

PUEBLO YOUTH SYMPHONY

The Pueblo Youth Symphony is excited to announce the auditions for the 2023-2024 Pueblo Youth Symphony **YOUNG ARTISTS ORCHESTRA**/formally the Pueblo Youth Symphony.

AUDITIONS OPEN TO

Students in grades 6 through 12

All orchestral instruments (violin, viola, cello, bass)

Other instruments may inquire for audition to June King at pueblosymphony@hotmail.com

Rehearsals will be every Thursday from 4:30pm to 6:00pm in Room 205 at CSU Pueblo. Thursday, September 14 will be a "Meet and Greet" to introduce Conductors, Staff, the Music Education Committee, and the Executive Director. The remainder will be held as a rehearsal.

All students are expected to be present and we invite the parents to also come for this first rehearsal if possible.

AUDITION INFORMATION

2 Scales · Excerpt · Optional: Piece of your choosing

AUDITION INSTRUCTIONS

1. Fill out the Pueblo Youth Symphony **Young Artists Orchestra** Application and the Student Participation Form.
2. Provide a Google Drive or YouTube link to your audition repertoire with your application.

3. Email all items to:

Veena Fleming at: puebloyouthsymphony@gmail.com

Important Note: *The Fall Semester 2023 Participation Fee of \$50 has been waived due to a generous City of Pueblo ARPA Grant. Students accepted to the Pueblo Youth Symphony must complete and submit the Student Participation Form prior to or at the first rehearsal.*

You can download your application and audition materials under the '**YOUNG ARTISTS**' tab at www.pueblosymphony.com

Application deadline is Thursday, September 14, 2023.



Student Participation Form

If accepted to the Pueblo Youth Symphony **YOUNG ARTISTS ORCHESTRA**, this form must be completed and submitted prior to or at the first rehearsal.

NOTICE TO PARENTS

If this form is not returned, your child may not be allowed to perform in the semester concert and/or continue rehearsing as part of the Pueblo Youth Symphony. This form is important because it is the **ONLY** way in which the Symphony can provide proof of your participation and therefore be reimbursed from the City of Pueblo ARPA Grant.

This grant is the reason that the semester fee is currently being waived for each Pueblo Youth Symphony Participant. By signing this form, you are attesting that you are participating in Pueblo Youth Symphony **YOUNG ARTISTS ORCHESTRA**.

CITY OF PUEBLO ARPA GRANT SEMESTER PARTICIPATION AFFIDAVIT

(Do not check off all semesters. You must fill out a form for each semester.)

FALL 2023

SPRING 2024

Date: _____

Student Name (please print): _____

(Only one student per form; If you have more than one student, you must fill out a form for each)

Parent Name (please print): _____

Student Signature: _____

Parent Signature: _____

(If student is under 18, parent signature required)





Pueblo Youth Symphony YOUNG ARTISTS ORCHESTRA Application

Application deadline is Thursday, September 14, 2023

Student's Name _____
FIRST MIDDLE LAST

Instrument _____ Number of Years Played _____ Home Phone _____

Home Address _____ City _____ Zip Code _____

Student's email Address _____

School _____ Grade _____

Teacher's Name _____

Teacher's Signature _____

If applicable, the YouTube link to your audition repertoire at _____

STUDENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

STUDENT SIGNATURE

PARENT NAME (PLEASE PRINT)

PARENT SIGNATURE

Date _____



Pueblo Youth Symphony **YOUNG ARTISTS** ORCHESTRA Rehearsal Schedule Fall 2023

Thursday, 9/14/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 9/21/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 9/28/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 10/5/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 10/12/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 10/19/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 10/26/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 11/2/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 11/9/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 11/16/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 11/23/23	NO REHEARSAL	THANKSGIVING BREAK
Thursday, 11/30/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
Thursday, 12/7/23	4:30pm-6:00pm	CSU-P Music Building Room 205
*December Concert	Concert/Dress Reh.	TBA

*-Denotes Dress Rehearsal or Concert

ATTENDANCE POLICY

- Attendance is required for every rehearsal.
- Only THREE excused absences will be permitted. Absences due to illness will not be counted against attendance.
- Other school activities without prior notification is NOT an excused absence.
- No one may miss dress rehearsals or concerts unless due to extreme emergency.
- If you are absent for the dress rehearsal or concert, it will result in your DISMISSAL FROM THE GROUP AND YOU WILL FORFEIT YOUR ELIGIBILITY FOR THE FOLLOWING YEAR.
- Please contact Veena Fleming by email (puebloyouthsymphony@gmail.com) or by phone (719-571-0313) if you must be absent from rehearsal at least 24 hours before a rehearsal.

CONCERT ATTIRE

Ladies: Black dress (must be below the knee when sitting down), long black skirt (must be below the knee when sitting down), or black dress pants; black or white long-sleeved blouse (sleeves must be at least $\frac{3}{4}$ length), and black closed-toed dress shoes.

Gentleman: Black dress pants; white or black long-sleeved dress shirt; black jacket, black neck tie or bow tie; black socks and black dress shoes.

