



THE NATIONAL FLUTE ASSOCIATION

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How to Apply to NFA 2022 Competitions

The entry form, recordings/supplemental materials, and fees must be submitted by Tuesday, March 8, 2022 at 11:59 p.m. Central Standard Time.

1. **Review the [2022 General Competition Information, Rules and Regulations](#)** at the bottom of the NFA Competition Information page.
2. **Check that you meet all competition requirements** listed on your chosen competition's page including age and/or school level.
3. **Check that you have a current NFA membership.**
 - a. Log into your [nfaonline.org](#) account and select your Profile in the top right corner.
 - b. Check the expiration date in the "My Membership" section. Make sure the expiration date is greater than the day of your competition entry.
 - c. If your membership has expired or you are a new member:
 - i. **To renew a previous membership, [click here](#).**
 1. Log into your account.
 2. Select a membership level and follow the steps to renew your membership.
 - ii. **To become a member, [click here](#).**
 1. Follow the steps to create your Profile.
 2. Once created, go to the "My Membership" section and select "Join/Renew."
 3. Select a membership level and follow the steps to renew your membership.
4. **Submit entry form and fee:** Each form is linked on the specific competition's page. Be sure to fill out the correct entry form as each competition's form has slight variants.
 - a. Each form can also be accessed from your [Profile](#). Under "Awards & Competitions" select "View Open Competitions."
 - b. Please note that once you answer the entry questions and click Continue, you will not be able to return to that screen.
5. **Upload files/recordings:** Once the entry form has been submitted, you will receive an email with a link to upload your recordings and files.
 - a. Check your competition's repertoire requirements.
 - i. Carefully read all details related to required selections, including keys, opus numbers, movements, publishers, accompaniment, and order of performance.
 - ii. All uploaded performance files must be audio recordings (.wav, .mp3, and .m4a file types are strongly encouraged). No videos are allowed.
 - iii. Editing a recording, including studio-produced effects, or talking during a recording is strictly prohibited.
 - b. Include your name, email, and submission confirmation number (found in the confirmation email)
 - c. Include your name and the name of the selection on each file (Example: JaneSmith_MozartG.mp3).
6. **Congratulations**, you have entered a National Flute Association competition! Winners will be announced in April.