



TMEA  
Region XIX Orchestra  
2002 - 2003

To: Region XIX Instrumental Directors  
From: George "jorge" Tate, Region XIX Orchestra Chairman  
Date: August 10, 2002

Region and All-State Orchestra Information

**Applications:**

Follow the TMEA Auditions Process Online Entry Instructions found in the August 2002 issue of *Southwestern Musician – Texas Music Educator*, page 33.

**Due Dates: Please note extension of due dates!**

Junior High Region entries **must** be entered **online before** September 23<sup>rd</sup>.  
High School Region entries **must** be entered **online before** September 30<sup>th</sup>.  
Faxes, recorded messages, and mailed entries are not considered official.

Be aware that **no changes can be made after entries are submitted and the deadline passed**. You will be able to print hard copies of your entry forms so that you can include one copy with your entry fee check! Once you are satisfied with your entries, please mail the check and a copy of your entries immediately to:

George Tate  
9942 Kirkshire Drive  
Houston, TX 77089-2207

**Audition Panels**

Please remember that TMEA requires that each audition panel must have 5 members. All directors and their assistants must judge.

**Fees**

Region Orchestra Audition Fee:	\$7.00 (All levels, all string players)
Taping Fee	\$10.00 (payable upon making tape)

**Jr. High Wind Auditions:** Saturday, October 12, Bonnette Jr. Hi. (Deer Park)  
Host/Organizer: John Nielson

**Jr. High String Auditions:** Saturday, October 19, Jackson Int. (PISD)

TIME: 9:00 AM for Students – Judges meet at 8:15 AM

**High School String Auditions:** Saturday, October 26, Kingwood 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

TIME: 9:00 AM for Students - Judges meet at 8:15 AM

**All State taping:** Saturday, Nov. 2<sup>nd</sup>, Clear Lake 9<sup>th</sup> Grade Campus

TIME: 1:00 PM for Students - Directors meet at 12:30 PM

Our region can certify no more than the following numbers of students to tape:

24 Violins

16 Cellos

16 Violas

12 Double Bass

4 Harps

1 Piano

**High School String Chair Auditions:** Tuesday, January 14, Clear Brook HS

TIME: 5:30 PM for Students - Judges meet at 4:45 PM

**Jr. High String Chair Auditions:** Thursday, January 16, Thompson MS

TIME: 6:00 PM for Students - Judges meet at 5:15 PM

**Winds, brass and percussion Auditions:** Saturday, December 14, place TBA

Host/Organizer: Gary Hebert

Please be on time! Directors must bring a list of DNA's to the auditions.

Note: Early and late times **will not be granted** to students. They must be present when their letter is called. All high school directors and assistants need to be present.

**Region Orchestra Rehearsals and Concert:**

Friday, January 24 from 5:30 (Rehearsal[s])

Saturday, January 25 from 8:30 am

Place: South Houston High School

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**Other important information:**

**First Round All-State Tape Judging** (Etude only): Saturday, Nov. 16, Westlake H.S., Austin, TX. = Michael Schoen and James Winslow

**Second Round All-State Tape Judging** (Excerpts): Saturday, Nov. 23, Austin H.S., Sugar Land, TX = José Rocha and Jeanette Shackelford

**All-State String results** posted on TMEA website: The week of Nov. 25 – *do not call!*

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