# 2021/22 MSBOA Middle School All-State BAND Audition Requirements

MSBOA Members will find, on the following pages, the etudes chosen by our All-State Adjudicators from the All-State books. In most cases, a metronome marking is given. If there is none listed, then the student should prepare the etude based on the tempo suggested in the etude book.

#### Major and Chromatic Scales – MEMORIZED

Piccolo: Bb1, Eb2, F2, C1, Chromatic Eb2 Flute: Bb2, Eb2, F2, C2, Chromatic Eb2 Oboe: Bb1, F1, C2, G1, Chromatic C2 Bassoon: Bb2, F2, C2, Eb2, Chromatic F2 Clarinet: C2, F2, Bb2, G2, Chromatic E2

Alto/Bass Clarinet: C2, F2, Bb2, G2, Chromatic E2 Saxophones: G1, C2, F2, Bb2, Chromatic C2 Trumpet: C1, F1, Bb1, G2, Chromatic G2 Horn: F2, Bb1, Eb1, C1, Chromatic F2

Trombone: Bb1, Eb1, Ab1, F2, Chromatic F2

Euphonium/Baritone (Bass Clef): Bb1, Eb1, Ab1, F2, Chromatic F2 Euphonium/Baritone (Treble Clef): C1, F1, Bb1, G2, Chromatic G2

Tuba: Bb1, Eb1, Ab1, F2, Chromatic F2

Percussion: See attached Percussion Etude--"Percussion Audition Piece #2a" Percussion: Required Scales on xylophone: C2, F2, Bb2, Eb2, Chromatic Bb2

#### Sight-Reading

#### A prepared etude from the following etude books:

**Piccolo** - *Melodious and Progressive Studies for Flute* (Book 1), Cavally, 00970024-Southern Music Page 4, #4. En Fa # Mineur. Play measure 1 – 48 (fermata) then skip to beat 2 of measure 68 and play to end. Dotted Half Note = 78.

Flute - Melodious and Progressive Studies for Flute (Book 1), Cavally, 00970024-Southern Music Page 3, #3. En Sol Majeur. Entire Etude. Dotted Quarter Note= 82.

Oboe - Gekeler Method (Volume 1), Gekeler, EL00081-Belwin

Page 25, #1, Rule Blessed Spirits. Entire Etude (First 5 lines of page 25). Quarter Note = 72. **And** 

Page 40, #3, La Tarentelle. Entire Etude. Observe the D.C. The Fine is missing and occurs at the Double Bar (the end of measure 8). Dotted Quarter Note = 108.

- **Bassoon** *Method for Bassoon* (green cover), Weissenborn, CU96-Carl Fischer Page 44. Lines 7 10. Allegro. Take repeats. Quarter Note = 132.
- Clarinet Rubank Intermediate Method for Clarinet, 04470170-Hal Leonard
  Page 12, Lesson 7 "Legato Duet." Play 1<sup>st</sup> Part (the <u>TOP LINE ONLY</u>). Entire Etude.
  Quarter Note = 120.
- Bass/Contra Clarinet Rubank Intermediate Method for Clarinet, 04470170-Hal Leonard
  Page 12, Lesson 7 "Legato Duet." Play 2<sup>nd</sup> Part (the <u>BOTTOM LINE ONLY</u>.) Entire
  Etude. Quarter Note = 120.

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Alto Saxophone - Rubank Intermediate Method for Saxophone, 04470200-Rubank/Hal Leonard Page 9, Legato Duet. Play 1<sup>st</sup> Part (**Top Line Only**). Measure 1 - 16. Stop at the Fine. Ouarter Note = 72. Observe dynamic markings and use vibrato if possible.

And

Page 17, Hunters Chorus. Play 1<sup>st</sup> Part (**Top Line Only**). Start with the pick-up note before measure 9 and play to the end. No repeats. Quarter Note= 96.

**Tenor Saxophone** - *Rubank Intermediate Method for Saxophone*, 04470200-Rubank/Hal Leonard Page 20, #4. Moderato. Bb Major Etude. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 72.

And

Page 24, #6. Andante. Etude in D Minor. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 100. Shape phrases and use vibrato if possible.

**Baritone Saxophone** - *Rubank Intermediate Method for Saxophone*, 04470200-Rubank/Hal Leonard Page 22, #3. Triplet Etude. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 108.

And

Page 27, #6. C Minor Etude. Entire Etude. Quarter Note =80.

**Trumpet** - First Book of Practical Studies for Cornet and Trumpet (ed. Nilo Hovey), Getchell, EL00304 Page 14, #27. Andante Cantabile. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 80.

And

Page 20, #44. Moderato. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 96.

**Horn** - *First Book of Practical Studies for French Horn*, Getchell, EL01748-Belwin Mills/Warner Brothers Page 19 #41. Andante. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 76-84.

And

Page 22, #49. Allegretto. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 100-108.

Trombone - Beeler Method (Book 1), Beeler, WB0007-Warner Brothers

Page 21, #7. Contrast Etude. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 100-110.

And

Page 25, #9. Chords. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 104.

Euphonium – Skilful Studies, Phillip Sparke, 2481521-De Haske Publications

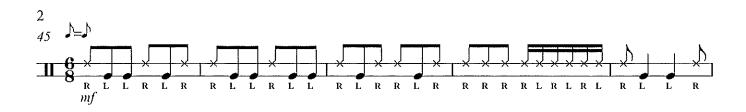
Bass Clef-Page 40, #28. In the Black Mountains. Entire Etude. Quarter Note=70-76. Treble Clef-Page 18, #28. In the Black Mountains. Entire Etude. Quarter Note=70-76.

**Tuba** - *Rubank Intermediate Method for Tuba*, 04470250-Rubank/Hal Leonard Page 14, #4. Melody in F. Entire Etude. Quarter Note = 100-112.

Percussion: See attached Percussion Etude--"Percussion Audition Piece #2a"------Scroll Percussion: Required Scales on xylophone: C2, F2, Bb2, Eb2, Chromatic Bb2

# Percussion Audition Piece #2a - Odd Year

Timpani Susp. Cym, Snare Drum Orchestral Bells Triangle Moderato = 108 Timpani (A,D) 9 15 l.v. mf Susp.Cym (top line) SD (bottom line) 20 (with sticks) 1.v. p 26 (all rolls in a closed orchestral style) 31 mp35  $\mathbf{I}$ 40 Copyright © 2018















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### **Percussion Audition Requirements**

#### **Odd Year**

(Oct.-2019, 2021, 2023, etc.)

- 1.) Perform the "Percussion Audition Piece # 2a"
- 2.) Perform required scales on Xylophone: C2, F2, Bb2, Eb2, and Chromatic Bb2

#### **Performance Suggestions:**

- A.) The Etude is a through-composed piece. Accurately count the rests during transitions.
- B.) Lay the triangle and beater on the mallet tray. Pick up to use.
- C.) Put a separate copy of the music on each stand.
- D.) Pre-tune the timpani before the start of the performance.

## Suggested set-up for recording:

Do a sound check to determine best mic placement and input/gain settings.

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