

## **All-State Rules and Regulations**

All-State Rules and Regulations are part of the All-State Entry form and are to be signed by each student, parent, director and principal involved.

1. Teachers are instructed not to present for audition students who are discipline problems.
2. Students and parents are hereby notified that LMEA's authority and responsibility extends until a student is released to return home.
3. Students failing to adhere to any LMEA All-State rules, regulations and schedules are subject to dismissal.
4. Vandalism of any kind will bring immediate dismissal. The student and the school will be held responsible for any damages.
5. A student in possession of legally controlled drugs (without a doctor's prescription) or who consumes physiologically active substances for nonmedical use (including alcoholic beverages) will be sent home.
6. The student's principal, director and parents will be immediately notified of any rule violation.
7. A disciplinary committee consisting of the Executive Secretary, the LMEA President, and the Band, Orchestra, Vocal or Jazz Ensemble Chairperson (as pertinent) shall review any disciplinary problems before dismissal from the All-State group is recommended.
8. Any student dismissed (sent home) from an All-State event will be prohibited from participating in any LMEA event for one (1) full year starting from the time of the dismissal.
9. Any school organization whose student (or students) must be dismissed from an LMEA All-State event will be placed on a one year probation. If a student is dismissed within the probation period, that school organization will be prohibited from participating in LMEA All-State events the following year.
10. Any infraction and subsequent dismissal will be referred to the Executive Board for resolution and clarification.
11. Students will be responsible for personal equipment and instruments. LMEA will not claim responsibility for students' equipment and instruments that are lost, damaged or stolen.