

**DIRECTORS SHOULD KEEP THIS FORM ON FILE  
PLEASE DO NOT SEND IN FOR JAZZ ALL STATE AUDITIONS**

**NHMEA Jazz All-State Auditions**

Registration Deadline: Saturday, September 25, 2021 at 11:59 p.m.

Payment Deadline: October 10, 2021

Auditions: Saturday, October 16, 2021 at Souhegan High School

The cost per audition is \$20.

Festival Dates: February 3-5, 2022 at Pinkerton Academy

**General Information:**

1. The fee for auditions is \$20.00 per audition. Students and schools are encouraged to pay by credit card when possible. Students may pay their registration fee individually. Schools sending checks should try to send only one check to NHMEA, PO Box 717, Stratham, NH 03885. Audition fees must be received by October 10, 2021. Students with unpaid audition fees will not be permitted to audition. Schools are responsible for any unpaid registration fees (including cancellations).
2. All registration information is submitted directly through the OPUS EVENT system by your school's director. Submission of this application form serves as an acknowledgement of the rules regarding this event. Directors are encouraged to keep a copy of this form signed by parents/students on file. A PDF copy of this information is available on the Jazz All State Festival page at nhmea.org.
3. Students auditioning on more than one instrument/voice part should indicate to their director their preference if accepted to more than one ensemble prior to director submitting registration.
4. If selected for the festival, students are expected to participate. NHMEA plans to offer this event in-person this year but may switch to a hybrid or virtual event if necessary. Hotel stays will not be required and the event schedule is being adjusted to allow schools to commute each day.
5. All participants are required to wear masks when at the audition site except when auditioning (masks optional).

**Eligibility:**

1. You must be a member in good standing of your school's performing group, if one exists. Due to the unusual circumstances surrounding this year's event, NHMEA understands directors may need to be flexible with this policy.
2. Homeschooled students must follow the NHMEA policy regarding Home Education Students in NHMEA Festivals. Please contact the auditions chairperson with any questions.
3. Your school district must pay the NHMEA School Participation Fee by October 1.
4. All audition fees must be paid by October 10, 2021. It is the responsibility of the sending school to ensure all audition fees are paid.

5. If selected as a Jazz All-State participant, your school music teacher must accompany you to the Jazz All-State Music Festival as your chaperone should an in-person event take place this year.
6. If selected as a Jazz All-State participant, the director and student will abide by all participation guidelines and policies while at the festival.
7. Any appeals to the eligibility criteria must be submitted in writing to the Jazz All State Auditions Chairperson and the NHMEA President fifteen days before the registration deadline for consideration.

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Instruments/Vocal Parts Auditioning For: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

*(school directors are encouraged to keep a copy of this form on file for one year - please do not send to NHMEA)*

*Please provide the following information to your director to aid them in submitting a correct registration.*

**Student Information**

Name:

Address:

Phone:

*Email address: If using a school email address, please ensure that email notifications can be received from outside organizations (specifically opusevent.com)*

*Please list ALL instruments/voice parts auditioning for:*

**Parent Information**

Name:

Parent email address:

**Miscellaneous Information:**

1. Grade:
2. Years participating in an All-State ensemble:
3. If auditioning on more than one instrument/voice part, please select your ensemble preference.