2024 NSBA 8th Grade All-State Band

Audition Script and Submission Procedures

Please follow these instructions precisely! Remember, each audition should be an accurate representation of the student's abilities so no editing is allowed.

In a separate email, you should be receiving your school's exclusive *audition code number*. This number will be the identifying code for the organizers to distribute and judge your students fairly and without knowledge of what town or school from which they come. All auditions will be submitted using a Google Form that will be sent out when auditions sometime late September.

On each recording, before **every** student plays, please *clearly* read the following script so the judges may accurately adjudicate the elements of each audition. **Students should be reading the script, not directors.**

1. "**This is school** _ **school code #** _ , _ **instr.** _ _ **F. L.** _ (first & last initial)"
2. "**Chromatic scale/rudiments**" student plays exercise
3. "**Etude #1**" student plays etude #1
4. "**Etude #2**" student plays etude #2 (if required)

Please listen to all recordings before you submit them. <u>The organizer does not take responsibility for blank, dead silence.</u> Next, upload your recordings to the Google Form that will be shared with you. Finally, be sure to pay your audition fee once it is received via email.

Google forms are to be **submitted by midnight on Saturday, October 7, 2023.** Schools will be billed by our treasurer using the director's email. Auditions are $10/audition.