Festival Information

ACE ALL-STATE JAZZ CHOIR AUDITIONS

Festival Chairpersons: Steve Hickman, Highland HS - Steve.Hickman@gilbertschools.net
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Audition Site: Boulder Creek HS, 40404 N Gavilan Peak Pkwy., Anthem AZ 85086

Audition Registration Deadline: 8/30/19.

Requisition/Purchase Order Information (should be initiated prior to festival registration).

Registration Fee: $20.00 per student.

Late Fee - after registration deadline: $50.00 (late registration must be approved-acceptance not guaranteed). LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED UNLESS APPROVED BY THE ACE VP JAZZ/SHOW ACTIVITIES. Teacher must send appeal to: Katie Hixon, ACE VP Jazz/Show Activities - kthixon1@gmail.com. If approval is granted for late registration, the AMEA Executive Director and the chair will be notified and the registration will be processed with the late fee added.

Non-Member Fee: $100.00. Members must login to the AMEA website BEFORE registering – Current NAfME membership is required – Non-members go directly to registration form.

Auditions: Jazz Choir.
   a. All Jazz Choir auditions will be “live” auditions.
   b. Auditions must be memorized.
   c. Each school will be assigned a block of time for those students who register to audition.
   d. All students auditioning will be required to show picture identification at the “live” audition.
   e. Vocal Audition - The vocal audition will consist of the following:
      1) The required Jazz/Show Choir scales must be sung a cappella in a swing rhythm, using the syllables shown, and in the key and tempo indicated.
      2) The scales will be judged on accuracy of pitch, fluidity, tone quality and appropriate swing feel.
      3) All auditioners must sing the short, required solo twice.

Payment Information:
Credit Card: Visa/MasterCard/AMEX/Discover.
Check/PO: Make checks/purchase orders payable to AMEA or Arizona Music Educators Association.
Send Payment/Purchase Orders to:
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   AMEA Executive Director
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Submission Of Registration Form Obligates Payment.