



# Carroll Symphony Orchestra

## 2009 Young Composer Competition

### Guidelines

#### Eligibility

The competition is open to all students, elementary through high school, residing in Carroll and Haralson Counties.

#### Requirements

Competitors are to write a short piece for piano based on the given theme.

There is no minimum time requirement, however the piece should be no longer than 4 minutes.

Treatment of the theme may range from simple chordal accompaniment to advanced contrapuntal techniques and thematic transformations.

#### Deadline

Entries must be received by 5:00 on Friday, September 30, 2009.

Entries received after the deadline **will not** be considered.

Entries should be mailed to

Carroll Symphony Orchestra  
Young Composer Competition  
P.O. Box 1756  
Carrollton, GA 30112

#### Prizes

Winners will be chosen from each of the following categories:

Elementary School	(K – grade 5_)
Middle School	(grades 6-8)
High School	(grades 9-12)

The winners will be given individual orchestration lessons with Terry Lowry, Conductor and Music Director of the CSO, to orchestrate their pieces **for performances with the CSO on October 29, 2009.**