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Please seal in envelope, sign the envelope across the seal, and return to the student for them to take to their audition.

**Mississippi Baptist All-State Youth Choir and Orchestra**  
**Pastor/Minister of Music Recommendation Form**

(To be completed by a minister not related to the applicant)

**Please Print or Type**

**Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Student's Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Church Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**MISSION STATEMENT**

*The Mississippi Baptist All-State Youth Choir and Orchestra seeks to assemble Christ-like young people and adult leaders to...*

- *worship and lead in worship of Almighty God*
- *grow spiritually and musically*
- *experience and present different styles of Christian musical literature*
- *establish a statewide network of Christian peers and mentors*
- *acquaint participants with churches, educational institutions, conferences and other missions of the Southern Baptist Convention*
- *help bring Mississippi and the world to Jesus*

*Please be as candid as possible. If you would like to talk with the event coordinator, Elizabeth Knight, please email your name and phone number to [elizabeth.knight@ymail.com](mailto:elizabeth.knight@ymail.com)*

1. *Is this student a member of the church you serve? yes no  
If not, where is their church membership? \_\_\_\_\_*
2. *This student has made a public profession of faith. yes no*
3. *He/she is a dedicated, committed Christian. yes no*
4. *This student participates regularly in the music ministry of the church which I serve. yes no  
List areas and frequency of participation. \_\_\_\_\_*
5. *This student exhibits respect for adults and authority figures. yes no*
6. *Knowing this young person and having read the Mission Statement of the MBASYCO, to what degree would you recommend this young person to serve as a part of this ministry?*

<u>1</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>5</u>
not at all				very highly

*Explain any answer which needs elaboration or give additional comments which may be helpful.*

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*Please describe any Christian leadership this young person demonstrates through the church or in the community.*

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*Pastor/Minister of Music Name – Please print or type.* \_\_\_\_\_

*Signature of Pastor/Minister of Music (must not be related to applicant)* \_\_\_\_\_

*Position or Title of Minister* \_\_\_\_\_ *Phone number:* \_\_\_\_\_

*Please email [elizabeth.knight@ymail.com](mailto:elizabeth.knight@ymail.com) with concerns.*