

# NFHS MUSIC ADJUDICATION FORM SOLO

Order of Appearance:

Date:

Program/Event No.:

Event:

Class:

(tenor solo, trumpet solo, etc.)

School Name:

Location-Contest/Festival:

Name of Soloist:

Selections	Composer	Publisher
1.		
2.		
3.		

**Place one of these numbers in each box below, then total carefully.**

5 — A superior performance — outstanding in nearly every detail.

4 — An excellent performance — minor defects.

3 — A good performance — lacking finesse and/or interpretation.

2 — A fair performance — basic weaknesses.

1 — A poor performance — unsatisfactory.

**NOTE:** A score of .5 (3.5, 4.5, etc.) may be used in any category.

AREAS OF CONCERN	COMMENTS
<b>Tone Quality</b> Consider: resonance, control, clarity, focus, consistency, warmth	
<b>Intonation</b> Consider: accuracy to printed pitches	
<b>Rhythm</b> Consider: accuracy of note and rest values, duration, pulse, steadiness, correctness of meters	
<b>Technique (facility/accuracy)</b> Consider: artistry, attacks, releases, control of ranges, musical and/or mechanical skill	
<b>Interpretation, Musicianship</b> Consider: style, phrasing, tempo, dynamics, emotional involvement	
<b>Diction - Vocal</b> <b>Bowing - Strings</b> <b>Articulation - Winds</b>	
<b>Other Performance Factors</b> Consider: Choice of literature, appropriate appearance, poise, posture, general conduct, mannerisms, facial expression (vocal), memory (if required)	
<b>Sight-Reading, Scales</b>	
<b>TOTAL POINTS</b>	

**Divisional Rating** \_\_\_\_\_

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(signature of adjudicator)

### RATING COMPUTATION TABLE

**Without Sight-Reading**

**With Sight-Reading**

35-32 points = Division I (Superior) = 40-36 points

31-25 points = Division II Excellent = 35-28 points

24-18 points = Division III (Good) = 27-20 points

17-11 points = Division IV (Fair) = 19-12 points

10-7 points = Division V (Poor) = 11-8 points

**NOTE:** Round Scores (31.5 = 32 etc.)



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