

Jr Symphony Viola Audition Instructions:

For your audition, please prepare to play the following:

1. A two octave scale that includes a shift to third position, preferably either F, G, A flat or, A
2. The attached excerpt (page 2 of this document)
3. A two minute portion of a solo piece of your choice

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1 *f*

2 3 4

5 6 7 8 9 10 *mf* 11

12 13 14 15 16 17

18 19 20 21 22 23

24 25 26 27 28 *mf* 29

30 *sfz* 31 32 33 34 35

36 37 38 39 *segue*

40 41 42 43 *sfz*

44 *half-bow* 45 46 *f*

Track 2

Sweeping Stroke
Whole Bow

The musical score is written for a viola in 4/4 time. It consists of ten staves of music. The first staff begins with a dynamic marking of *f* and contains measures 1 through 4. The second staff contains measures 5 through 8. The third staff contains measures 8 through 11, with a section labeled 'Track 2' starting at measure 10 and a dynamic marking of *mf*. The fourth staff contains measures 12 through 17. The fifth staff contains measures 18 through 23. The sixth staff contains measures 24 through 29, with a section labeled 'Sweeping Stroke Whole Bow' starting at measure 28 and a dynamic marking of *mf*. The seventh staff contains measures 30 through 35, with a dynamic marking of *sfz* and a section labeled 'segue' starting at measure 32. The eighth staff contains measures 36 through 39, with a section labeled 'segue' starting at measure 37. The ninth staff contains measures 40 through 43, with a dynamic marking of *sfz*. The tenth staff contains measures 44 through 46, with a section labeled 'half-bow' starting at measure 44 and a dynamic marking of *f*. The score includes various musical notations such as slurs, accents, and dynamic markings.