



CANADIAN
WIND
ORCHESTRA

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B \flat BASS CLARINET AUDITION PROTOCOL 2022

Please record a video file (mp4, wav, or another standard video file format) and upload it to your account at the MusicFest website, with **all three parts** as listed below.

NOTE: if you also play E \flat clarinet, please add an additional playing sample on this instrument at the end.

PART #1 SCALES

Please play these two scales as specified:

- (a) Any chromatic scale, starting on any note, all slurred (2 octaves where possible)
- (b) A-flat major concert scale, using a slur-2/tongue-2 pattern ()
played quickly but also in full control

PART #2 OWN-CHOICE PLAYING SAMPLE

Please play 16-24 measures only of any solo, etude, or excerpt from a work that you can play well. Please count any rests shorter than 2 measures; otherwise, skip ahead to your next entrance after counting a measure or two.

PART #3 REQUIRED EXCERPT

Be sure to play both (a) and (b).

(a) fast excerpt

Allegro ma non troppo $\text{♩} = 120$

4 5 2 7 2 9 3

12 *p*

16 17 18 19

20 *pp* 21 22 23 *mp*

(b) slow excerpt

Slowly, with a beautiful tone

The musical score consists of three staves of music in treble clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#). The tempo and performance instruction are "Slowly, with a beautiful tone".

- Staff 1:** Measures 21-25. Measure 21 starts with a half note G4. Measures 22-24 contain quarter notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. Measure 25 contains a half note G4.
- Staff 2:** Measures 26-30. Measure 26 is a half note G4. Measures 27-28 contain quarter notes: A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. Measure 29 contains quarter notes: G4, F#4, E4, D4. Measure 30 contains quarter notes: C4, B3, A3, G3.
- Staff 3:** Measures 31-35. Measure 31 contains quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. Measure 32 contains a half note G4. Measure 33 contains quarter notes: G4, F#4, E4, D4, C4, B3, A3, G3. Measure 34 contains quarter notes: G4, A4, B4, C5, B4, A4, G4. Measure 35 contains a half note G4.