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Northrop Grumman

# SYMPHONIES FOR SCHOOLS

Performed by the  
Los Angeles Philharmonic

Walt Disney Concert Hall

Free Concerts for  
Students in Grades 3-6



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## SYMPHONIES FOR SCHOOLS APPLICATION

Join us in exploring L.A.'s remarkable architectural icon, Walt Disney Concert Hall, through *Wing on Wing* – a composition inspired by the Hall, written by our own Music Director, Esa-Pekka Salonen.

### Wing on Wing



Allow yourself to journey with us through *Wing on Wing* as the musicians and artists of the Los Angeles Philharmonic lead you into a composer's imagination. You and your students will be transported into the story of *Wing on Wing* – a vision of water, fish, storms and ships. Ultimately, it is a story about having the courage to be creative and pursue one's dreams. As always, the Los Angeles Philharmonic promises a guided listening experience filled with art of all kinds and incredible music that will fill your imagination!

#### Tuesday, March 3, 2009

10am – 10:45am

11:15am – 12noon

#### Wednesday, March 4, 2009

10am – 10:45am

11:15am – 12noon

- Classes will be selected by random drawing after the application deadline. Please be aware that seating is limited.
- Each school is responsible for providing transportation to and from Walt Disney Concert Hall.
- Seat assignments will be distributed at the required workshop.
- Los Angeles City Council offices and School Board offices may be able to provide no- or low-cost transportation for schools.
- One adult chaperone must accompany every ten students.
- Please return your application by October 24, 2008. Receipt of application will be confirmed by email.
- Each classroom teacher may bring up to 40 students (from one class) and 4 adults.
- Teachers will be notified of acceptance status no later than November 26, 2008. If we are unable to accommodate your group, you will be placed on a waiting list. To be eligible for possible last-minute openings, you must be willing to meet with the Education staff for a preparatory session.
- Music teachers may bring up to 100 students and 10 adults.
- Tickets will not be given to groups with fewer than ten students.
- For more information, please call 213.972.0704.
- The limit of tickets per school is 175 (total number of students and adults combined).
- **Deadline: October 24, 2008**  
Programs and artists are subject to change.
- Every applying teacher who wishes to bring students to a performance must attend a professional development workshop.



# 1

## General Information: Everyone must complete this section!

Teacher's Name

School  Please indicate if you are a music teacher.

School District/LAUSD, Sub-District/L.A. County Supervisor District/L.A. City Council District, if applicable

School Address

City ZIP Code

School Phone

School Fax

Teacher's Home Phone

Email Address

Grade(s)/Subject Area(s) you teach

If you team-teach, name of partner

# 2

## Choose Your Workshop and Concert Preference

I would like to bring \_\_\_\_\_ students \_\_\_\_\_ adults

(Minimum: 10 students and 1 adult chaperone. Maximum: 40 students and 4 adult chaperones, including classroom teacher. Music teachers may bring up to 100 students and 10 adult chaperones, including classroom teacher.)

**My students are in** (please check all that apply):

3rd grade  4th grade  5th grade  6th grade

**Workshop** (check one – please note: you may change your workshop day if necessary)

Saturday, January 17, 2009  
9:30am – 12noon  
Walt Disney Concert Hall

Wednesday, January 21, 2009  
3:30pm – 6:00pm  
Strathern Elementary School

Saturday, January 24, 2009  
9:30am – 12noon  
Walt Disney Concert Hall

Wednesday, January 28, 2009  
3:30pm – 6pm  
TBD

**Performance** (please indicate desired performances – No. 1 as first choice, No. 2 as second choice)

\_\_\_\_\_ Tues., March 3, 2009, 10am – 10:45am

\_\_\_\_\_ Tues., March 3, 2009, 11:15am – 12noon

\_\_\_\_\_ Wed., March 4, 2009, 10am – 10:45am

\_\_\_\_\_ Wed., March 4, 2009, 11:15am – 12noon


**We encourage all teachers to apply –  
you don't have to be a music teacher to participate!  
You must complete Steps 1, 2 and 3 in order to be considered  
for Northrop Grumman Symphonies for Schools.**

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**Read and Sign the Following Agreement**

Accommodations can be made for students with accessible seating requirements, but requires an extra chaperone, as the group may be separated.

Please check here if you have wheelchair accessible seating requirements.

You will be called to determine seating. 

**Completed application must include the signatures of teacher applicant and school principal.**

By signing below, I understand the following:

- Classes will be seated by random drawing. Receipt of application does not guarantee seating. The Los Angeles Philharmonic is not responsible for lost or misdirected mail or faxes. The Los Angeles Philharmonic reserves the right to refuse schools on the basis of past behavior or attendance problems.
- I understand as the applying teacher that the number of students indicated reflects the total number of students that I am (we are) bringing. I understand that, as the applying teacher, I must attend a pre-concert workshop.
- Only complete applications will be considered.
- No more than 175 students and adults from our school may attend Northrop Grumman Symphonies for Schools.
- I am required to attend a pre-concert workshop, and if I do not attend, I will forfeit performance attendance. I understand that I may not send someone to a workshop in my stead.
- My school is responsible for arranging and paying for transportation to and from Walt Disney Concert Hall.
- Deadline for application is Friday, October 24, 2008.

I am a team-teacher. The name of my partner is: \_\_\_\_\_

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Teacher's Signature (Team-teachers: both signatures required)

As principal, I understand the requirements of this program and support my teacher(s) in bringing his or her class(es) to a Northrop Grumman Symphonies for Schools performance.

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Principal's Signature

Please return application to: Los Angeles Philharmonic Education Department, 151 South Grand Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90012. Fax: 213.972.7650. For more information, please call 213.972.0704 or email [education@laphil.org](mailto:education@laphil.org). Please visit our website at [LAPhil.com](http://LAPhil.com).

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## **SYMPHONIES FOR SCHOOLS**

As part of the Los Angeles Philharmonic's commitment to music education, the Northrop Grumman Symphonies for Schools program makes it possible for students to experience, without cost, the exhilaration of live music performed by a world-class orchestra in the glorious space of Walt Disney Concert Hall.

### **Northrop Grumman Symphonies for Schools program includes:**

- Free admission to a concert performed by the Los Angeles Philharmonic at Walt Disney Concert Hall.
- For each teacher, a Teacher Resource Guide in alignment with the State of California Visual and Performing Arts Framework and Arts Learning Standards, with extensive information on orchestral music and across-the-curriculum activities.
- There will be a special preparatory workshop on the content of the performance. All participating teachers (including music teachers) must attend this workshop.

### **To be eligible to attend a concert, Los Angeles County educators who would like to bring their classes must:**

- Submit a fully completed application.
- Attend a required workshop prior to the concert.

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