



## MYC Composition Festival Guidelines

- \* all compositions must have a TITLE
- \* computer generated compositions must have original in child's hand-writing attached
- \* child must print their own name on composition
- \* each composition must have teacher's name, province/state, and MYC level
- \* compositions are due Wednesday, February 29th, 2012. If you can get your compositions in sooner, so much the better.
- \* All MYC students, including those in the adult program are eligible, and strongly encouraged, to participate.
- \* Each student may enter only one composition. Each composition must have the student's name, level, teacher's name and province/state and country. Please make sure that names can be easily read and are spelled correctly.

### *SUNSHINE 1*

minimum four measures, one hand or could be divided between the hands  
may be on the staff, may be critters  
may be shapes to indicate direction (eg. Stairs)  
must include pitch (indicate direction of pitch – up or down?) and rhythm  
must indicate dynamics

### *SUNSHINE 2 AND SUNBEAMS 1*

minimum four measures, one hand leading to the other or melody with bridges  
must be written on the staff  
indicate tempo, i.e., fast/slow and dynamics

### *SUNBEAMS 2 AND MOONBEAMS 1*

minimum four measures, hands together (use no more than one great big whole rest)  
to be written with chord or single notes in each clef  
must be written on the staff  
indicate tempo, dynamics

### *SUNBEAMS 3, MOONBEAMS 2 AND ADULT 1*

minimum eight measures, hands together  
to be written with chord, single notes or chord symbols  
must indicate phrasing, tempo and dynamics

### *MOONBEAMS 3 AND ADULT 2*

minimum eight measures, hands together  
to be written with single notes, chord or chord symbols  
must indicate phrasing, tempo and dynamics