



15th Annual Young Artist Scholarship Competition
(2022-2023)

The Woodbridge Flute Choir is pleased to announce its 2022-2023 Young Artist Competition, open to flutists ages 14-18 as of **January 15, 2023**.

Required repertoire: one movement of a flute concerto arranged for flute solo or piccolo solo and flute choir. The piece must be selected from the repertoire list that appears on the competition website unless the flute choir arrangement has been approved in writing by Debbie Gilbert, artistic director, before the entry deadline (**January 2, 2023**). Please contact Debbie Gilbert at jdgilbert99@gmail.com for prior approval of a piece not on the suggested repertoire list.

Entries must be received no later than **11:59 pm on January 2, 2023**.

To enter, complete the online application and submit the \$30.00 non-refundable audition fee via PayPal. When payment has been received, applicant will be directed to <https://www.dropbox.com/request/QQoBo2369YRQaWduyMaE> to upload both the application and a high-quality mp3 formatted recording consisting of the required repertoire played by the flutist with piano accompaniment. Please do not wait until the last minute to upload your application.

Please identify the recording with the name of the flutist, school, and title of piece. **DO NOT upload video recordings.**

Audition process:

1. The recorded MP3s will be evaluated and the Semi-finalists will be chosen and notified by **January 15, 2023**.
2. Semi-finalists will perform their piece, with accompanist, before a panel of judges on **January 28, 2023** at 10:00AM at **Greenwich Presbyterian Church, 15305 Vint Hill Rd., Nokesville, VA 20181-1001**. Each semi-finalist must provide his/her own accompanist plus 3 copies of the piece they are performing. One winner will be chosen.
3. The winner will rehearse his/her repertoire with the Woodbridge Flute Choir and will perform as a featured performer in Woodbridge Flute Choir's **Sunday, March 19, 2023 3:00 PM** concert at Adat Reyim Congregation, 6500 Westbury Oaks Ct., Springfield VA 22152.
4. All semi-finalists are invited to be a part of the Woodbridge Flute Choir during the Sunday, **March 19, 2023** concert and perform with the choir on one or two pieces. However, those semi-finalists must be able to attend two of our Thursday evening rehearsals before the concert.

The Grand Prize Winner will receive a \$500 scholarship prize.

For additional information, contact Lisa Sheldone, competition coordinator, at Lisa.Sheldone@verizon.net.