

RULES

Henry Fillmore Composition Contest

Sponsored by the Florida Bandmasters Association

1. PURPOSE

The FBA Henry Fillmore Composition Contest is established to encourage students' efforts in original composition and to give recognition for outstanding achievement.

2. RULES AND REGULATIONS

- a) In order to be eligible to participate in this contest, the applicant must be a regular member of a band under the direction of an active member of the Florida Bandmasters Association.
- b) The composition must be for any standard instrumentation consistent with the solo, ensemble, jazz band, or full band listings **used in F.B.A. Music Performance Assessments**.
- c) A completed application, Full Score (including any accompaniment), parts and a recording (**PREFERABLY LIVE**, but computer rendered is acceptable) must be in the hands of the committee by **JUNE 1, of any given year**.

3. SELECTION

- a) The Composition Contest Committee shall judge all entries at the meeting immediately following the deadline.
- b) The recipient will be notified in time for presentation of the award to be made at the annual FMEA Clinic/Conference.

4. AWARD

- a) A plaque indicating the achievement will be presented before a gathering at the FMEA Clinic/Conference.
- b) Cash awards of up to **\$500.00** may be awarded at the discretion of the Contest Committee.
- c) If no suitable compositions are submitted, no awards will be given.

APPLICATION

Student Name _____ Graduation Month/Year _____
 Composer _____
 Student's Major Instrument _____

Student Address _____

Student Phone _____ Student Email _____

Band Director's Name _____ Director's Email _____
FBA Member

School Name _____

School Address _____

School Phone _____

Composition Title _____

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

CATEGORY (check one)
<input type="checkbox"/> Concert Band
<input type="checkbox"/> Jazz Band
<input type="checkbox"/> Solo & Ensemble

I certify that the student listed above on this application is an enrolled student of this school and is a regular member of the organization listed on this application. Moreover, I certify that the student meets minimum GPA requirements established in Florida Statute 1006.15 and any Florida Department of Education eligibility requirements at this time. All teachers and students will abide by the rules, regulations, and procedures defined by the Florida School Music Association and the Florida Bandmasters Association.

Director's Signature _____ *Date* _____ *Principal's Signature* _____ *Date* _____

CHECK LIST
<input type="checkbox"/> Application
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Score/Performance Instructions
<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Set of Parts
<input type="checkbox"/> Live/Computer rendered Recording of the Composition

MAIL TO:
Mr. Phil Wharton
Composition Contest
212 Jenny Way
Lakeland, FL 33809

DEADLINE: POSTMARKED BY JUNE 1ST