

FALL 2021 CONCERT ENSEMBLE AUDITION INFORMATION

(WIND ENSEMBLE, SYMPHONIC BAND, CONCERT BAND)

Our concert ensembles, the Wind Ensemble, Symphonic Band, and Concert Band, will meet on the following schedule in the fall semester:

Wind Ensemble	MUS 300W-005	M-W-F 12:00-1:50 PM
Symphonic Band	MUS 100B-011	M-W 2:00-2:50 PM & F 2:00-3:50 PM
Concert Band	MUS 100B-012	M-W-F 3:00-3:50 PM

Auditions for the Fall semester will be held on Saturday, August 28th Specific times will be available closer to the audition date. When registering for classes, we ask that new students enroll in Symphonic Band (MUS 100B-011). After the auditions are completed, schedules for new students will be automatically be changed to reflect your ensemble placement, if necessary.

Audition Material

Woodwind and Brass

1. Scales
 - The panel will choose up to three full-range scales
 - Scales should be performed in sixteenth notes at Quarter Note = 92-104
 - A full-range chromatic scale may also be requested
2. Prepared Excerpts
 - Audition excerpts will be available for **download on July 1st** from the music dept. website
 - You will be sent an e-mail with the information for your instrument and download instructions
3. Sight-reading
 - There will be a short sight-reading excerpt

Percussion

1. Performance excerpt on Snare Drum
 - The audition excerpt will be available for **by July 26th** from on the music dept. website
 - You will also be sent an e-mail with the information by Dr. Zator
2. Sight-reading
 - There will be a short sight-reading excerpt on marimba and timpani

FALL 2021 JAZZ ENSEMBLE AUDITION INFORMATION

Our Jazz ensembles, will meet on the following schedule in the Fall semester:

Jazz Ensemble I	MUS 300-002	M-W-F	11:00 – 11:50 AM
Jazz Ensemble II	MUS 100J-003	M-W	5:00 – 5:50 PM

Auditions will be held on Sunday, August 29th. Audition excerpts will be available for **download on July 1st** from the music department website. You will be sent an e-mail with the information for your instrument and download instructions. Please contact Mr. John Wasson at john.wasson@tamuc.edu with any additional questions regarding jazz auditions.