Selection Process

Each judge will select his/her own top students with rankings (1st place, 2nd, 3rd, etc.) for every category. Select and rank the best 10 performances for Grades 4-6; best 8 for Grades 7-9; best 6 for Grades 10-12. Each judge must designate his/her own 1st placer, 2nd, 3rd, etc.

The equivalent points for each judge's rankings will be combined with those of the rest of the judges' for the overall ranking of the students.

Grades 4-6:

1st place = 10 points / 2nd place = 9 points / 3rd place = 8 points, etc.

Grades 6-9:

1st place = 8 points / 2nd place = 7 points / 3rd place = 6 points, etc.

Grades 10-12:

1st place = 6 points / 2nd place = 5 points / 3rd place = 4 points, etc.

Students to be Selected based on Overall Rankings

Grades 4-6

Top 8 students for Elementary masterclasses. 9th and 10th ranked for the community outreach recital only.

Grades 6-9

Top 5 students for Junior masterclass.

6th, 7th and 8th ranked for the community outreach recital only.

Grades 9-12

Top 4 students for Senior masterclass.

5th and 6th ranked for the community outreach recital only.

There will be a total of 24 students who will play for the community outreach recital. All students chosen to play in the masterclasses are automatically chosen to play in the community outreach recital also.