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Concert Band Classes

Concert Band classes are designed for highly organized experienced bands under the sponsorship of community clubs or parent organizations. This includes extracurricular, after-school bands, auditioned or non-auditioned.

Grade indications, listed below, should correspond to the grade levels of the majority of students.

Concert Band, Grade A
Experienced, approximately Grade 11/12.
Concert Band, Grade B
Approximately Grade 9/10.
Concert Band, Grade C
Approximately 3rd year of instruction.
Concert Band, Grade D
Approximately 2nd/3rd year of instruction.

Own choice, two selections.

Concert Band, Recital 80000..... Grade A 80010..... Grade B 80020..... Grade C 80030..... Grade D

Orchestra Classes

Own choice, two selections. Conductors should, if possible, provide a full score for the adjudicator, or the cued conductor's score. Piano optional.

String Orchestra, 80040..... Grade A, Community or School, any age 80050..... Grade B, Community or School, any age 80060..... Grade C, Community or School, any age

Orchestra, Community or School 80070..... Grade A, any age 80080..... Grade B, any age 80090..... Grade C, any age 80100..... Grade D, any age 80110..... Beginners, any age. Any instruments. Not more than 2 years of study.

80120..... Orchestra, National Music

Copy of music, with the list of
instrumentation, to be provided with
the entry form.

Community Band Classes

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes.

80130..... Community Band (Open) 80140..... Community Band (Youth)Majority of players must be under 21 years of age and may be "imported" professional or amateur musicians.

Brass Band Classes

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes.

80150..... Brass Band (Open)

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes. Majority of players to be under 21 years of age.

80160..... Brass Band (Youth)

National Anthem Classes

One verse of O Canada, in an arrangement suitable for public singing that will include an introductory chord.

80170..... Band or Orchestra, Canadian National Anthem (Open)

One verse of a patriotic song, in an arrangement suitable for public singing that will include an introductory chord. Examples could include the Vice Regal Salute, God Save the King, or a National Anthem from a country other than Canada.

80180..... Band or Orchestra, Patriotic Anthem (Open)

Ensemble Classes

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes. Any combination of instruments exclusive of combinations already provided for in the Syllabus. Not less than three nor more than six instruments, with or without piano. This ensemble may include drums.

80190..... Small Ensemble 80191..... 19 years & under 80192..... 17 years & under 80193..... 15 years & under 80194..... 13 years & under 80195..... 11 years & under

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes. Any combination of instruments exclusive of combinations already provided for in the Syllabus.

80200..... Mixed Duet 80201..... 19 years & under 80202..... 17 years & under 80203..... 15 years & under 80204..... 13 years & under 80205..... 11 years & under

Family Music Classes

Own choice. Time limit of 10 minutes of varied entertainment. This class is open to two or more members of the same family and one (only) nonfamily member. Instruments must be stated on the entry form.

80210..... Family Music Plus One, Instrumental, Open