

NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles
October 26-29, 2014 • Nashville, Tennessee
STUDENT CONTRACT – TO BE COMPLETED BY SCHOOL

Congratulations! Your student(s) was/were selected for one of the 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles.

Student Name: _____

The National Association of Secondary School Principals has placed this program on the NASSP National Advisory list of Contests and Activities for 2014 -2015.

The 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles Group Managers received applications from the finest student musicians of the NAfME members. The difficult selection process has been completed and applications have been transferred to the NAfME Offices.

Please extend thanks to all your students who applied for the 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles. Thank you also for your help. You are to be commended for your leadership, support, and direction given to your students.

The following rules have been established for the participants of the 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles:

- 1. Students will prepare assigned music prior to arriving in Nashville.**
- 2. All Students should arrive on time and attend all rehearsals and concerts in their entirety. Illness or performance in a conference performing group are the only excuses for missing a rehearsal. A performing group conflict should be reported to the group manager at check-in. Students who miss more than one hour of rehearsal due to illness or other unscheduled conflict will not be permitted to perform with the ensemble.**
- 3. Immediately report any accidents, injuries, and/or illnesses to the chaperone or group manager.**
- 4. Use of cell phones, laptops, MP3 players, or other electronic devices during rehearsals and performances is prohibited.**
- 5. Students are not allowed to operate a motor vehicle or travel in any vehicle other than those officially approved by NAfME during the Honors Ensembles events. Students are also prohibited from having a motor vehicle on site.**
- 6. Once checked-in, students are not permitted to leave the hotel or officially designated and scheduled Ensemble areas for any reason. In addition, students should never travel alone between areas.**
- 7. NAfME will provide all hotel rooming assignments. Students must stay in the NAfME assigned accommodations.**
- 8. Students must be in their assigned room at curfew time and remain in the assigned room until 10 minutes prior to breakfast.**
- 9. People of the opposite gender are prohibited in students' hotel rooms at all times.**
- 10. Use of hotel services, including room telephones for local or long distance calls, paid television, room service, etc. is forbidden.**
- 11. Pranks or vandalism of any kind will not be tolerated. Parents and/or the participant will assume full financial responsibility for damage caused by the participant. Damage to any hotel room may be assessed equally among those students assigned to the room.**
- 12. Use, possession, or acquisition of alcoholic beverages, tobacco products, or illegal drugs is prohibited at any time during participation in the 2013 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles. Any violation of this rule will result in immediate dismissal from the All-National ensemble.**

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13. Students should dress appropriately and wear the official NAfME identification badge visibly in the upper torso at all times.
14. Students should notify NAfME immediately if it is necessary to withdraw from the assigned 2013 NAfME All-National Honors Ensemble.
15. Students should cooperate fully with chaperones, managers, and any other administrative officials.
16. Students should adhere to the Student Code of Conduct and the rules of their ensemble's conductor.

We, the undersigned, have read this official 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles contract, discussed its contents with the student, and agree to support its enforcement. We endorse this student as an outstanding musician worthy of the All-National Honors Ensembles participation. We understand that the 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensembles are organized expressly for the students of NAfME members only. The signatures below certify that the ensemble director is an NAfME member and has this student under their direction in a high school instrumental or vocal group corresponding with the 2014 NAfME All-National Honors Ensemble for which the student was selected. We understand that the ensemble director will receive this student's music via e-mail with a drop box link and agree to notify NAfME in case of an address change. The director will assist him/her in preparing the music selected for the program. We also understand that the school and/or parent/guardian will arrange transportation to and from this event and that students are not permitted to drive to, from, or during this event.

Music Director Printed Name

Signature

Date

School Principal Printed Name

Signature

Date

(____) _____
Ensemble Director School Phone

(____) _____
Ensemble Director Home Phone

School Name (as you wish it to appear on program)