

The Ohio State University Concert Bands and Orchestral Winds

Audition Information – Autumn Semester 2021

This document contains important information about auditions for concert bands and Symphony Orchestra at Ohio State for Autumn Semester 2021. Auditions are open to all enrolled students at Ohio State **regardless of major**. Read the information below thoughtfully and contact Ensembles Administrator Mr. Christopher Dent at dent.50@osu.edu with questions.

AUTUMN SEMESTER 2021 CONCERT BANDS STRUCTURE/FORMAT

To honor our fundamental commitment to the health, well-being, and safety of all involved in ensemble music making, the structure of large ensembles may be modified this semester.

All ensembles at Ohio State are credit-bearing courses. Ensemble rehearsal days and times for Autumn Semester 2021 are as follows:

Wind Symphony and Symphonic Band	M and W from 1:50-3:55PM and F from 1:50-2:45PM
Symphony Orchestra	TU and TH from 1:50-3:55PM
Collegiate Winds	TU and TH from 7-8:30PM
University Band	TU and TH from 7-8:30PM

AUDITION PROTOCOL

- Auditions are required for membership in the Wind Symphony, Symphonic Band, Symphony Orchestra, and Collegiate Winds. **Auditions are open to all students enrolled at The Ohio State University, regardless of major.**
- Audition Sign Ups are completed online via Signup Genius. The link is available [here](#).
 - If you are unable to audition during the scheduled audition window for your instrument, contact [Mr. Christopher Dent](#) to request an alternate audition time. *Please note, while we will try to accommodate requests for alternate times, we cannot guarantee that you will be granted your requested time.*
- Complete the online [Ohio State University Instrumental Ensemble Information Form](#) before you arrive for your audition. If you have difficulty accessing the form, contact [Mr. Dent](#).
- Music Majors are required to prepare repertoire for Wind Symphony, Symphonic Band, and Orchestra. Non-Music Majors may choose to audition for all ensembles or Collegiate Winds only. See next page for information on required repertoire for all parties.
- The audition committee may stop you at any point in the audition, once they feel they have heard enough to make an appropriate ensemble placement.

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REQUIRED MUSICAL EXCERPTS

The required audition materials/excerpts for all woodwind and brass instruments can be found [here](#). Should you encounter issues with downloading the materials, please contact Ensembles Administrator Mr. Christopher Dent via email at dent.50@osu.edu. Mr. Dent responds to email between 9AM to 5PM Monday through Friday.

WIND SYMPHONY, SYMPHONIC BAND, and/or SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

From the audition packet, prepare and perform the following items:

All repertoire excerpts and etudes in the order in which they appear in the pdf document

A reminder: Music Majors (and non-majors who wish to be considered for placement in any ensemble) **do NOT** need to prepare the compulsories and/or lyrical etude.

COLLEGIATE WINDS

From the audition packet, prepare and perform **only** the following items:

- a. all exercises on the Compulsories page in the order in which they appear in the pdf document
- b. the Lyrical Etude

***In addition to the prepared materials in your packet,
all musicians will be asked to sight read.***

UNIVERSITY BAND

There is no audition requirement for University Band. Students interested in being part of University Band should register for the course. All registered students will be contacted via email near the start of the semester. Questions can be directed to Graduate Teaching Associate Daniel Farr via email at farr.68@osu.edu.

AUDITION RESULTS AND QUESTIONS

All students who complete and submit an audition for autumn semester large ensembles will receive an email notification on or before 12PM on Thursday August 26, 2021. Should you have not received an email by that time, please contact Ensembles Administrator Mr. Christopher Dent via email at dent.50@osu.edu. Mr. Dent responds to email between 9AM to 5PM Monday through Friday and is also available for general questions about ensembles and the audition process.

The Ohio State University
CONCERT BANDS and ORCHESTRA WINDS
Wind Symphony • Symphony Orchestra
Symphonic Band • Collegiate Winds
Audition Schedule

Autumn Semester 2021

Saturday, August 21, 2021

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Flute, Hughes Auditorium

9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Clarinet, Weigel 174

2:30 p.m.- 5:30 p.m.

Saxophone, Weigel 174

2:30 p.m.- 5:30 p.m.

Trumpet, Hughes Aud.

Sunday, August 22, 2021

2:00 p.m.- 4:30 p.m.

Euph/Tuba, Hughes Aud.

2:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.

Oboe, Weigel 174

3:15 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

Bassoon, Weigel 174

6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Horn, Hughes Aud.

6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Trombone, Weigel 174

Monday, August 23, 2021

6:30 p.m.- 8:30 p.m.

Percussion, Weigel 174

Compulsories -Tuba

#1. Lip Slurs ♩ = 96



5 #2. ♩ = 96



9 #3. ♩ = 108



14 #4. Double Tonguing (fast, but clean)



18



24 #5. Triple Tonguing (fast, but clean)



29



Tuba

Lyrical Etude

Craft your own interpretation of this etude by adding expressive markings that reflect the depth and maturity of your musicianship.

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Second Suite in F Movement #4 Gustav Holst

Tempo: Dotted quarter note equals 132

Begin pickup to 17 after H

H (Two beats in a bar) 3

dim. ****Start Here****

p *pp* *pp* *1st Solo.* *Tutti.* *ff*

"Toccata Marziale" Ralph Vaughan Williams (excerpt 1)

Tempo: Quarter note equals 104

(either octave)

Allegro maestoso ♩=100

f *sim.* *l'appendiv.* *f* *p* *ff* *p*

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Tempo: Quarter note equals 104

Musical score for "The Swan" by Camille Saint-Saëns, measures 14 and 15. The score is in bass clef, 3/4 time, and B-flat major. Measure 14 is marked *pp* (pianissimo). Measure 15 is marked *p* (piano) and *simile*. The tempo is indicated as ♩ = 100.

Also Sprach Zarathustra (R. Strauss) begin 9 measures after rehearsal 50, end 5 measures before rehearsal 51

Handwritten musical score for 'Also Sprach Zarathustra' by Richard Strauss, measures 50-53. The score is written on three staves. The first staff (bass clef) begins with a *p cresc.* marking and a *respi.* (respiratory) marking. A bracket labeled 'Start' spans measures 50 and 51. The second staff (bass clef) has a *mf* marking and the instruction 'immer mehr steigern' (always more increase). The third staff (bass clef) has a *sehr schnell.* (very fast) marking and a *ff* marking. Rehearsal numbers 50, 51, 52, and 53 are marked in boxes. Measure numbers 1, 3, 5, 8, and 9 are also indicated. The key signature is one sharp (F#).

Symphony No. 5 (S. Prokofiev) begin at rehearsal number 3, end 3 after rehearsal number 4

Handwritten musical score for Symphony No. 5 by Sergei Prokofiev, measures 3-6. The score is written on four staves. The first staff (bass clef) has a *start* marking and a box labeled '3'. The second staff (bass clef) has a *mf* marking. The third staff (bass clef) has a *f* marking and a *sopress.* (soprano) marking. The fourth staff (bass clef) has a *(pizz.)* (pizzicato) marking. Rehearsal numbers 3 and 4 are marked in boxes. The key signature is one sharp (F#).

The Moldau (B. Smetana) begin at rehearsal letter H, end 5 after rehearsal letter K

The image displays a musical score for the piece "The Moldau" by Bedřich Smetana. The score is written in bass clef with a key signature of two sharps (F# and C#). The tempo is marked "Tempo I" and the time signature is 3/8. The score begins at measure 235, marked with a rehearsal letter "H" and the text "St. Johann". The first staff shows a melodic line with a "cresc." marking. The second staff, starting at measure 278, is marked "Stromschnellen" and "1", indicating a section of rapids. It features a "cresc." marking and a "f" (forte) dynamic. The third staff continues the melodic line with a "ff" (fortissimo) dynamic. The fourth staff, marked with a rehearsal letter "I", shows a melodic line with a "f" dynamic. The fifth staff, marked with a rehearsal letter "K", shows a melodic line with a "sempre cresc." (sempre crescendo) marking. The sixth staff, marked with a rehearsal letter "K" and the number "5", shows a melodic line with a "ff" dynamic. The score concludes with a final measure marked "5".