Congratulations! As a result of your outstanding audition, you have been selected to participate in one of our 2020 WMEA All-State high school honor groups in Yakima. As a member of one of our groups, there are several steps you must take. Please go over this information very carefully with your parents and teacher, with particular attention to deadlines for registration and payment of fees.

**Registration and Payment of Fees**

Carefully complete your registration form, obtain all required signatures, and return to your school music teacher immediately.

Payment of all fees must come from, and be processed through your school or district. If you are expected to personally fund part or all of your participation expense, you will need to pay the school, which will then pay WMEA. Many schools assist students with the cost of registration and housing. ASBs, booster clubs, and other local organizations may be willing to help you. Registration and payment of $395 ($385 for large groups) must be postmarked by December 2nd. Late registrations will be charged an additional $10 each.

Your registration fee covers all lodging, meal and transportation expense between check-in and the concert in Yakima.

Cancellation Policy: During December after registering, $240 refunded

During January, $130 refunded. No refunds in February for any reason.

**Music**

Music will be mailed to your school music teacher **beginning** the the first week of January.

Note: We will not mail your music until your registration has been received and all fees paid.

Once your music has arrived, label all loose pages in pencil with your name and school. If you believe you have received the wrong music or parts, contact your school music teacher immediately. Finally---practice, practice, practice.
Contact information

If a problem arises prior to the weekend of the event, or should you have questions or concerns, our management team is ready to assist.

Todd Giltner, WMEA All-State General Manager, allstate@wmea.org
Bruce Gutgesell, WMEA Student Events Coordinator, studentevents@wmea.org
Mike Mines, All-State Jazz Band Manager, mike.mines@sno.wednet.edu
Kirk Marcy, All-State Jazz Choir Manager, kmarcy@edcc.edu
Ben Brueggemeier, All-State Percussion Ensemble Manager, benbr@spokaneschools.org

If you need to reach a member of our staff once we are in Yakima, phone Mr. Giltner at 253-569-6780

Monday, January 20th, at Central Washington University Music Department, Ellensburg.
10:00 to 4:00, lunch provided, wear nicer school clothes. From University Way, turn left on Alder, Music Building is on your left just before reaching 14th.

In Yakima---Registration and Check in is at your rehearsal site.

Check in between 11:30-12:30 on Wednesday, 2/12 (rehearsal begins at 1:00 PM)

It is very important that you have already eaten prior to arrival. You will not be allowed to leave the premises once you have checked in.  Bring all your personal possessions to your rehearsal site at time of check-in.

All-State Jazz Choir
Hilton Garden Inn
401 East Yakima Avenue, Yakima
(509) 454-1111

All-State Jazz Band
Le Chateau
15 N. Naches Avenue, Yakima
(509) 853-1060

All-State Percussion Ensemble
Le Chateau
15 N. Naches Avenue, Yakima
(509) 853-1060
Make arrangements with your school music teacher to arrive at your Ellensburg retreat and Yakima rehearsal site at the appropriate time. **Students are not allowed to drive to, or during their time in Ellensburg or Yakima.** If you do, you will be sent home and not allowed to participate. You need to arrive and return by commercial transportation, school transportation, or with your music teacher or parents.

**At the conclusion of your concert, your parents or music teacher are responsible for you and your transportation home.**

### Schedule

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**All-State Percussion Ensemble Concert, 1:30 pm Friday, February 14**
*The Yakima Convention Center rooms EFGH, 10 North 8th Street, Yakima*

**NO TICKET REQUIRED**

**All-State Jazz Concert, 3:30 pm Friday, February 14**
*The Capitol Theatre, 19 South Third Street, Yakima*

**PURCHASED TICKET REQUIRED**

**ALL-STATE JAZZ CONCERT TICKETS**

*Jazz concert tickets* are $20 if purchased in advance, or $25 the day of at the door. Children grade eight and below will be admitted free, however, you must pick up that free ticket at the concert venue the day of event. Tickets may be purchased in advance at www.capitoltheatre.org. Click “Tickets” and then “Filter Events” for WMEA All-State Concerts. You are strongly encouraged to “Print at Home.” However, Will Call is also an option. You may also purchase by phone at 509-853-2787. Onsite tickets will be sold at the Capitol Theatre Box office starting at 11:00 AM Friday 2/14.

Plaques, photographs and recordings will be available for purchase. Photo and recording order forms are included with this packet. All items may be purchased at the concert.

### Housing

Fully *chaperoned housing, four students per room, will be provided and all WMEA All-State participants must stay at WMEA housing as provided. Hotel room assignments will be made when checking in at your rehearsal site on your first day. If your parents/guardian wishes to confirm your hotel or be given your room number, plan to call them with that information after you have checked in.

### Housing for Family and Friends

WMEA has made arrangements with hotels should friends or family need housing in Yakima. Click or type the following URL in your browser to access information. [http://wmea.org/subcontent.aspx?SecID=1057](http://wmea.org/subcontent.aspx?SecID=1057)
Clothing, instruments, luggage, other

- Comfortable, school appropriate clothing for rehearsals and meals.
- Concert attire as appropriate for a formal school concert. (Dark shoes and socks please.)
- Your instrument, in good working order, well labeled with your name and contact information.
- Accessories—strings, rosin, rock stop, mutes, reeds, valve oil, etc.
- A folding music stand for Yakima rehearsals, labeled with your name/section (instrumentalists only.)
- Luggage, labeled. Personal spending money.

Attendance, participation and behavior

With the number of students and adults involved in making a weekend like this possible, we must all work together in a respectful, positive manner. Students whose behavior is unacceptable to supervising adults, chaperones, hotel or facility staff, will be sent home at their own expense at the first reasonable opportunity.

All students are expected to participate in all rehearsals and scheduled activities. By electing to participate in our honor groups, you agree that you will not leave rehearsals or other activities, including the hotels, during the time involved. Doing so will result in your removal from the group and an immediate trip home. If you are in a school group that has been invited to perform at the conference, your teacher is expected to make arrangements with Todd Giltner at least two weeks prior. Students will be allowed to be picked up 30 minutes before the scheduled performance and must be returned within 30 minutes of the conclusion of the performance.

Following is the official WMEA policy regarding attendance:

In the interest of student safety and group management, students will be required to remain with honor group activities for the duration, from check-in until the concert is concluded. Students will not be released for school, church, family or personal reasons barring an emergency or another unique, extraordinary and unexpected circumstance. If students have conflicts arise after registration and choose to not participate in their honor group, they will be subject to the published refund policy. Students missing rehearsal without prior clearance from the All-State General Manager will be subject to immediate return home. This includes, but is not limited to, emergencies and the school music group’s participation at the concurrent music educators conference.
Dear 2020 WMEA All-State ensemble member,

Congratulations on being chosen as an honored member of one of the 2020 WMEA All State ensembles. Your special performance will be digitally recorded. CDs, MP3s, & DVDs will be available. If you would like to order recordings of any of the All-State ensembles, please fill out the order form below and turn it in at your concert to the Soundwaves order booth or mail it to:

Soundwaves Recording
4708 Surfside Drive  Huron Ohio 44839

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Dear Music Participant,

This is to let you know that 8”x12” photographs will be taken of your entire musical performance group as well as the instrument or voice section in which you are performing (please note, these are not individual portraits). Each photo can be purchased for $17 and will be mailed to the address provided below within 6 weeks after the concert. **PLEASE COMPLETE ALL INFORMATION BELOW.**

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