

**MANHASSET PUBLIC SCHOOLS**  
*Department of Fine & Performing Arts*

December 2019

Dear Student and Parent/Guardian,

The NYSSMA Piano Evaluation Festival is scheduled for 2020 as follows:

- LIU Post Fine Arts Center, Northern Blvd. in Greenvale on Monday, May 11 and Tuesday, May 12. **The application deadline is March 13, 2020.**

All musicians are eligible to participate in the NYSSMA festival. Music should be selected from the current NYSSMA manual (**Edition 32**); a copy is located in every school music office. All students must register through a school music teacher.

In order to secure an audition time, please fill in and sign the permission slip below and return it to your music teacher with the appropriate fee in the form of a check payable to Manhasset UFSD (note NYSSMA and student's name on the memo line) by Friday, March 13, 2020. Please send in a separate form and check for each child and time slot you are registering. Students will be notified of their performance times approximately three weeks in advance. **Cash will not be accepted.**

Sincerely,

Christopher Hale, Ed.D.  
Director of Fine and Performing Arts

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**Fee: \$30.00 – Levels 5 and 6 Piano**

**\$22.00 – Levels 1- 4 Piano**

Return this form and check made out to Manhasset UFSD to your school music teacher by

**Building (circle):** MP   SR   MS   HS   **School music teacher's name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Piano teacher's name and phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Home phone #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Piano NYSSMA Level:**   1       2       3       4       5       6       **Grade in school:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name of piece:** \_\_\_\_\_ **NYSSMA page #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Composer:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Arranger if any:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Sibling name (if also attending this festival):** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Parent/Guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Is there any extreme conflict that would prohibit you from performing at NYSSMA on one of these dates?**

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