

2023-2024 Auditions – Trumpet Excerpts

Welcome to the Toronto Youth Wind Orchestra auditions! You are asked to prepare a solo or etude of your own choice, as well as additional material depending on your preference of ensemble (see detailed requirements below). Be careful to observe the different styles and metronome markings where indicated.

Concert Winds

- Solo of your choice: Please be prepared to play approximately ONE MINUTE of a solo piece, exercise or etude, or even something from your favourite band piece from school. Memorization not required.
- Excerpts: Musicians are asked to prepare the first page only of the enclosed material which includes a short etude as well as indicated scales and arpeggios.
- 3. Sight-reading

N.B. Concert Winds musicians are **not required** prepare any excerpts beyond the first page of this package.

Symphonic Winds

- Solo of your choice: Please be prepared to play approximately TWO MINUTES of a solo piece, exercise or etude. Your solo piece need not be memorized.
- 2. Excerpts: Musicians are asked to prepare one (1) of the enclosed excerpts. Be careful to observe the different styles and metronome markings where indicated.

Wind Orchestra

- 1. **Solo of your choice:** Please be prepared to play approximately TWO MINUTES of a solo piece, exercise or etude. Your solo piece need not be memorized.
- 2. Excerpts: Musicians are asked to prepare two (2) of the enclosed excerpts. Be careful to observe the different styles and metronome markings where indicated.

Concert Winds Audition Material

You will be asked to play the two scales listed below (with arpeggios) as well as the small study at the bottom of the page. It is not necessary to memorize this material as you'll be permitted to use music in your audition. Be careful to observe all articulations, dynamics and breath markings where indicated.







N.B. Younger players auditioning for the very first time may play the music a little slower to make the material more comfortable.

Trumpet I

LINCOLNSHIRE POSY

2. Horkstow Grange (The Miser and His Man: A local Tragedy)

Percy Grainger

Slowly flowing, singingly ($\sqrt{}$ = approx. 76)





THE YEAR OF THE DRAGON

Bb TRUMPET

By PHILIP SPARKE



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