



Youth Philharmonic Audition 2022

Euphonium

1. Prepare all [SCBDA Senior Band Audition Scales](#)
 - One will be asked for at the audition.
 - Scan QR Code for list of scales.
2. Solo of candidate's choice
 - Choose a piece that showcases your technique, musicality and overall playing ability.
 - Please bring 2 copies of the music for the judges.
3. You will be required to sight-read a brief passage at your audition.
4. Excerpts:
 - Grainger: Colonial Song (Reference recording for best tempo)
 - Chambers: The Boys of the old Brigade (Reference recording for best tempo)
 - Shostakovich: Festive Overture #1 (Presto)
 - Shostakovich: Festive Overture #2 (Presto)

Excerpts located on the next page.

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Euphonium 1/3

1 Grainger: Colonial Song

The image shows a page of musical notation for Euphonium 1/3 of 'Colonial Song' by Ralph Vaughan Williams. The score consists of four staves of music. The key signature is one flat (B-flat major/D minor). The time signature is 3/4. The score includes various musical markings and dynamics. A large bracket on the right side of the page indicates a specific section of the music.

21 *allegro, ma rubato*
Solo

mp molto espress. (*più mosso*)
allegro

rit. *usc.* *più rit.* *molto espress.* *molto rit.*

39 *allegro* (*meno mosso*)
usc. appass.

44 *meno mosso*

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Chambers: The Boys of the old Brigade

Euph. 2/3

No repeat.

624. *Solo.*

TRIO. *Solo.*

The musical score consists of two systems of staves. The first system, labeled '624.', contains four staves. The top staff is marked 'Solo.' and has a bracketed section starting at measure 7. The second and third staves have large 'X' marks over them. The second system, labeled 'TRIO.', contains three staves. The top staff is marked 'Solo.' and has a bracketed section starting at measure 12. The bottom staff has a large 'X' mark over it.

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Shostakovich: Festive Overture, #1

presto

7 12 8

p

cresc.

f *p* *f*

The musical score is written in bass clef with a common time signature. It features three staves. The first staff has measure numbers 7, 12, and 8. A bracketed section starts at measure 8. The second staff has a 'cresc.' marking. The third staff has dynamic markings *f*, *p*, and *f*.

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4 Shostakovich: Festive Overture, #2

presto

Handwritten musical score for Euphonium in 3/4 time, Shostakovich's Festive Overture #2. The score consists of six staves of music. The first staff begins with a large bracket on the left and contains measures 20-21, marked with a box '21'. The second staff continues with measures 22-23. The third staff begins with a box '22' and a forte 'ff' dynamic marking, containing measures 24-25. The fourth staff contains measures 26-27. The fifth staff contains measures 28-29. The sixth staff ends with a large bracket on the right and contains measures 30-31, marked with a box '29'. The music features a rhythmic pattern of eighth notes with various articulations and dynamics.