



STRINGS SYLLABUS

CONCERTO CHALLENGE CLASS

Class 8000* Open to ages 18 & under \$85 Time Limit 25:00
This class is open to piano, strings & woodwinds

Competitors will be divided into three age categories:

11 & under 14 & under 18 & under

Program:

Strings: One movement from a concerto, concertino or a concert piece with orchestral accompaniment from the Classical or Romantic era. 20th century pieces might be accepted, please consult with the Festival before signing up.

Piano & Woodwinds: Please see the piano and woodwinds syllabi

NEW All participants of the Concerto Challenge class must participate in at least one other class during the festival.

Three winners will have the prestigious opportunity to perform with the Richmond Orchestra in February 2018 at the “Rising Stars” concert.

** 2017 Concerto Challenge class winners can not participate in 2018 competition.*

Each winner is responsible to sell \$150 worth of tickets to the “Rising Stars Concert” 2019

Junior String Division

Open to Violin, Viola, Cello and Bass. Classes will be grouped: Violin & Viola, Cello & Bass.

Graded String Repertoire *(RCM list C)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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|-------------------|-------------|------|------------|------|
| Class 1001 | Grade 1 & 2 | \$35 | Time Limit | 4:00 |
| Class 1002 | Grade 3 & 4 | \$35 | Time Limit | 4:00 |
| Class 1003 | Grade 5 & 6 | \$35 | Time Limit | 4:00 |

Repertoire by age *(RCM list C or pieces that are not in the syllabus)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1011 | 8 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 4:00 |
| Class 1012 | 10 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 6:00 |
| Class 1013 | 12 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 8:00 |

Repertoire by age *(RCM list A pieces that are not concertos)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1021 | 8 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 4:00 |
| Class 1022 | 10 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 6:00 |

Unaccompanied Bach Sonata or Partita *(RCM list D)*

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| Class 1043 | 12 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 12:00 |
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Junior Concerto *(RCM list A)*

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| Class 1051 | 8 years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1052 | 10 years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1053 | 12 years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |

Junior Sonata *(RCM list B)*

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| Class 1061 | 8 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 12:00 |
| Class 1062 | 10 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 12:00 |
| Class 1063 | 12 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 15:00 |

Concert Group

Must consist three pieces of different styles and period. One movement of a Concerto or Sonata permitted.

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| Class 1072 | 10 years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1073 | 12 years & under | \$50 | Time Limit | 20:00 |

Intermediate String Division

Open to Violin, Viola, Cello and Bass. Classes will be grouped: Violin & Viola, Cello & Bass.

Graded String Repertoire *(RCM list C)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1004 | Grade 7 & 8 | \$39 | Time Limit | 10:00 |
| Class 1005 | Grade 9 | \$39 | Time Limit | 10:00 |

Repertoire by age *(RCM list C or pieces that are not in the syllabus)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1014 | 14 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 10:00 |
| Class 1015 | 16 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 12:00 |

Unaccompanied Bach Sonata or Partita *(RCM list D)*

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| Class 1044 | 14 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 12:00 |
| Class 1045 | 16 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 15:00 |

Intermediate Concerto *(RCM list A)*

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| Class 1054 | 14 years & under | \$50 | Time Limit | 20:00 |
| Class 1055 | 16 years & under | \$50 | Time Limit | 20:00 |

Intermediate Sonata *(RCM list B)*

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| Class 1064 | 14 years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1065 | 16 years & under | \$50 | Time Limit | 20:00 |

Concert Group

Must consist three pieces of different styles and period. One movement of a Sonata permitted.

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| Class 1074 | 14 years & under | \$59 | Time Limit | 25:00 |
| Class 1075 | 16 years & under | \$59 | Time Limit | 25:00 |

Senior String Division

Open to Violin, Viola, Cello and Bass. Classes will be grouped: Violin & Viola, Cello & Bass.

Graded String Repertoire *(RCM list C)*

No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1006 | Grade 10 | \$48 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1007 | Grade ARCT | \$48 | Time Limit | 15:00 |

Repertoire by age *(RCM list C or pieces that are not in the syllabus)*
No concertos or sonatas permitted.

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| Class 1016 | 18 years & under | \$48 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1017 | Open | \$48 | Time Limit | 20:00 |

Unaccompanied Bach Sonata or Partita *(RCM list D)*

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| Class 1046 | 18 years & under | \$48 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1047 | Open | \$48 | Time Limit | 20:00 |

Senior Concerto *(RCM list A)*

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| Class 1056 | 18 years & under | \$55 | Time Limit | 30:00 |
| Class 1057 | Open | \$55 | Time Limit | 30:00 |

Senior Sonata *(RCM list B)*

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| Class 1066 | 18 years & under | \$55 | Time Limit | 20:00 |
| Class 1067 | Open | \$55 | Time Limit | 25:00 |

Concert Group

Must consist three pieces of different styles and period. One movement of a Sonata permitted.

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| Class 1076 | 18 years & under | \$68 | Time Limit | 30:00 |
| Class 1077 | Open | \$68 | Time Limit | 30:00 |

String Ensemble *2-6 players*

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| Class 1111 | 12 Years & under | \$45 | Time Limit | 15:00 |
| Class 1112 | 17 Years & under | \$50 | Time Limit | 20:00 |
| Class 1113 | Open | \$55 | Time Limit | 25:00 |

Non-Competitive division

Repertoire by age

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| Class 1201 | 12 years & under | \$35 | Time Limit | 6:00 |
| Class 1202 | 17 years & under | \$39 | Time Limit | 10:00 |
| Class 1203 | Open | \$50 | Time Limit | 12:00 |