**Category Definition**

An instrumental ensemble with 10 or more performers.

**Equipment**

**Provided**
- Music stands (As requested)
- Solo Microphones (2)
- Guitar and bass amps
- Piano or keyboard
- Drum set – drum throne, bass drum, bass pedal, snare drum, 1 tom, 1 floor tom, hardware & hi-hat, *(Please use the hi-hat setup provided)*

**Not Provided**
- Auxiliary percussion
- Drumsticks
- Monitor speaker
- Patch cords
- Additional keyboards or keyboard stands
- Bass – acoustic or electric
- Vibraphone**
- Congas**
- Cymbals (Please bring your own cymbals! Maximum of two)

**The Lionel Hampton School of Music at the University of Idaho can lend a limited number of vibraphones, congas and cymbals to schools in need (performance sites ONLY). Please reach out to jazzinfo@uidaho.edu to inquire about a reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis and must be requested at least one month prior to the festival.**

**Instrumental Ensembles Set Up**

[Diagram of an instrumental ensemble setup with labeled instruments such as piano, guitar, bass amp, drum kit, trumpets, trombones, saxophones, and solo mics.]
PERFORMANCE PROCEDURES

**Complete Forms**
Prior to arrival – complete online forms. A link to the forms will be sent to you by March 27, 2023.

**Check In**
At performance site 45 minutes prior to the scheduled performance. An escort will guide musicians through the remaining locations.

**Warm Up**
30 minutes allotted – an escort will guide musicians to the performance site 5 minutes prior to scheduled performance time.

**Perform**
Large ensembles will have 20 minutes to perform their set. Playing beyond the allotted time will not be permitted. There will be 5 minutes for transition after a mandatory 15 min. clinic.
* Note: Colleges may perform up to 25 mins.

*Every effort will be made to reschedule performers who miss their scheduled performance times. Due to tight schedules and logistics, a rescheduled performance is not guaranteed.*

RESULTS
Directors will receive the following items via email:

- Scores – overall and individual weighted categories by the end of evening concert
- Category / Division Rankings – school and director names redacted
- Winner Results by Category – as announced during the Evening Concert
- Winners Performance and Clinic video recording link accessible until August 15, 2024

WARM UP ROOM EQUIPMENT

✅ PROVIDED
- Music stands (As requested)
- Guitar Amp
- Bass Amp
- Piano or keyboard
- Drum Pad

❌ NOT PROVIDED
- Auxiliary percussion
- Drumsticks
- Monitor speaker
- Patch cords
- Additional keyboards or keyboard stands
- Bass – acoustic or electric
- Vibraphone
- Congas
- Drum set & Cymbals