All-State: Choose Appropriate Repertoire

The most valuable information that I learned is that it does not matter how long a group has been playing or what age they are. The most important thing is that the director selects music that is appropriate for the group. A young group with music that is appropriate can score just as well as an older more experienced group with appropriate repertoire. This information makes it feasible for me to consider taking my young orchestra to festival for the first time.

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