

Winnipeg Wind Ensemble 2025-2026 Solo Competition Entry Form

Please print clearly and send to either:

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Entry forms must be RECEIVED by **Friday, November 21, 2025**. Final competition dates and times will be confirmed after the entry deadline. Auditions will take place during the morning on Saturday, December 6, 2025 at the University of Manitoba. There is a non-refundable audition fee of \$25. Cheques can be made payable to the Winnipeg Wind Ensemble or payment sent through e-transfer to Winnipegwindensemble@gmail.com. Applicants must perform two contrasting pieces or movements accompanied by piano and must not exceed 10 minutes. The winner will perform a solo with the Winnipeg Wind Ensemble.

Name: _____ Telephone: _____

Street: _____ City: _____ Postal Code: _____

Email address: _____ Age: _____

Current School and Band Teacher: _____

Instrument: _____ Number of Years on Instrument: _____

Do you take private lessons? Yes [] No [] Number of Years: _____

Private Teacher's Name: _____

Biography (Performance Experience, Festivals/Summer Institutes, Awards):

Solo/Piece(s) Composer and Full Title (Including Movements):

Accompanist Name: _____

Performance Time (Max of 10 Minutes): _____

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*The 2025-26 solo competition is open to high school woodwind, brass and percussion players. **Two original scores** must be provided to the panel at the audition; photocopies will not be accepted. The applicant's current band or private teacher must sign this form prior to submission. Notification of information regarding the competition will be sent exclusively via email, please print clearly. The winning applicant will be required to attend portions of five rehearsals, a dress rehearsal, and a concert with the ensemble. The concert date will be decided by the winning applicant and the director.*

I recommend _____ to enter the 2025-2026 Winnipeg Wind Ensemble Solo Competition.

Teacher's Signature: _____ Date: _____