

**HMTA Festival Cover Letter**  
**Update No. 1**  
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**Attention:** HMTA students and families

The past months have been filled with countless challenges, but music survives!

To honor the hard work of our students and their families, we will be having a music festival this year on March 4 and 5. HMTA cares deeply about our students, teachers, and community. We have chosen to hold the 2022 festival live and in person as in past years. To do this safely, the following policies will be followed to enhance the Festival experience and general welfare of all participants:

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We are excited to offer the opportunity for HMTA soloists and ensembles to reap the benefits of a professional adjudication and share their music with others! Festival participants will perform with others in their time block, and spend individual time receiving guidance and attention from the adjudicator.

Scores and certificates from festival performances will be delivered to instructors to share with their students. What a great way to learn from a master teacher and improve our craft!

We look forward to hearing the growth in musicianship from our HMTA students this spring.

Onward and upward!

Festival Chair,  
John Dorr