

# SSYO AUDITION INSTRUCTIONS

## Prepare a scale and a solo:

### Scale:

- **Woodwinds/Brass:** Prepare a scale of your choice (chromatic, if possible) showing your fullest range.
- **String Students:** Prepare a scale of your choice with as many octaves as you can play.

**Solo:** All students should prepare a solo that fully demonstrates their ability on their instrument. If multi-movement, excerpts from each movement is permitted. The solo should be unaccompanied.

- **For consideration for Concert Orchestra:** Solo should be WSMA Class A or B (or equivalent difficulty). Violinists and violists should demonstrate sufficient ability to play in third position minimally. Cellists should demonstrate sufficient ability to play in fourth position minimally.
- **For consideration for Sinfonia Orchestra:** WSMA class B or C (or equivalent difficulty).
- **Percussionist students:** Prepare short pieces on snare drum and mallets. If you do not have the equipment, but would like to audition, please contact us!