



2022 UIL Music Region 14 Concert/Sightreading Information Alice High School



Welcome to Alice High School! We are very excited to be hosting this event!! Please contact me if you have any logistical questions about the schedule, facilities, contest flow, or other instructions. We will do the very best we can to make your time on our campus smooth and stress free so you can focus on your group and get them to perform their best!

***Contest Office** – The contest office will be in the Director of Fine Arts office which is in the main hallway of the auditorium and choir hall. Please deliver scores and Form 1's here. All materials will be available for pick up at the conclusion of sight reading. Only directors and contest workers will be allowed in this area

***Set Up Chart** – Please send me a copy of your set up chart ASAP. I need to make sure we have enough stands and chairs for all three rooms. Email to emerico.perez@aliceisd.net

***Parking** – All buses should park in the large lot located to the south of the High School. This is our marching practice field. Parents and other spectators can park here or near the tennis courts as well or in front of the auditorium if there are spaces still available. All spectators should enter through the front of the auditorium.

***Changing Areas** – There will be limited bathroom space available in the holding area. Please arrive dressed or change on your buses.

***Case Storage** – Case storage will not be available inside the buildings. Please leave them on the buses or in your equipment truck/trailer.

***Contest Flow** – In order to keep the contest flowing smoothly and avoid unnecessary noise and congestion, please follow the following procedure:

Equipment Entrance & Exit – We will have limited space to accommodate groups that arrive early for their warmup time. If you do arrive early, please plan to either stay on your buses or wait outside the fine arts building. If you have students that will be staying while another group performs, they are welcome to sit quietly in the auditorium and watch performances. If directors permit, percussion students may wait in this area with their equipment while their group is in the warm-up area.

Warm Up (Band Hall) – You will be escorted to the warmup area at your assigned time. To keep the contest moving and prior to entering the building, the students will line up outside the building before entering the warm-up area. Chairs and stands will be set up in generic rows to cover all the groups so there will most likely be extras on some rows. As soon as the previous band is finished on stage, one of the workers will come get your percussion to allow them to start getting ready.

Performance (Stage) – As you progress to the stage, please lead with the left side of the row. This will flow nicely to the stage set up.

Sight Reading (Choir Hall) – When leaving the stage, you will exit off the left side of the stage and lead with the left side of your rows. Sight Reading folders will be handed out once your students have been seated. There will be one folder per part and students will pass the individual parts down the row. If extra copies are needed when parts are being distributed, please let one of the contest workers know. Upon arrival in the room, please make sure to indicate to the timer how you want the time done and then proceed to the score review table where you will be given your three-minute review period.

***Percussion Equipment** – the following large percussion equipment will be available for you to use on stage and in sight reading: Bells, Xylophone, Vibes, Marimba, Chimes, Bass Drum, and Timpani. Please provide your own snare drum and any other auxiliary percussion equipment as well as any of your own large equipment you would like to bring and use.

***Audience** – All parents and administrators are welcome and encouraged to attend your concert performance and follow your bands into the sight-reading room. Sight-reading room seating will be available, and please remind them that no photography, videotaping, or recording via cell phone is allowed in the sight-reading room per UIL rules.

***Food Information** – If you plan to feed your students before or after in Alice, below is a list of places you can take students to or order from. Please keep in mind that there will not be any place available to consume food on campus.

McDonalds
Dairy Queen
Whataburger
Subway
Chicken Express
Pizza Hut
Jalisiense (Mexican)
Popeye's
Star's

Burger King
Dairy Burger
Sonic
Big House Burgers (sit down rest.)
Panda Express
Taco Bell
Jalisco
Little Ceaser's Pizza

If you have questions about our site that I haven't covered, please contact me! We look forward to seeing everyone on Tuesday! Good luck to you and your students!

Respectfully,

Emerico Perez, III
Director of Bands
Alice Independent School District

Directions to Alice High School #1 Coyote Trail Alice, Texas 78332

Entering Alice from the East:

If you are coming in from HWY 44 East, take a left on Flournoy Road and head south about 1 mile. At the light, turn right on Sain Drive and proceed to the marching pad which is located behind Alice High School. All equipment trucks will park on the west side of the Auditorium and all school buses will park on the marching pad. Please see attached map.

Entering Alice from the West:

If you are coming in from HWY 44 West, take a left on Stadium Drive and head south about 1 mile. At the stop sign, turn left on Sain Drive and proceed to the marching pad which is located behind Alice High School. All equipment trucks will park on the west side of the Auditorium and all school buses will park on the marching pad. Please see attached map.

Parking Instructions/Site Map

