

# Festival Information

## AMEA Southern Arizona Honor Orchestra Nomination

**Festival Chairpersons:** Mary Acosta - maryac@susd12.org  
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**Nomination Registration Deadline:** **Extended to 11/25/20.**

### **Student Grade Level:**

Nominated students are to be enrolled in the fifth (5th), sixth (6th), seventh (7th) or eighth (8th) grades.

### **Student Nomination:**

- a. A teacher may nominate a maximum of ten (10) students per grade level.
- b. The students nominated are to be the best musicians in the band or orchestra at their school.
- c. Teachers may list additional students who play oboe, horn, low winds, or low strings.
- d. Additional nominees may be accepted to obtain desirable instrumentation.
- e. It is the responsibility of the teacher to nominate only students meeting the minimum qualifications.
- f. Students must have played for at least one full school year.

**Nomination Registration Fee:** None.

### **Late Nomination Entries:**

- a. The online registration form will change to a late registration form at midnight on the deadline date.
- b. The late registration form will then be available for a period of two weeks. The grace period will extend for two weeks and **NO LONGER**.
- c. Late entries **will not** be accepted following the two-week grace period.

### **Qualification For Nomination:**

Although students are not auditioned, it is the responsibility of the nominating teacher to determine if the students being placed in nomination meet minimum requirements.

**SEE: Page 160 in the AMEA Activities Handbook for ratings rubric.**