

REGISTRATION HAS CLOSED. You may add your name to a waiting list on the cmea.org frontpage

CMEA Elementary Honors Orchestra

The 3rd Annual CMEA Elementary Honors Orchestra Festival is a great opportunity for exemplary string orchestra students in grades 4-6 from around Connecticut to perform together!
The orchestra will rehearse and perform on Thursday March 30th at the CMEA 2017 In-Service Conference. Connecticut Convention Center in Hartford, CT (March 30-April 1, 2017)

CMEA is very pleased to announce this year's EH Conductor will be Ann Danis from URI! [BIO](#)



NEW PROCEDURES AND ONLINE REGISTRATION!
Please read carefully, print and save this page for your reference!



REGISTRATION: First come/first serve and online only. We can accept no more than 140 students.

Online registration will open at 7:00 a.m. on Thursday December 1st and will close at 140.

To finalize, **payment must be received in the CMEA office within three weeks** after you register. Mail a school check, made out to CMEA or school PO form. *Do not send parent's personal checks. Incomplete Registrations will not be processed.*

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS:

- Students must be in grades 4-6, play a string orch instrument and represent exemplary musicianship.
- Students should be able to play the following **comfortably**: Grade 1 Music, D and G major scales, 3/4 and 4/4 Time signatures, C and F naturals, Variety of bowing techniques (slurs, staccato etc) and demonstrate excellent posture and technique.
- There is a limit of 4 students **per school**. Schools that have multiple music teachers will need to collaborate on which 4 students will represent their school.
- Teacher's own individual CMEA/NAfME membership must be current at the time of application.
- Teachers are expected to help students prepare the selected music in advance.
- Teachers must chaperone their students to the Convention Center and be available in the rehearsal room to chaperone for a portion of the day. You may still attend the In-Service Conference when you are not scheduled to chaperone, providing that you have purchased on conference registration.

FEE: \$30 per student includes box lunch and a festival tee shirt, which students will receive onsite.

MUSIC: Will be mailed to you after upon receipt of your school's payment. You will also receive a schedule, health form and concert information at that time.

Questions? Contact Chairperson: Emily Caravella at Ecaravella@wethersfield.me

Online Registration Problems? Contact Barbara in the CMEA office cmea@snet.net

ONLINE REGISTRATION DIRECTIONS:

*****BEFORE you begin your registration collect the following:**

1. For each of your students collect their Name, Instrument, # years played, dietary restrictions/allergies and Tee Shirt Size Y (S-M-L) or A (S-M-L)
2. Obtain official support of your administrator to participate, you will need to sign off on this.
3. If paying by PO, if possible have the number on hand. You will need to mail the hard copy later.

REGISTRATION IS CLOSED. *We have met the maximum number that we can accept.*

You may add your name to a waiting list in case there is a cancellation, we will fill from this list in the order they are received. The wait list link is posted to the front page of cmea.org until Dec 7.