

“Music! Just Imagine...” Song Writing Contest

Deadline: January 5, 2009

Students are to write a song based on the 2009 Music In Our Schools Month[®] theme, “Music! Just Imagine...” Songs will be judged on originality, melody, and lyrics by an MENC member panel. The top three songs will be announced in March 2009. Your student’s song may be selected to be performed in a future World’s Largest Concert[®].

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Teacher must be an MENC member and submit application on behalf of his or her student(s).
2. Teacher may select up to three (3) student songs to submit to MENC.
3. Song must be written by a student who is between grades 7-12.

Rules:

1. Song must be based on the theme: “Music! Just Imagine...”
2. Song must have a title.
3. Song must not exceed 5 minutes in duration.
4. A musical score and separate lyric sheet must accompany application.
5. Song must include at least one voice part and may include up to four parts (SATB).
6. *Optional:* Song can include piano, orchestral, or other instrumental accompaniment.
7. *Optional:* You may include an audio recording of your song (must be on CD).
8. Plagiarism of copyrighted material is illegal. It is the responsibility of the composer to assure that music submitted is not copyrighted. If any elements of the composition entry are copyrighted, it is the responsibility of the composer to secure permission for use of those elements.

By submitting this form, you authorize MENC to use your name and your student’s name(s) in any MENC promotional materials related to Music In Our Schools Month[®].

Please mail entries to - MENC, Attn: Song Writing Contest,
1806 Robert Fulton Dr., Reston VA, 20191.
Or fax to – Attn: WLC (703) 860-9404, Email: WLC@menc.org

“Music! Just Imagine...” Song Writing Contest Entry Form

Teacher Information

Teacher Name:	Title:
School:	
School Mailing Address:	
Phone Number:	Fax Number:
Email:	

Student #1 Information

Student #1 Name:	
Age:	Grade:
Name of Song:	Duration:

Student #2 Information

Student #2 Name:	
Age:	Grade:
Name of Song:	Duration:

Student #3 Information

Student #3 Name:	
Age:	Grade:
Name of Song:	Duration: