



New Mexico School for the Arts  
 Audition Evaluation Form  
 2010-2011 School Year

**MUSIC – PIANO / GUITAR / PERCUSSION**

Applicant Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Audition Site: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Instrument: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Prepared Piece #1 (Title / Composer): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Prepared Piece #2 (Title / Composer): \_\_\_\_\_

**Section 1: Prepared Pieces (100 Points Possible)**

Please rate the applicants from 1 to 10 in each category and then provide comments.  
 (1/2= poor, 3/4= fair, 5/6= good, 7/8= very good, 9/10= excellent)

<b><u>Categories</u></b>	<b><u>Score</u></b>
<b>Style</b> (Assess the applicant's understanding of the repertoire's style and the ability to achieve the stylistic demands of the material)	Piece # 1
	Piece # 2
<b>Range of Dynamics and Color</b> (Assess the applicant's ability to achieve a range of dynamics and colors)	Piece # 1
	Piece # 2
<b>Rhythmic Accuracy</b> (Assess the applicant's overall sense of pulse and ability to perform accurate rhythms)	Piece # 1
	Piece # 2
<b>Technique</b> (Assess the applicant's technical facility and physical coordination)	Piece # 1
	Piece # 2
<b>Musicality</b> (Assess the applicant's interpretive capacity, including sense of expression, dynamics, and phrasing)	Piece # 1
	Piece # 2
<b>General Comments:</b>	<b>TOTAL:</b>

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**Section 2: Interview (75 points possible)**

Each applicant will be asked a series of questions including the questions below. Please take notes on responses to each question. At the bottom of the page please rate the applicants on a scale of 1 – 25 (1=low, 25 =high)

1. How did you learn about the New Mexico School for the Arts and why did you decide to apply?
2. What do you most hope to gain by attending the New Mexico School for the Arts?
3. How do you see yourself making use of your musical abilities after high school?
4. What aspect of playing your instrument comes most easily to you?
5. What aspect of playing your instrument gives you the greatest difficulty?
6. What do you love most about making music?
7. Who are your musical heroes? Whom would you most like to emulate?
8. Do you have any questions of us?

Rating: (1 to 25)

Passion \_\_\_\_\_

Aptitude \_\_\_\_\_

Promise \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL (75 points possible): \_\_\_\_\_**

General Comments:

**Final Recommendation of Panelist**

Highly Recommend • Recommend • Recommend w/ Reservations • Do Not Recommend

Panelist's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_