2024-2025
AUDITION EXCERPTS

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INSTRUMENTAL ENSEMBLES
Symphonic Band
Symphony Orchestra
Jazz Ensemble
Pep Band
Dear Auditioners,

THANK YOU for your interest in auditioning for our ensembles! We feel especially proud to offer these ensembles at Wheaton College, where the focus is on using our gifts to give the glory, honor, and praise to Our Almighty Father, who has granted us these gifts first.

In this packet, you will find audition information for all large instrumental ensembles, including:

- Symphonic Band
- Symphony Orchestra
- Jazz Ensemble
- Pep Band

We are so grateful you are considering joining us for the 2024-2025 academic year, and cannot wait to fully support you in your studies. Please reach out with any questions you may have.

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2024-2025
SYMPHONIC BAND
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
selections
TRUMPET

ALL:
Please perform mm. 3-28 of the Hummel Concerto, second movement.

then

ORCHESTRA ONLY:
Please perform any 2 of the 4 orchestral selections provided:
- Copland’s An Outdoor Overture (mm. 16-34)
- Gershwin’s Piano Concerto in F (mm. 5-19)
- Debussy’s Nocturne, No. II “Fetes” (full excerpt)
- Mahler’s Symphony No. 5, Trauermarsch (full excerpt)

BAND ONLY:
Please perform any 1 of the 2 band selections provided:
- Nelson’s Rocky Point Holiday (rehearsal 29-end)
- Williams’s Summon the Heroes (full excerpt)

ORCHESTRA AND BAND:
Please perform 2 selections from the orchestral list and 1 selection from the band list.
Trumpet in C (you may play in Bb)
DEBUSSY
Nocturnes, No. II “Fetes”
Beginning to rehearsal 11 (1st part)
MAHLER
Symphony No. 5, “Trauermarsch”
Full excerpt

Trumpet in Bb

In gemessenem Schritt, Streng. Wie ein Kondukt (\( \cdot = \) ca. 63)

\( \text{Große} \ \text{fliehend} \)

sempre

Pesante
Trumpet in Bb

Allegro vivace

[Music notation image]
WILLIAMS
Summon the Heroes
Full excerpt

Trumpet in Bb

Broader

Solo majestically

(cant.)

A Little Broader

Rit.

dim.

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PEP BAND
selections
REQUIREMENTS

- Choose 1 excerpt below to play
- Sight reading

TED NUGENT: CAT SCRATCH FEVER

PANIC! AT THE DISCO: VICTORIOUS
2024-2025
JAZZ ENSEMBLE
selections
REQUIREMENTS

- Prepare the excerpt below. You will perform along with this recording via Bluetooth speaker.
- Play one song of your own choice in the jazz style that best showcases your abilities.
- Improvise over two choruses of a Bb Blues progression, backing track here.

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