

ALL-REGION AUDITION INFORMATION

All Region Auditions:

Saturday October 28, 2017

Departure: 7:00 am from FAYETTEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL (**arrive by 6:45 am**)

Dress: Orchestra t-shirts and jeans

****All students must ride the bus to the event.*** (ASBOA state rules)

Location: Kimmons Jr. High School, 2201 N 50th St, Fort Smith, AR 72904

Snacks and lunch items can be purchased on site. Students may of course bring their own food. Also, I would suggest students bring a book, games or cards to play, as it can be a very long day. (Students must be responsible for keeping up with their items)

Students will be given an audition time or number upon arrival (not before). If you would like for your child to leave after their last audition, you may pick them up. We will need a note in advance from you and for your child to visually check out with our chaperones. (Students must be picked up by a parent or designated legal guardian).

Return and Arrival (back at FHS): 7:00 pm (tentative)

Mr. Yale and Ms. Haley will receive music for those students who are chosen to be in an all-region orchestra at the end of the day. Students chosen will be given extra help in learning this music.

The clinic (rehearsals) is on Friday from the afternoon and on Saturday morning November 10th and 11th. The performances will be in the afternoon of November 11th. The clinic and performances will be held at Rogers High School.

Every student is expected to respect our chaperones and the rules. If this is not the case, the child's parents will be called and expected to drive to Fort Smith to pick up the student.

Mr. Yale and Ms. Haley will be difficult to contact as they will be adjudicators all day on the 28th. We will check in with the chaperones during breaks.

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(We will use Remind app for texting and receiving info during all region)

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Schedule (Sat. Oct. 28th 2017)

6:45 am arrive at and load bus at FHS (Bus leaves promptly at 7:00am)

7:30-8:30 Registration (*Mr. Yale and Ms. Haley will check everyone in*)
Students look up their randomly pre-assigned audition time or number and warm-up in the designated areas.

7:45 am Director's meeting (*all teachers will be attending*)

8:30 am Try-out material and scales posted (*mark your parts*)

9:00 am First auditions begin (*be at your room 30 mins early*)

Students will play prepared pieces first (in whatever order the student chooses), then scales (in the order listed), and then sight reading (if required) Scales must be performed by memory, and must be performed in the order posted. Students will be given 20 seconds to look over the sight-reading material.

No talking in the audition room. (Check with the outside monitor if you have questions)

No warm-up will be allowed in the hallways or tryout rooms.

No electronic devices in the audition/tryout rooms.

A student who misses their audition time will receive a 5% deduction from their overall score, and will be allowed to audition at the next available time, which may not be until the end of the audition day.

These rules are in place to help insure that each child has a fair audition.

Our students are to be congratulated on their hard work in their preparation for these auditions.

Please include \$6 for the auditions with the returned permission slip if you haven't already paid your registration fee. **Permission forms due by Mon. 10/24**

**** Students and Parents should sign up on the Remind App for text announcements as we will use this for info and contact during All Region.**

REMIND APP code for texts: all17orch

Also, check google classroom & fpsorch.weebly.com for info.