

## Popular Brass

**All selections in this category must be covers from commercial artists.**

### Piece Selections

- a) Only **one selection is required** and must have been performed at the Local Festival, received a minimum mark of 85 and the recommendation of the local Adjudicator. The Adjudicator will take piece choice into consideration.
- b) Competitors must perform **a selection from one of the following genres: pop, pop/ folk, R & B, soul, rock, alternative, indie, jazz or country.**

### General Rules

- c) An original score of the music or purchased digital music with attached receipt showing title and price (not a cover page, Pro credit or subscription to a sharing website, eg. Scribd, Everand, Musescore) for the selection must be presented to the Registration desk for the Adjudicator's use on the day of competition.
- d) Memorization is not required but is highly recommended.
- f) No announcement of name or selection is required prior to your performance.
- g) All competitors must be an amateur which shall be defined as any person whose principle means of livelihood is not obtained from the performance or teaching of music in the particular category in which they are competing, even though, from time to time, they may receive remuneration on an occasional basis (not full-time). Please click here for the full definition of Amateur vs Professional: [omfa.ca/glossary](https://omfa.ca/glossary)
- e) All criteria listed in the OMFA General Rules (<https://omfa.ca/live-festival/rules-and-regulations>) must be strictly adhered to.

### Not Permitted

Rap and Hip Hop

Songs listed in the RCM or CC Classical Syllabi

Animated films and selections that qualify for Songs from the Screen and More (see the SSAM Song List here: <https://omfa.ca/ssam-chart>)

## Popular Brass - Solo

### PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

Competitors must perform one popular brass selection.

The maximum performance times are as follows:

Beginner Level (Ages 6-8): **Eight (8) minutes**

Primary Level (Ages 9-10): **Eight (8) minutes**  
 Elementary Level (Ages 11-12) **Eight (8) minutes**  
 Junior Level (Ages 13-14): **Ten (10) minutes**  
 Intermediate Level (Ages 15-16): **Ten (10) minutes**  
 Senior Level (Ages 17-18): **Ten (10) minutes**  
 Advanced Level (Ages 19-28): **Ten (10) minutes**  
 Adults (Ages 29 and Above): **Ten (10) minutes**

Accurate performance times must be included on the entry form. Do not guess timings. There is no minimum performance time.

**If you do not provide all information required (i.e. the name and composer of your selection and payment) by your Local Festival's Provincial deadline, it will result in disqualification.**

"To Be Decided" in any field will not be accepted and will result in disqualification.

45001 - Popular Brass - Beginner Level - Ages 6-8 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$25.00
45002 - Popular Brass - Primary Level - Ages 9-10 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$25.00
45003 - Popular Brass - Elementary Level - Ages 11-12 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$25.00
45004 - Popular Brass - Junior Level - Ages 13-14 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$27.00
45005 - Popular Brass - Intermediate Level - Ages 15-16 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$27.00
45006 - Popular Brass - Senior Level - Ages 17-18 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$27.00
45007 - Popular Brass - Advanced Level - Ages 19-28 <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$30.00
45008 - Popular Brass - Adults - Ages 29 and Above <i>One selection required for Pickering GTA Music Festival.</i>	\$30.00