

FREQUENTLY ASKED AUDITION QUESTIONS

WHEN IS THE DEADLINE TO APPLY AND SUBMIT MY RECORDING FOR THE SUMMER PROGRAM?

We must receive your online application and submitted recording by Sunday, April 25, 2021 @ midnight. Late submissions will not be considered.

WHEN WILL THE RESULTS BE ANNOUNCED?

Results will be announced via e-mail the week of May 3rd.

WHO CAN AUDITION?

Instrumentation for this chamber symphony is: violin, viola, cello, bass, flute oboe, clarinet, bassoon and horn. Current (2020-2021) high school seniors as well as students who will be in 9th through 12th grade during the 2021-2022 school year.

WHAT ARE THE SUMMER PROGRAM DATES AND REHEARSAL TIMES?

Dates: 2 weeks, Monday-Thursday (8 sessions) from June 7-17

Times: 4:00-6:20 PM

There will be sectional rehearsals on Tuesdays.

WHAT IS TUITION FOR THE 2 WEEK PROGRAM?

\$150 per student.

WILL COVID-SAFE PRACTICES BE FOLLOWED?

We will continue to follow the COVID-safe practices outlined in "A Return to Music Making". Group rehearsal will migrate throughout our facility in half hour increments. Please find an example of the schedule below:

Full Group Rehearsal Day (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday)

4:00-4:30 Marie Robertson Hall

4:30-4:35 move

4:35-5:05 Open Office Area

5:05-5:15 break (lobby area)

5:15-5:45 Marie Robertson Hall

5:45-5:50 move

5:50-6:20 Open Office Area

WHAT WILL BE THE END PRODUCT OF THE PROGRAM? IS THERE A WAY TO WATCH THE PERFORMANCE?

AYSP will be partnering with Patty Kunig and Real Image Productions for a live streamed and/or recorded performance on the final day of the program! Links and information will be provided at a later date as we get closer to the program.

IS FINANCIAL AID AVAILABLE?

Yes. The Albuquerque Youth Symphony Program is committed to supporting any student in need of financial assistance for tuition.

Each application is assessed using a sliding scale of 25-90% of tuition cost, based on HUD Low to Moderate Income (LMI)

Guidelines. Please contact Dr. Strong at bea@aysmusic.org for more information.

If you have other questions, please contact us at (505) 875-1319 or e-mail Assistant Director, Dr. Strong at bea@aysmusic.org