PCMEA 9-10 Concert Band Auditions

Audition Requirements

- 2 Major Scales
- Chromatic Scale
- Etude
- Sight Reading

Major Scales

Two (2) scales will be selected from the following scales at your audition: F, Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, Gb, C, and G (concert). Major scales are to be performed FROM MEMORY, two octaves where possible. Students who wish to play an extended range 2nd or 3rd octave may do so for bonus points.

Chromatic Scale

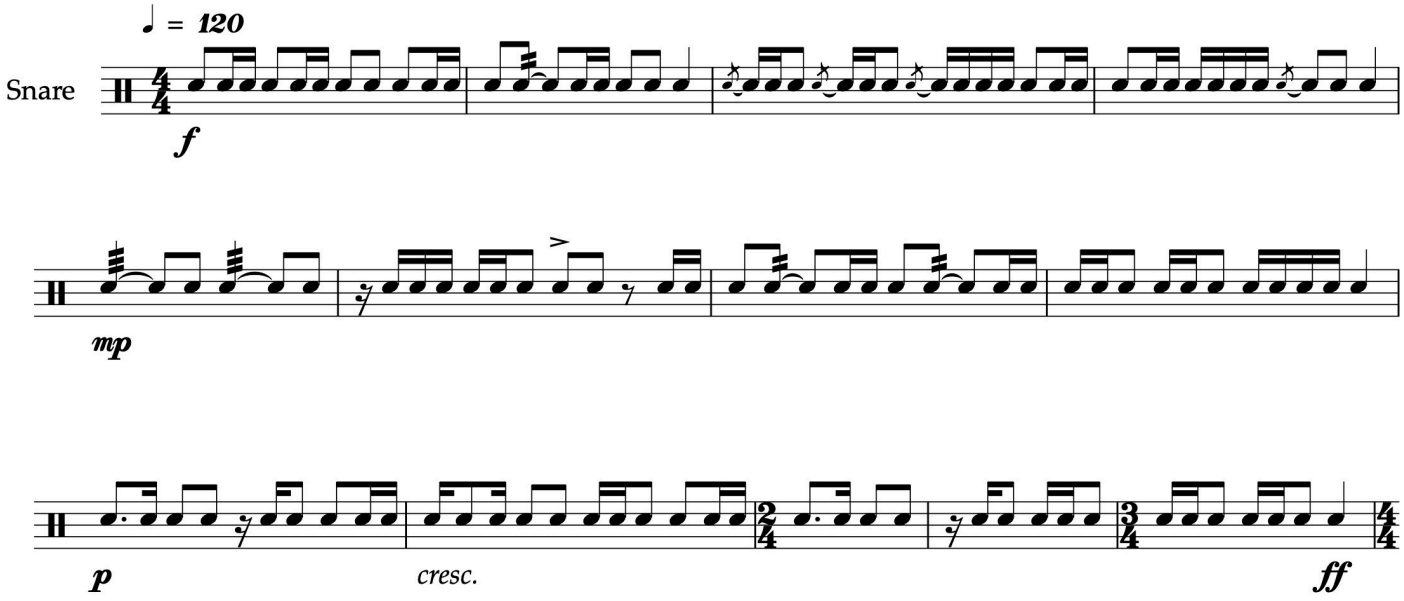
Chromatic scale is to be performed FROM MEMORY, TWO OCTAVES, for the following instruments: [F-F: All Saxes, Horns] [C-C: Trumpet, Euph. T.C.] [D-D: Oboe] [Bb-Bb: Tuba, Euph. B.C., Trombone, Percussion] [E-E: Contrabass Cl.]

Chromatic scale is to be performed FROM MEMORY, THREE OCTAVES, for the following instruments: [C-C: Flute] [Bb-Bb: Bassoon] [E-E: Bb and Bass Clarinets]

Chromatic scale is to be performed FROM MEMORY Eb-Bb, 2.5 octaves for Piccolo.

Required Etude
9-10 Percussion

Mallet and Snare etudes are on the following page. No Timpani audition is required. Please note, percussionists do not receive extra points for additional octaves on major scales. Please play all major scales exactly 2 octaves.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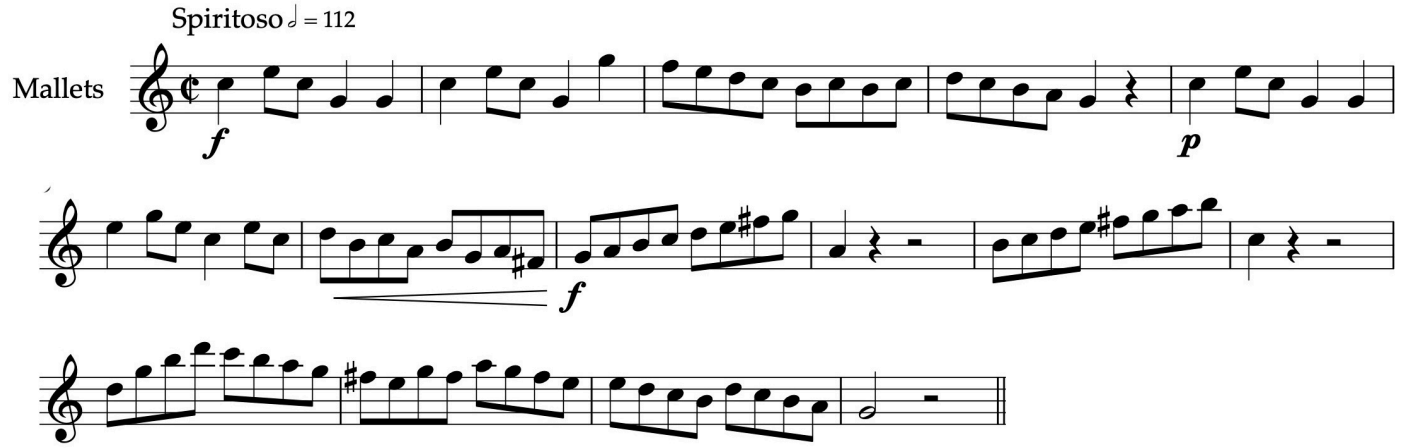
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