

Pasadena Community Orchestra



Young Artist Competition



THE 2024 - 2025 YOUNG ARTIST COMPETITION IS NOW OPEN!

The Competition is open to instrumental musicians between the ages of 12 and 24. We are introducing two competitions this year, an Open YAC (14-24 years old) and a Junior YAC (12-16 years old). Open YAC applicants shall prepare a complete work for soloist and orchestra and will audition with an accompanist at the Competition itself. While the Junior YAC applicants shall prepare a single movement for soloist and orchestra and will audition with an accompanist at the Competition itself. The Open YAC winner will be awarded a \$1,000 honorarium, while the Junior YAC winner will be awarded a \$500 honorarium. Competition details, Rules, and application are on the Orchestra's Young Artist Competition website <https://www.pcomusic.org/young-artist-competition/>. Applications must be entered online by the closing date shown. For additional information email yac@pcomusic.org.

Compete in Pasadena Community Orchestra's Young Artist Competition for a chance to play as a soloist with the Orchestra and win up to a \$1,000 honorarium!



Application Deadlines:
January 11, 2025 (both divisions)

Audition at the Pasadena Conservatory of Music:

January 25, 2025

Winners' Performance:

Junior Division Winner: March 14, 2025

Open Division Winner: May 9, 2025



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