



Annapolis Valley Music Festival

Spring 2023

Instrumental Syllabus

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RULES

Please see the General Rules for a complete list of rules.

1. There shall be no repeats unless stated on the conservatory book.
2. Studies or Light Side do not need to be memorized.
3. All competitors, unless otherwise stated, shall be open to amateurs only. Professionals may enter classes marked "Senior/Open", except in senior provincial classes.
4. In like classes, participants may enter in one class only (e.g. if you enter Grade 1 List A, you are not allowed to enter Grade 2, List A). However, you may enter Grade 1 List A and Grade 2, List B because they are different categories.
5. All classes have both a Competitive (C) and a Non-competitive (NC) option. Please indicate "Comments Only" on the entry form should you wish to be non competitive. Eligibility for all trophies and prizes is determined by the results of Competitive classes.

6. Concert Attire is required for competitors and accompanists for both test classes and “Stars of the Festival” Concerts. Performers are encouraged to treat all classes like a public performance and wear appropriate attire.
7. In classes where an age limit is set, the competitor shall not be over the specified age limit as of December 31st of the previous year.
8. In Own Choice classes, each competitor chooses stated selection(s), keeping in mind the quality and standard of the music. Where time limits are stated, competitors must adhere to the rules.
9. All Own Choice selections must be listed on the entry form. TBA selections will not be accepted.
10. **COMPETITORS MUST SUPPLY SCORES FOR THE ADJUDICATORS**, which they must hand in prior to the classes in which they are performing. Competitors should use the specified edition in the Syllabus. If no music is supplied, five marks may be deducted.
11. **NO PHOTOCOPIES FOR ADJUDICATOR, PERFORMER OR ACCOMPANIST ARE PERMITTED**, unless accompanied by a letter of consent from the copyright owner or publisher. **A performer using a photocopy will be disqualified**. Downloaded music is permitted provided proof of purchase is supplied.
12. In all Concert Group or Own Choice Classes, selections must not have been performed by the contestant in another class in the current Festival or in the Festival of the previous year.
13. In duet or duo classes, one competitor may not perform the same part twice.
14. If contestants wish to be eligible for the Provincial Festival they must enter the required class(es) as stipulated in the syllabus for their instrument or voice.
15. Competitors are asked to notify the festival (info@avmf.ca) of any cancellation at least 24 hours in advance.
16. If a selection exceeds the time limit specified in the syllabus, the contestant may be stopped by the Adjudicator.
17. Competitors must check in 15 minutes before the class is scheduled to begin.
18. At the conclusion of each class the Adjudicator may announce the marks of the top 3 competitors only, provided the marks are above 80%.
19. A contestant requesting to perform at a time, other than the designated time of the class, will be marked as a non-competitive entry, except in cases where there is a conflict of classes entered in the festival schedule.

WOODWINDS

Woodwind Solo

2 selections. Own Choice

Junior

WW3200 Beginner -1st year of study	\$20.00
WW3201 Preparatory	\$20.00
WW3202 Grade 1 - List A	\$20.00
WW3203 Grade 1 - List B	\$20.00
WW3204 Grade 1+1/2 - List A	\$20.00
WW3205 Grade 1+1/2 - List B	\$20.00
WW 3206 Grade 2 - List A	\$20.00
WW3207 Grade 2 - List B	\$20.00
WW3208 Grade 3 - List A	\$20.00
WW3209 Grade 3 - List B	\$20.00
WW3210 Grade 4 - List A	\$20.00
WW3211 Grade 4 - List B	\$20.00
WW 3212 Grade 5 - List A	\$20.00
WW3213 Grade 5 - List B	\$20.00
WW3214 Grade 5 - List C (flute only)	\$20.00

Intermediate

WW3215 Grade 6 - List A	\$25.00
WW3216 Grade 6 - List B	\$25.00
WW3217 Grade 6 - List C (flute only)	\$25.00
WW3218 Grade 7 - List A	\$25.00
WW3219 Grade 7 - List B	\$25.00
WW3220 Grade 7 - List C (flute or saxophone)	\$25.00

Senior

WW3221 Grade 8 - List A	\$30.00
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WW 3222 Grade 8 - List B	\$30.00
WW3223 Grade 8 - List C (flute or saxophone)	\$30.00
WW3224 Grade 9 - List A	\$30.00
WW3225 Grade 9 - List B	\$30.00
WW3226 Grade 9 - List C (flute or saxophone)	\$30.00

Open

WW3227 Grade 10 - List A	\$35.00
WW3228 Grade 10 - List B	\$35.00
WW3229 Grade 10 - List C (flute, clarinet or saxophone)	\$35.00
WW3230 Grade 10 - List D (flute only)	\$35.00
WW3231 ARCT/OPEN - List A	\$35.00
WW3232 ARCT/OPEN - List B	\$35.00
WW3233 ARCT/OPEN - List C (flute, clarinet or saxophone)	\$35.00
WW 3234 ARCT/OPEN - List D (flute only)	\$35.00

WOODWIND STUDIES

2 Selections – Own Choice

Junior

WW3235 Preparatory	\$20.00
WW 3236 Grade 1	\$20.00
WW3237 Grade 2	\$20.00
WW3238 Grade 3	\$20.00
WW3239 Grade 4	\$20.00
WW 3240 Grade 5	\$20.00

Intermediate

WW3241 Grade 6	\$25.00
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WW3242 Grade 7 \$25.00

Senior

WW3243 Grade 8 \$30.00

WW3244 Grade 9 \$30.00

Open

WW3245 Grade 10 \$35.00

WW3246 ARCT/OPEN \$35.00

WOODWIND CONCERT GROUPS

Perform any THREE CONTRASTING PIECES from the current RCM or other syllabus. There must not be 2 movements of the same work. **Music must be provided for the adjudicator.**

Maximum time limits:

Grade 1-3 (6 minutes);

Grade 4-5 (8 minutes);

Grade 6-7 (10 minutes);

Grade 8 to ARCT (20 minutes);

Provincial Senior Class (40 minutes)

Junior

WW3247 Grade 1 \$20.00

WW3248 Grade 2 \$20.00

WW3249 Grade 3 \$20.00

WW3250 Grade 4 \$20.00

WW3251 Grade 5 \$20.00

Intermediate

WW3252 Grade 6 \$25.00

WW3253 Grade 7 \$25.00

WW3254 Grade 8 \$25.00

Senior/Open

WW3255 Grade 9 \$30.00

WW3256 Grade 10 \$30.00

WW3257 ARCT/OPEN \$30.00

INSTRUMENTAL DUETS

Any brass or woodwind combination. Two selections, own choice.

INS 3600 Beginner 1st year of study \$20.00

INS 3601 Junior A 2nd year of study \$20.00

INS 3602 Junior B 3rd year of study \$20.00

INS 3603 Junior C 4th year of study \$25.00

INS 3604 Junior D 5th year of study \$25.00

INS 3605 Senior High level \$30.00

INS3606 Adult Beginner \$30.00

INS3607 Open \$35.00

INS3608 Family \$20.00

INS3609 Teacher & Student (N/C) - may include percussion \$20.00

RECORDER

RECORDER SOLO - two selections, own choice RCM recorder.

Junior

REC3500 Beginner- 1st year of study	\$20.00
REC3501 RCM Grade 1	\$20.00
REC 3502 RCM Grade 2 - List A	\$20.00
REC 3503 RCM Grade 2 - List B	\$20.00
REC 3504 Grade 3 - List A	\$20.00
REC 3505 Grade 3 - List B	\$20.00
REC 3506 RCM Grade 4 - List A	\$20.00
REC 3507 RCM Grade 4 - List B	\$20.00
REC 3508 RCM Grade 5 - List A	\$20.00
REC 3509 RCM Grade 5 - List B	\$20.00

Intermediate

REC 3510 RCM Grade 6 - List A	\$25.00
REC 3511 RCM Grade 6 - List B	\$25.00
REC 3512 RCM Grade 7 - List A	\$25.00
REC 3513 RCM Grade 7 - List B	\$25.00

Senior

REC 3514 RCM Grade 8 - List A	\$30.00
REC 3515 RCM Grade 8 - List B	\$30.00
REC 3516 RCM Grade 9 - List A	\$30.00
REC 3517 RCM Grade 9 - List B	\$30.00

Open

REC 3518 RCM Grade 10 - List A	\$35.00
REC 3519 RCM Grade 10 - List B	\$35.00
REC 3520 RCM ARCT/Open - List A	\$35.00

REC 3521 RCM ARCT/Open - List B \$35.00

REC 3523 RCM ARCT/Open - List C \$35.00

RECORDER STUDY

Two selections, Own Choice

REC 3524 RCM Grade 1 \$20.00

REC 3525 RCM Grade 2 \$20.00

REC 3526 RCM Grade 3 \$20.00

REC 3527 RCM Grade 4 \$20.00

REC 3528 RCM Grade 5 \$25.00

REC 3529 RCM Grade 6 \$25.00

REC 3530 RCM Grade 7 \$25.00

REC 3531 RCM Grade 8 \$30.00

REC 3532 RCM Grade 9 \$30.00

REC 3533 RCM Grade 10 \$35.00

REC 3534 RCM ARCT/Open \$35.00

RECORDER CONCERT GROUPS

Perform any **THREE CONTRASTING PIECES** from the current RCM syllabus. You must not perform 2 movements of the same work. Music must be provided for the adjudicator.

Maximum time limits:

Grade 2-3 (6 minutes)

Grade 4-5 (8 minutes)

Grade 6-7 (10 minutes)

Grade 8 to ARCT (20 minutes)

Junior

REC 3535 Grade 1 Own Choice	\$20.00
REC 3536 Grade 2 Own Choice	\$20.00
REC 3537 Grade 3 Own Choice	\$20.00
REC 3538 Grade 4 Own Choice	\$20.00
REC 3539 Grade 5 Own Choice	\$20.00

Intermediate

REC 3540 Grade 6 Own Choice	\$25.00
REC 3541 Grade 7 Own Choice	\$25.00

Senior

REC 3542 Grade 8 Own Choice	\$30.00
REC 3543 Grade 9 Own Choice	\$30.00

Open

REC 3544 Grade 10 Own Choice	\$35.00
REC 3545 ARCT/ OPEN Own Choice	\$35.00

RECORDER DUETS

Two selections, Own Choice

REC 3609 Beginner 1st year of study	\$20.00
REC 3610 Junior A 2nd year of study	\$20.00
REC 3611 Junior B 3rd year of study	\$20.00
REC 3612 Junior C 4th year of study	\$25.00
REC 3613 Junior D 5th year of study	\$25.00
REC 3614 Senior High	\$30.00
REC3615 Adult Beginner	\$30.00
REC 3616 Open	\$35.00
REC 3617 Family	\$20.00

REC 3618 Teacher and Student (Non-competitive) \$20.00

SMALL ENSEMBLES - RECORDER (3 or more performers)

One selection, Own Choice

REC 3700 Beginner 1st year of study \$20.00

REC 3701 Junior A 2nd year of study \$20.00

REC 3702 Junior B 3rd year of study \$20.00

REC 3703 Junior C 4th year of study \$25.00

REC 3704 Junior D 5th year of study \$25.00

REC 3705 Senior High level \$30.00

REC 3706 Open \$35.00

BRASS

BRASS SOLO

Two selections – Own Choice

Junior

B3300 Beginner-1st year of study \$20.00

B3301 Preparatory \$20.00

B3302 Grade 1 - List A \$20.00

B3303 Grade 1 - List B \$20.00

B3304 Grade 1+1/2 - List A \$20.00

B3305 Grade 1+1/2 - List B \$20.00

B3306 RCM Grade 2 - List A \$20.00

B3307 RCM Grade 2 - List B \$20.00

B3308 RCM Grade 3 - List A \$20.00

B3309 RCM Grade 3 - List B \$20.00

B3310 RCM Grade 4 - List A \$20.00

B3311 RCM Grade 4 - List B \$20.00

B3312 RCM Grade 5 - List A \$20.00

B3313 RCM Grade 5 - List B \$20.00

Intermediate

B3314 RCM Grade 6 - List A \$25.00

B3315 RCM Grade 6 - List B \$25.00

B3316 RCM Grade 7 - List A \$25.00

B3317 RCM Grade 7 - List B \$25.00

B3318 RCM Grade 8 - List A \$25.00

B3319 RCM Grade 8 - List B \$25.00

Senior/Open

B3320 RCM Grade 9 - List A \$30.00

B3321 RCM Grade 9 - List B \$30.00

B3322 RCM Grade 9 - List C (trumpet only) \$30.00

B3323 RCM Grade 10 - List A \$30.00

B3324 RCM Grade 10 - List B \$30.00

B3325 RCM Grade 10 - List C (trumpet only) \$30.00

B3326 RCM Grade 10 - List C (piccolo trumpet only) \$30.00

B3327 RCM ARCT/OPEN - List A \$35.00

B3328 RCM ARCT/OPEN - List B \$35.00

B3329 RCM ARCT/OPEN - List C \$35.00

B3330 RCM ARCT/OPEN - List D \$35.00

BRASS STUDY

Two selections

B 3331 RCM Preparatory	\$20.00
B 3332 RCM Grade 1	\$20.00
B3333 RCM Grade 2	\$20.00
B3334 RCM Grade 3	\$20.00
B 3335 RCM Grade 4	\$20.00
B3336 RCM Grade 5	\$20.00
B3337 RCM Grade 6	\$25.00
B3338 RCM Grade 7	\$25.00
B3339 RCM Grade 8	\$25.00
B3340 RCM Grade 9	\$30.00
B3341 RCM Grade 10	\$30.00
B3342 ARCT/OPEN	\$35.00

BRASS CONCERT GROUPS

Perform any THREE CONTRASTING PIECES from the current RCM or other syllabus. There must not be 2 movements of the same work. Music must be provided for the adjudicator.

Maximum time limits:

Grade 1-3 (6 minutes);

Grade 4-5 (8 minutes);

Grade 6-7 (10 minutes);

Grade 8 to ARCT (20 minutes);

Provincial Senior Class (40 minutes)

B3351 RCM Grade 1	\$20.00
B3352 RCM Grade 2	\$20.00
B3353 RCM Grade 3	\$20.00
B3354 RCM Grade 4	\$20.00

B3355 RCM Grade 5	\$20.00
B3356 RCM Grade 6	\$25.00
B3357 RCM Grade 7	\$25.00
B3358 RCM Grade 8	\$30.00
B3359 RCM Grade 9	\$30.00
B3360 RCM Grade 10	\$35.00
B3361 RCM ARCT/OPEN	\$35.00

WOODWIND or BRASS CONCERTOS

WW3362/B3362 CONCERTO - one (1) movement	\$25.00
WW3363/B3363 CONCERTO - two (2) movements	\$30.00
WW3364/B3364 CONCERTO - three (3) movements	\$35.00

PERCUSSION

PERCUSSION SOLO CLASSES

Two selections - Own Choice

Junior

P3400 Beginner-1st year of study	\$20.00
P3401 RCM Grade 1 (snare drum or mallet)	\$20.00
P3402 RCM Grade 1+1/2	\$20.00
P3403 RCM Grade 2 (snare drum or mallet)	\$20.00
P3404 RCM Grade 3 (snare drum or mallet)	\$20.00
P 3405 RCM Grade 4 - List A (snare drum)	\$20.00
P3406 RCM Grade 4 - List B (mallet or drum set)	\$20.00
P3407 RCM Grade 5 (snare drum or mallet)	\$25.00

Intermediate

P3408 RCM Grade 6 - List A (snare drum)	\$25.00
P3409 RCM Grade 6 - List B/C (mallet or drum set)	\$25.00
P3410 RCM Grade 6 - List D (timpani)	\$25.00
P3411 RCM Grade 7 (snare drum, mallet, drum set or timpani)	\$25.00

Senior

P3412 RCM Grade 8 - List A (snare drum)	\$30.00
P3413 RCM Grade 8 - List B (mallet)	\$30.00
P3414 RCM Grade 8 - List C/D (drum set or timpani)	\$30.00
P3415 RCM Grade 9 - List A (snare drum)	\$30.00
P3416 RCM Grade 9 - List B (mallet)	\$30.00
P3417 RCM Grade 9 - List C (drum set)	\$30.00
P3418 RCM Grade 9 - List D (timpani)	\$30.00

Open

P3419 RCM Grade 10 - List A (snare drum)	\$35.00
P3420 RCM Grade 10 - List B (mallet)	\$35.00
P3421 RCM Grade 10 - List C (drum set)	\$35.00
P3422 RCM Grade 10 - List D (timpani)	\$35.00
P3423 RCM ARCT/Open - List A	\$35.00
P3424 RCM ARCT/Open - List B	\$35.00
P3425 RCM ARCT/Open - List C	\$35.00
P3426 RCM ARCT/Open - List D	\$35.00

PERCUSSION CONCERT GROUP

3 or more performers - one selection, Own Choice

Please state instruments on the entry form

P3707 Beginner 1st year of study	\$20.00
P3708 Junior A 2nd year of study	\$20.00
P3709 Junior B approx. 3rd year of study	\$20.00
P3710 Junior C approx. 4th year of study	\$25.00
P3711 Junior D approx. 5th year of study	\$25.00
P3712 Senior High Level	\$30.00
P3713 Open	\$35.00

INSTRUMENTAL SMALL ENSEMBLES

Please state BRASS (B) and/or WOODWIND (WW) on entry form (3-6 performers)

*Please state instruments on the entry form-one selection, Own Choice

3714 Beginner 1st year of study	\$20.00
3715 Junior A 2nd year of study	\$20.00
3716 Junior B approx. 3rd year of study	\$20.00
3717 Junior C approx. 4th year of study	\$25.00
3718 Junior D approx. 5th year of study	\$25.00
3719 Senior High level	\$30.00
3720 Open	\$35.00
3721 Family	\$20.00

INSTRUMENTAL LARGE ENSEMBLES - BRASS and/or WOODWIND - (7+ performers)

*Please state instruments on the entry form-one selection, Own Choice

3724 Beginner 1st year of study	\$20.00
3725 Junior A 2nd year of study	\$20.00

3726 Junior B approx. 3rd year of study	\$20.00
3727 Junior C approx. 4th year of study	\$25.00
3728 Junior D approx. 5th year of study	\$25.00
3729 Senior High level	\$30.00
3730 Open	\$35.00
3731 Family	\$20.00

PROVINCIAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

CLASS 500 – WOODWIND SOLO

The instrument must be stated on the entry form. Participants are expected to perform a well-rounded recital program with the number of selections for their level, reflecting a variety of styles and periods.

- All selections* recommended from the Local Festival must be performed;
- It is expected that additional selections* will be added to your program. Competitors are expected to use the performance time allotted to them to maximum advantage;
- The inclusion of compositions by Canadian and Indigenous composers is encouraged;
- Memorization is encouraged but not required.

* A selection is defined as “a single movement composition or one or more movements of a multi -movement composition.” In addition to Sonatas, Concertos, Suites, etc., a group of pieces by the same composer or from an existing Collection by a composer is acceptable as a multi-movement work.

#501 Senior/Advanced

#502 Intermediate

#503 Junior (Non-Competitive Education Stream)

CLASS 600 – BRASS SOLO

The instrument must be stated on the entry form. Participants are expected to perform a well-rounded recital program with the number of selections for their level, reflecting a variety of styles and periods.

- All selections* recommended from the Local Festival must be performed;
- It is expected that additional selections* will be added to your program. Competitors are expected to use the performance time allotted to them to maximum advantage;
- The inclusion of compositions by Canadian and Indigenous composers is encouraged;
- Memorization is encouraged but not required.

* A selection is defined as “a single movement composition or one or more movements of a multi -movement composition.” In addition to Sonatas, Concertos, Suites, etc., a group of pieces by the same composer or from an existing Collection by a composer is acceptable as multi-movement work.

#601 Senior/Advanced

#602 Intermediate

#603 Junior (Non Competitive Education Stream)

For additional information please consult <https://fmfns.ca/>