



INDIANA
STATE FAIR

**Youth Talent Contest
VOCAL MUSIC SCORE SHEET**

JUDGE'S NUMBER _____

ENTRY NUMBER _____

Judge the competitor in each of the categories below on a scale from 1 to 10; 1 is the lowest score, 10 is the highest.

- 8-10: Student(s) has mastery of technique and shows a unique artistic expression
- 6-7: Student(s) is stronger in either mastery of technique or unique artistic expression
- 4-5: Student(s) is inconsistent in mastery of technique and understanding of artistic expression
- 1-3: Student(s) needs improvement in both mastery of technique and understanding of artistic expression

JUDGING CRITERIA (EACH CATEGORY IS WORTH 10 points)

	Beauty/Quality of Tone Consider: Clear timbre, focused, breath control, sound is not pushed or manufactured, resonance, warmth	Comments:
	Technique Consider: Intonation, breath support, ease of production, coloratura, pitch accuracy and intervals	Comments:
	Musicianship Consider: Dynamics, rhythm, tempo, phrasing, emotional involvement and style	Comments:
	Performance Factors Consider: Energetic, confident, communicative performer, facial expressions and gestures that are appropriate, dressed appropriately, mannerisms, facial expressions	Comments:
	Overall Effect / Judges overall impression Consider: Entertainment value of the act selection that includes appropriateness of music selection, appearance, special effects or additions to the performance (original composition, adds own accompaniment to the singing)	Comments:

_____ **Final Score** (out of 50pts)