

Joliet West Bands

Concerto Competition

The Joliet West Bands will be offering a concerto competition for current band members at West. Students that are interested will audition in late August for an independent panel of judges and the winner(s) will perform with the Symphonic Band on its October concert.

Guidelines for the competition are as follows:

- Students must be currently enrolled in the concert program at West.
- Students must be a member of the class of 2023 or 2024.
- Students must prepare a movement from a concerto or piece that has band/wind ensemble accompaniment available. Memorization of the concerto is not required.
- Students must provide a piano accompanist for the audition.

Guidelines for choosing the student(s) that will perform in October:

- Quality of student performance
- A balance between woodwind, brass, and percussion (if the quality of performances warrant such a balance)
- Availability of parts for the band

No student will be allowed to win the concerto competition more than once.

Interested students should apply at: tinyurl.com/jwconcertocomp