

PRIZES

Art. 14 — Awards and Rankings

The awards for second, third, and fourth place will take place at the end of the Rospigliosi Prize, unless the participants request to receive their recognition during the gala evening on **22 March 2026**, together with the absolute winners.

During the same evening, **the first absolute prize winner** is required to take part in the final concert; failure to do so will result in forfeiture of the award.

Rankings and prizes

- **1st Prize (score $\geq 95/100$):** cup and diploma
- **2nd Prize (score 90–94/100):** medal and diploma
- **3rd Prize (score 85–89/100):** medal and diploma
- **4th Prize (score 80–84/100):** medal and diploma

All competitors not awarded a prize will receive a Certificate of Participation as an official recognition of their commitment and artistic merit.

Art. 15 – Absolute Prizes

First Absolute Prize “Rospigliosi Senior”

In addition to the diploma and the First Absolute Prize trophy, the winner will receive:

- **A scholarship worth € 1,000**, divided as follows:
 - € 700 by bank transfer
 - € 300 as reimbursement for two concerts organized by the Associazione “Giulio Rospigliosi” and the Amici dell’Opera di Pistoia
- **One night** of accommodation in one of the affiliated facilities, provided for participation in the Final Concert.

First Absolute Prize “Rospigliosi Junior”

In addition to the diploma and the First Absolute Prize trophy, the winner will receive:

- **A scholarship of €500**, divided as follows:
 - € 350 by bank transfer
 - € 150 as reimbursement for one concert organized by the **Amici dell’Opera di Pistoia**
- **One night** of accommodation in one of the affiliated facilities, provided for participation in the Final Concert.

Art. 16 — Prize Concerts and Special Awards

In addition to the prize concerts mentioned above, further collaborations with prestigious musical institutions are currently being defined.

For each concert, the winner will make arrangements directly with the hosting organization to determine the conditions and terms.

Special Awards

- **Audience Prize**, awarded during the prize ceremony and the winners’ concert.
- **Teachers’ Prize**: teachers of the first-place winners will receive an honorary diploma.