **recorded accompaniment**

Name of Accompanist if live accompaniment \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Solo \_\_\_\_\_ NYSSMA Solo Grade Level \_\_\_\_\_  
Composer/Arranger \_\_\_\_\_ Movements \_\_\_\_\_ Manual Page# \_\_\_\_\_

**Indicate if you have a definite conflict with either April 8 or 9. Please be specific.**

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Fee Enclosed: **\$24.00** - Level 5&6 adjudication (15 min.)      Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
**\$16.00** - Level 1- 4 adjudication (10 min.)

**Please make check payable to: ROSLYN PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

List any siblings here also attending this festival. (For scheduling purposes)

Name	Instrument	School
1.		
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