

NC Carolina Chapter of NATS
FRIDAY-SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13-14 2020
Video Auditions
Video Submission Procedures

It is important that you follow these directions carefully to get your student in compliance for the video auditions. Please see tutorial and the end of the document.

Starting as soon as you can!

- 1) Make your song videos. Follow these instructions from the NATS website completely. <https://www.nats.org/NSA - You Tube Round Video Submissions.html>
Failure to comply could result in disqualification. As an added bonus, should you advance to the next level, you would already have your videos made.

Other tips:

- a. You will need a video camera (or good cell phone video camera) to make your recording from a stationary position.
- b. You will also need an ANONYMOUS YouTube account from which to post the videos. I recommend creating a special account just for this purpose, not an account that has other videos by you that may come up in the suggested videos. The teacher of the student should not be identified in the videos or from the account.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7: REGISTRATION OPENS AT 9AM.

- 2) The AUDITIONWARE registration page will reopen to allow TEACHERS to load the individual video links, one for each required song. From your application repertoire, you will choose one song that will be your “sing-off/honors recital selection” and indicate this selection in the application. If your category subdivides, this will be the song video heard by the judges in the sing-off round. Remember, in the sing-off round, only one song is heard. This song will also be used for our virtual Honors Recital that we will post at the end of competition.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 21: REGISTRATION CLOSES AT MIDNIGHT

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30: JUDGING BEGINS AT 9AM

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 7: JUDGING ENDS AT 5PM

- 3) After registration close, the repertoire will be vetted and the singers will be divided into categories and sub-categories.
- 4) Judges will be given assignments and deadlines to view, comment, and score auditions. All of this will be done online and your comments will be sent to you digitally at the end of the event. In the subdivided categories, sing-off rounds will be held and judged next, in the same manner.

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- 5) Results will be announced online and a Virtual Honors Recital will be posted.
- 6) Certificates will be created with instructions for the next level of competition, checks written, and all materials will be mailed to the teachers of the selected students.

HOW TO REGISTER FOR NORTH CAROLINA NATS VIRTUAL CONFERENCE

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EVERYTHING YOU NEED TO KNOW TO MAKE A GREAT VIDEO:

<https://www.nats.org/NSA - You Tube Round Video Submissions.html>

TEACHERS

1) Open your NORTH CAROLINA NATS REGISTRATION (photo #1)

Select Audition

Which audition do you wish to register for?
IMPORTANT: Please select the correct event for your Chapter, District, or Region.

✓ [Select event]

North Carolina - Fall 2020 Music Theatre/CCM Audition

(or) Select Region event

(No Audition is active at this time)

*** If you don't see your audition in the list, return to the dashboard page and click on the CHANGE button to switch your Location affiliation.**

Select Cancel

2) The next steps will include entering your student's contact information, category, and repertoire. **On the repertoire page, "copy" and "paste" your Youtube URL/Video Link for each selection. This is a new step for us. (Photo #2)**

Complete Title of Selection *

Mama Look Sharp

Larger Work/Movement

1776

Composer *

Sherman Edwards

Language

English

Selection Type

Music Theater (Fully Realized Musical, Revue, or Song Cycle Production)

Timing (Minutes)

2

Timing (Seconds)

0

PASTE URL INTO BOX

Youtube URL/Video Link *

Enter full URL path

3) When you reach the final CONFIRMATION page you will be asked to pre-select one selection for the semi-final/final rounds as well as the honors recital. **THIS IS A NEW STEP AND IMPORTANT!** Only one selection may be checked! (Photo #3)

Check if this selection will be used for the semi-finals/finals/honors recital round

(ONLY 1 REPERTOIRE SELECTION MAY BE CHECKED)

Enter info for your SECOND of 3 selections.

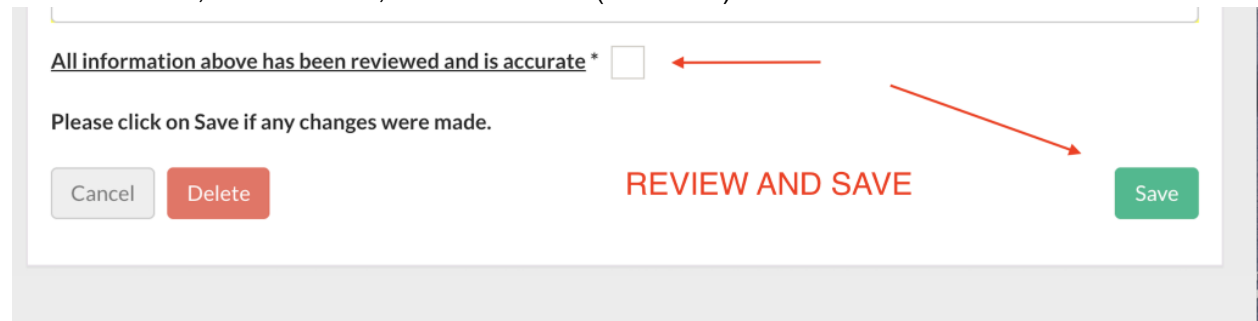
CHOOSE ONE SONG FOR THE SING-OFF ROUND/HONORS RECITAL

4) PLEASE REVIEW ALL OF THE INFORMATION ON THIS PAGE INCLUDING REPERTOIRE SELECTIONS, CATEGORY, AND PIANIST. (Photo #4)

All information above has been reviewed and is accurate * ←

Please click on Save if any changes were made.

Cancel Delete REVIEW AND SAVE Save

A screenshot of a web form for reviewing information. At the top, there is a text prompt: "4) PLEASE REVIEW ALL OF THE INFORMATION ON THIS PAGE INCLUDING REPERTOIRE SELECTIONS, CATEGORY, AND PIANIST. (Photo #4)". Below this is a form area with a white background and a light gray border. The form contains a checkbox labeled "All information above has been reviewed and is accurate" with an asterisk. A red arrow points from the right side of the form to the checkbox. Below the checkbox is the instruction "Please click on Save if any changes were made." At the bottom of the form, there are three buttons: "Cancel" (light gray), "Delete" (red), and "Save" (green). The text "REVIEW AND SAVE" is displayed in red in the center of the form. A second red arrow points from the top right of the form area down to the "Save" button.