## Classical Guitar

## THE NYSSMA MUSIC FESTIVAL STUDENT LETTER

The NYSSMA (New York State School Music Association) Solo Music Festival will be held at **Uniondale High School** on **March 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019.** All **classical guitar** soloists are eligible to participate in the NYSSMA festival. 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 <u>current</u> NYSSMA Manual (Edition 32 - Effective July 2018) which is in every school music office. If your child is enrolled in private instruction he/she should consult the private teacher regarding the choice of music, otherwise the school music teachers can help the student select the piece. All students however, *must* register through a school music teacher and should play their selection for the music teacher prior to the festival adjudication.

If your son/daughter is interested in participating, please fill out the form below and return it, along with the fee to his/her school music teacher **no later than <u>January 15<sup>th</sup></u>**. You will be informed prior to the festival as to when he/she has been scheduled to play.

Return this form with a check to your school music teacher before <u>January 15<sup>th</sup>.</u>	
Student's Name Instrument Classical Guitar	Grade in School
Name of Solo	NYSSMA Solo Grade Level
Composer/Arranger (Please make sure that this piece is listed in the NYS Indicate if you have a definite conflict with either	SSMA manual)
Fee Enclosed: <b>\$24.00</b> - Level 5&6 ad <b>\$16.00</b> - Level 1- 4 ad	J ( )

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