

17th Annual Young People's Competition

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The Annual Young People's Competition is operated through the Northwest Indiana Symphony Orchestra. This competition is for young people in grades Kindergarten through 11th grade. This highly acclaimed outreach initiative is led by Maestro Kirk Muspratt in order to showcase the talent of young performers in the Northwest Indiana region.

The winners of this prestigious competition will perform their piece at a Symphony concert within 18 months following the competition. These assignments are at the discretion of the music director.



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Audition Dates:

Friday, May 12, 2017, 4:00pm - 7:00pm

Saturday, May 13, 2017, 10:00am - 2:00pm

AUDITION INFORMATION

Auditions take place at The Center for Visual and Performing Arts—Northwest Indiana Symphony Rehearsal Hall.

The audition fee is \$15.00 and can be paid via cash or check to the Northwest Indiana Symphony Orchestra.

RESERVE YOUR AUDITION TIME

Please reserve your audition time and download an application at www.nisorchestra.org. Applications will be available starting February 1, 2017.

RESERVATION DEADLINE:
May 1, 2017

GUIDELINES

- Play any musical instrument/singing (solos, duets, trios & quartets are accepted)
- Memorize musical selection of their choice. The piece may be longer than two (2) minutes, but the excerpt performed may be a maximum of two (2) minutes in length.
- Be enrolled in grades K-11 (grade cut off date: June 30, 2016)
- Reside in Lake, Porter, LaPorte, Jasper, Newton or Starke Counties OR study with teachers in the above counties OR be a member of the Northwest Indiana Symphony Youth Orchestra
- Must provide accompanist for auditions (Winners must provide their own Symphony-approved accompanist at the concert)
- Contestant may not have been a winner in the same event for the 2016-17 season. (If the performer won as a vocalist in 2016-17, they may compete on piano in 2017-18)
- Due to the high volume of applicants, refunds for the registration fee are unavailable.



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