



Annual 5th Grade Art Contest: Fall 2022

Hello Teachers!

One of our very favorite parts of this concert every year is selecting a piece of music to inspire students to be creative in visual art. Students may create works of art inspired by the music and submit them to the PSO for a chance to be featured in the concert and to be considered for prize placement. Below, you will find information on this year's piece. *Please read instructions carefully!*

Musical Piece: Overture from Leonard Bernstein's music to *West Side Story*

Listen to the piece on YouTube: <https://youtu.be/3EsBONupjU>

Or, download an audio file for playback here: [West Side Story Overture.wav](#)

Classroom guidelines for creating the artwork:

- Play the piece several times for your students as they create their artwork.
- Art submission size should be 8 ½ x 11.
- Make it colorful! Let creativity soar! And Have FUN!
- The back of each work of art should clearly and legibly display:
 - Name of Student
 - Name of Teacher
 - Name of School

*****UPDATED*** 2022 Guidelines for submission:**

- Each school is to assemble all student artwork and choose a top 3 for the entire school.
- The selected top 3 works of art should be scanned by the teacher and saved as JPEGs.
- The scanned artwork should then be emailed to bbarrow@pensacolasymphony.com using the subject line "(School Name) Art Contest Submissions"
- Submissions must be made by the end of the day on Wednesday, October 26, to be included!

The PSO will select prize winners and display the winning artwork during the concert! Artwork will be selected by impartial guest judge(s).

Questions? Contact Bret Barrow at bbarrow@pensacolasymphony.com or (850) 435-2533 ex. 101