

NYSSBA CALL FOR PERFORMING GROUPS



Call For Performing Groups: 2023 New York State School Boards Association Annual Convention & Education Expo

Application Deadline: April 14, 2023.

NYSSBA is seeking **small** traditional, contemporary and emerging ensembles from all levels (elementary through high school) who wish their groups to be considered to perform at the **NYSSBA Annual Convention & Education Expo** to be held at the Buffalo Niagara Convention Center, 153 Franklin St, Buffalo, NY 14202, **October 26-28, 2023**.

Due to space limitations, the maximum number of student performers per ensemble is **20**. Performances will be scheduled to run approximately 10 to 15 minutes in length. Ensembles will be considered for selection in alignment with NYSSMA's and NYSSBA's current initiatives in the areas of Belonging, Equity, Diversity and Inclusion.

Criteria for selection will include performance quality, varied representation of urban, rural and suburban schools, diversity of students in the performing groups, and varied age levels of the groups. Conductors of performing organizations may find more detailed information about the application and acceptance process at the Submittable link below.

Applicants must be from NYS School Boards Association member school districts. If you have any questions about this event, please contact Jennifer Kearney at: **Jennifer.kearney@nyssba.org** or at **518-783-3714**.

We use Submittable to accept and review our submissions. Detailed information and the application form may be found at: **<https://nyssma.submittable.com>** (When you get to the Submittable page, please scroll down to the NYSSBA link.)