



# Frequently Asked Questions

## **When will I get my contest time schedule and assigned room number?**

Your teacher should receive that information approximately two weeks before the contest.

## **Are schedule or time changes allowed?**

Any change of an entered selection after the original application has been submitted is allowed, but must be in the same category/level as the original selection choice.

Time changes are NOT allowed, except in the case of an emergency.

## **Are page turners allowed?**

Yes, page turners are allowed.

## **Am I allowed a warm up before I play my selection?**

Contestants may warm up before beginning their selection (i.e. a scale, arpeggio, chords, etc.). It is best not to use any part of their contest selection as a warm up.

## **Can I use a photocopy of the music to be presented to the judge?**

Contestants cannot use photocopies of published music that is currently available.

## **Can I videotape my child's performance?**

The use of audio or video recorders is permitted to record your own child's or student's performance. You may also record the award presentation, however, you must have prior written permission to record any other contestant's performance. Audio or video recorders are instructional tools for your own personal use. Recordings will not be accepted as criterion regarding the judging.

## **Do duets, trios and ensembles need to be memorized?**

No, duets, trios and ensembles do not need to be memorized.