



HOW TO AUDITION

To audition contact info@OSFL.org or (607) 936-2873. For those who cannot submit a video recording for their audition, in person auditions may be scheduled through the office.

Parents of new students are required to attend an informational meeting during the first rehearsal.

Application form and fee payment instructions at www.OSFL.org.

SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

- Application Form Submitted
- \$15 Application Fee Paid
- Solo and scale video(s) submitted to info@OSFL.org OR in-person audition scheduled with the OSFL

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THE YOUNG PEOPLE'S ORCHESTRA

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ABOUT US

Conducted by OSFL violinists Margaret Matthews and Gary Chollet, this is a student orchestra of some of the finest young musicians in our region. The Young People's Orchestra offers an opportunity for our talented local youth to grow as musicians and make friends who share similar interests. Being involved in this program is a great learning experience that many students say helps them to have a true appreciation for working with a group, as well as music in general.

YPO students learn valuable life skills such as teamwork and leadership, knowing when to blend and follow as well as gaining confidence to gracefully shine in the spotlight. Participating in weekly rehearsals engrains students with the life-long habit of problem solving, creativity, and the persistent pursuit of excellence and mastery.



AUDITION FAQs

What should I include in my audition video?

Students will be asked to play a prepared 2-minute solo selection, without accompaniment, and a scale. Videos should be submitted via email to info@osfl.org. Contact the OSFL office to schedule in-person auditions.

How long will the season last?

From September to mid-May, with weekly Sunday afternoon rehearsals in Horseheads, NY.

When will the YPO perform?

Save the dates for YPO performances on March 10, and May 19.



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WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO AUDITION?

- Advanced elementary, middle school, and high school students who play string, wind, or percussion instruments.
- We recommend that students play at NYSSMA Level 4 or higher. Students should be able to play keys with up to three flats and three sharps. For strings, beginning shifting is a must.

(Those not familiar with NYSSMA ratings should contact the OSFL.)