

PMEA All-State Festival

STATUS

Pending District Field Trip Approval or FMX Administrator - General's approval

 Tier 5 - FMX Admin, Kate Pacitto or 1 other

DATE Wed, Apr 22, 2026

Natalie James opened this request (privately)

February 20, 2026 @ 9:42 AM

Request type	Field Trip
Event name	PMEA All-State Festival
Buildings	Phoenixville Area High School
Resource types	Field Trip
Resources	PAHS - Field Trip
Event time	Wed, Apr 22, 2026, 7:00am - 9:00pm
Schedule	Daily, until April 25
Occurrence count	4
School ID	PAHS
Field Trip Organizer	Natalie James
Type of trip	Interscholastic Competitive Event
Group attending trip	Qualifying Student Participants - Representing our High School at the State Level
Purpose of Trip	Students selected for the PMEA All-State Festival will participate in intensive rehearsals and workshops led by nationally recognized conductors and educators. Over the course of four days, students will refine their musical skills through collaboration with top high school musicians from across the state, culminating in a public concert showcasing their collective achievement.
Location of Trip	Kalahari Resort & Convention Center, 250 Kalahari Blvd, Pocono Manor, PA 18349
Overnight Trip?	Yes
Estimated number of students	3
Estimated number of chaperones needed	1
Transportation Requested	Yes

Type of Vehicle	District Van
Estimated Number of Vehicles	1
Wheelchair needed?	No
Bus aide required?	No
<u>Any additional special accomodations?</u>	I want to note that according to PMEA policy, I (choral program director) am required to transport students to the festival on Thursday 04/22, we have yet to know of an exact arrival time, but I will definitely relay that information once I receive it.
<u>Mileage</u>	110
Estimated hours	32
Nursing requested	No
<u>Estimated Transportation Costs</u>	\$0.00
<u>Estimated Staff Substitute costs</u>	\$390.00
<u>Estimated Ticket Prices/Trip fees</u>	\$15.00
<u>Estimated Cost Per Student</u>	\$445.00
Estimated Cost Per Volunteer Chaperone	\$180.00
<u>Funded By</u>	District Building
Funding Source Information	In the Detail of Funding field, please explain the funding sources and if multiple sources were selected, please indicate what source will fund the various fees of the trip.
<u>Detail of funding</u>	I am not sure where exactly funding comes from for this event, for the past two festivals this year (Districts and Regions) I believe we took care of this at the building level.

Followers Kate Pacitto

Edited February 24, 2026 @ 8:40 AM
Natalie James