

NORTH COLONIE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

91 Fiddlers Lane
LATHAM, NEW YORK 12110-5349

TO: Piano Students and Parents in North Colonie

FROM: Deborah Keough
District Music Supervisor

RE: NYSSMA Solo/Ensemble Music Festival: **PIANO**
March 8-9, 2024 at SUNY Schenectady (SCCC)

DATE: December 2023

The New York State School Music Association (NYSSMA) sponsors a statewide music festival each year during spring. Students have the opportunity to perform a piece of music which is selected from the NYSSMA Manual. **Piano teachers must check that music is in the 2022 edition of the NYSSMA manual.** The students receive a critique of their performance, and a grade is given. The feedback students receive from the judge will help them grow musically.

ALL piano solos will be scheduled at one piano only festival site: March 8 or 9 at SUNY Schenectady School of Music, 78 Washington Avenue, Schenectady.

**Levels 1-6: March 8 or 9, SUNY Schenectady
(registration form & check by January 11)**

The cost will be:

Solo Levels 1-4: \$22.00

Duet Levels 1-4: \$11.00 each

Solo Levels 5-6: \$30.00

Duet Levels 5-6: \$15.00 each

Please fill out the student registration form and return it to your music teacher.
Checks should be made payable to North Colonie Central School District

***** *DEADLINE: Thursday, January 11* *****

OFFICE OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

Shaker High School
445 Watervliet-Shaker Road, Latham, New York 12110-4697

(518) 785-5511, ext. 3354
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NYSSMA PIANO FESTIVAL
STUDENT REGISTRATION FORM

March 8 or 9, 2024
SUNY Schenectady, Levels 1-6

If your child attends a **private school**, enter your home address **HERE**:
and then mail your form to Deborah Keough at
Shaker HS, 445 Watervliet-Shaker Rd., Latham NY 12110

Student Name(s): _____
Please print both names if performing a duet.

School: _____ Grade: _____ Homeroom: _____

Parent Name: _____ Parent Phone: _____

Parent e-mail: _____

Check one: Solo _____ Duet- 4 hands* _____ Duet- 2 pianos* _____

**If your duet partner attends another school, contact Deborah Keough for assistance: deborah.keough@nccsk12.org or 518-785-5511 ext. 3354.*

Level of Music (circle): **1** **2** **3** **4** **5** **6**

Piano teacher will have this information.

Preferred performance day/time (check one):

Friday, March 8, Afternoon _____

Friday, March 8, Evening _____

Saturday, March 9, Morning _____

Saturday, March 9, Afternoon _____

No preference – either day _____

Requests for Fridays **cannot**
always be honored.

If you have a **required**
timeframe, please explain here:

Solo – Level 1-4	\$22.00	Duet – Level 1-4:	\$11.00 each
Level 5-6	\$30.00	Level 5-6:	\$15.00 each

Enclosed is a check made out to **North Colonie Central School District** in the amount of \$_____.

Return registration form and money due to your **music teacher**.

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