

TOMPKINS HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRAS
UIL Solo & Ensemble Contest
February 5, 2022

Who: All academically eligible students
When: Saturday, February 5, 2021
Where: Mayde Creek High School

Due Date: Online entries and entry fees are due Fri., December 17th, 2021. NO EXCEPTIONS.
Time: TBD
Costs: \$12 per student, per event. Check to TOMPKINS ORCHESTRA FRIENDS
\$55 accompanist fee for soloists only (due at a later date)

This event is open to any member of the OTHS orchestras however soloists must have a private lesson teacher. The contest gives you an opportunity to further develop your skills by performing a solo and/or ensemble on your string instrument for a professional judge. **The judges will listen to your performance and write a comment sheet with feedback for you. You have the opportunity to earn a medal if you earn a rating of “one” from your judge. Depending on your rating you may earn letter jacket points and may even qualify you for the Katy Young Artist Competition or TSSEC.**

ENTRY FEES

UIL Solo & Ensemble - \$12 per student per event (two events maximum)

***CASH or check to Tompkins Orchestra Friends.**

Please return in an envelope with your first and last name written clearly on the front.

ACCOMPANIST FEES

If your piece is accompanied by piano then it is a requirement of the contest to have a professional pianist. Your private teacher may have an accompanist for you to use for the contest. Check with him/her first. You may also ask to use the OTHS accompanist. The fee for this is \$55 and includes two short rehearsals at OTHS a week or two prior to the contest. Accompanist fees are not due until February. **All solos require original scores to compete. ORDER THEM NOW FOR AN EARLY JANUARY ARRIVAL.** Please number ALL measures in piano and instrumental part.

IMPORTANT DATES

December 17, 2021	Entry Form and Fees due. <u>No late forms accepted</u>
January 5, 2022	Original (numbered) piano and instrument part due to Mr. Porter
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