



V International Music and Art festival Regulations

Confirmed by

Music and Arts Secondary school director

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I General

1. This regulation determines procedures in which III International Music and Art Festival (further - *Festival*) will be held for students studying towards primary and secondary levels of professional education in music and art programs years 2024./2025.

2. The Aim of the Festival

2.1. Is to cultivate creative thinking, combining both musical composition with a piece of visual art in one performance.

2.2. To motivate an improvement of artistic skills.

2.3. To excel public performance skills of young artists in individual or group (duets, ensembles) performances.

2.4. To promote Biblical values in music and art by including the **theme of the Festival "The life"** in the performance.

2.5. To gain emotionally rich experience and fulfillment by participating in the Festival.

2.6. To gain an international experience exchange among students and professors during the Festival.

II The organizer of the Festival

1. The Festival is being organized by Education and Development centre *Universum*.
2. **Contact information:** Person of contact - Baiba Nedēļa-Kārkla, phone +371 28720059, e-mail: baiba.karkla@universum.lv ; web page: <https://universum.lv>; adress: Marijas iela 14, Valmiera, Latvia, LV-4201.
3. **Venue:** Music and Arts Secondary school Universum Concert hall, Valmiera, Marijas iela 14.
4. **Date and time:** 10th of April 2025., (Festival duration depends on the number of participants).
5. Information about the course and programm of the Festival will be sent to the email given in participants application form, as well on schools web page *universum.lv* and school's *Facebook* page. After the festival there will be publications about the event held (including photos and videos) on school's web page *universum.lv*, school's *Facebook* page, web page *valmieraszinas.lv*.

III Participants and the course of the Festival

1. The Festival is open to all students (further - *participants*) from both primary

and secondary schools which implement professional education in music and art.

2. The Festival is being organized in such groups:
 - 2.1. **Group A:** individuals in *music*;
 - 2.2. **Group B:** duets, ensembles, group performances in *music*;
 - 2.3. **Group C:** participants in *visual art*.
3. The participants of the Group A and Group B perform one musical performance (reflecting one or several Festival themes), and displays one previously created work of art according to the content of the musical performance.

The artwork can be a drawing, painting or composition (A3 format) that must be placed by the participant on the easel during the musical performance. After the performance, the artwork will be placed in the exhibition hall for the duration of the event.

4. The participants of the Group C paint or draw a piece of art during the Festival (3 to 4 hours) using paper (format A2) given by organizer. *Each participant must have their own materials and accessories (of chosen method -drawing or painting).* When finished, artwork will be placed in the exhibition hall for the duration of the event.
5. To apply for participation, please send your application form in English (*school name, address, teacher's first name, concertmaster's first name, last name, child's first name, last name, age, group, piece, author, timings, instrument, details for invoice, email for communication*) to an email baiba.karkla@universum.lv till 11th of March 2025.
6. **The program and course of the Festival will be sent to e-mails from applications, after receiving and collecting all the application forms by 1th of April 2025.**

IV Conditions

1. The application form must be sent via email by March 11, 2025.
2. When the application form is submitted, an invoice of participation fee will be sent to the specified e-mail, which must be paid by April 2, 2025 by bank transfer the participation fee must be paid by bank transfer.
3. When making a bank transfer, please indicate the number of invoice.
4. Participation fee in Group A - 25 Euro, in Group B - 35 Euro total, in Group C - 15 Euro.
5. Bank details: **Recipient:**SIA „Izglitibas un attistibas centrs Universum”; **Reg. NO** 44103123757; **Adress:** Marijas iela 14, Valmiera, LV - 4201; **Bank:** „Swedbank”AS, **Swift:** HABALV22, **Account:** LV10HABA0551046881295
6. All the funds from participation fee will be used to cover organizational expenses as well as for awards and Appreciation gifts for the participants of Festival. In case of non-attendance participation fee will not be refunded.
7. During the Festival, all participants and visitors are following the epidemiological regulations.
8. Festival organizers have the right to audio and video recordings, as well as photography during the Festival.
9. Festival organizers provide advertisement in mass media.
10. The educational institution is responsible for data processing and personal data protection.

In case of questions please contact Baiba Nedēļa-Kārkle via email:
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