



monmouth arts

VOCAL SOLOS & VOCAL ENSEMBLES

GUIDELINES

Monmouth Arts' Teen Arts Festival

- Students will be adjudicated individually or as a group.
- **NEW: Maximum of 8 total performances per school.**
 - Maximum of 15 performers in an ensemble.
 - Maximum of 4 minutes per performance.
- The above limits are state guidelines.
- Educators are responsible for bringing their own music or accompanist for the performances. You **MUST** clarify which you'll be bringing and what your needs are on your Evaluation Form. Music may be played through a phone (with ¼ inch AUX output – newer model iPhones with no headphone jack must supply the adapter for Lightning USB connection) or with live accompaniment.
 - Please note that live accompaniments are *strongly preferred*.
 - **PLEASE NOTE MONMOUTH ARTS DOES NOT PROVIDE AN ACCOMPANIST.**
- Educators are responsible for submitting a copy of sheet music for adjudicators. These will be emailed to Vinny Martini or mailed directly to our office *prior* to the festival.
 - Evaluations will not be completed without sheet music submitted in advance.
 - Teachers are responsible for requesting their sheet music back from the adjudicator. Sheet music left behind will NOT be mailed back to schools.
- Please advise students to take care when using Brookdale's equipment.
- **Monmouth Arts and Brookdale Community College are not responsible for the loss or damage of student instruments or equipment.**

Please note that adjudicator comments during music adjudications will be AUDIO RECORDED in lieu of written rubric comments.

Please contact Vinny Martini for questions about chairs, music stands, microphones, pianos and other equipment. We are working with the Brookdale Community College facility to see what will be available for the festival.

Sheet music is due in the Monmouth Arts office by February 28, 2020.



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