

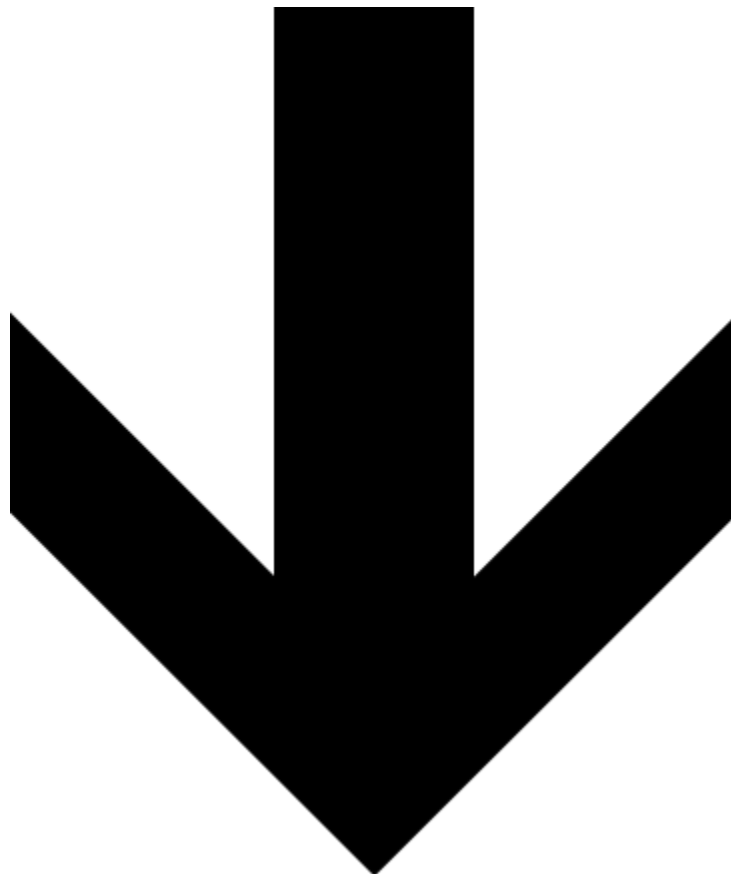
All Wind Players are required to play:

- 1 major scale chosen at random during the recording
- Assigned chromatic scale [link to scales](#)
- Assigned solo (listed below)

All percussionists are required to play:

- Assigned solo (listed below)
- [Link to rudiments and other specifics](#)

**Included below are the alternating solo
lists used for band auditions.
Please ensure that you are referring to the
appropriate list for the current academic year.**



2025-2026, 2027-2028, 2029-2030

Vermont District III Middle School Band (Grades 7 and 8) Audition Selections

INSTRUMENT	SOLO	COMPOSER	SOURCE
flute	Allegro from Sonata No.1 up to measure 18.	Marcello	Flute tunes Link to solo here
oboe	Minuetto and Presto (Minuetto only)	Haydn	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 6
bassoon	Bouree (upper octave)	Handel	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 4 of the TUBA book
clarinet	Menuet measure 1 to trio	Mozart	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 18
bass clarinet	Mozaic	Walthew	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 4
alto saxophone	Allegro Maestoso	Nieman	Rubank Advanced Method Book page 42
tenor saxophone	Allegretto	Arensky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 5
baritone saxophone	At the Hearth	Gretchaninoff	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection (alto sax book) page 2
trumpet and baritone horn, treble clef	Premier Solo de Concours	Maniet	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 4
trombone and baritone horn bass clef	Spanish Dance No. 2	Ostransky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 7
French horn	Allerseelen	Strauss	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 3
Tuba	Bouree (choose octave in bottom line)	Handel	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 4
snare drum	The Royal Drummer	Pearson	Standard of Excellence, Book 1 page 36
timpani	Sonatina for Timpani, Mvt 2 and 3	Pearson	Standard of Excellence Timpani and Auxiliary Percussion page 38
bells	See oboe		

2026-2027, 2028-2029, 2030-2031

Vermont District III Middle School Band (Grades 7 and 8) Audition Selections

INSTRUMENT	SOLO	COMPOSER	SOURCE
flute	Sonata no.1 in F Major <i>Vivace m1-14</i>	Telemann	Flute tunes Link to solo with expressive markings here
oboe	Ariette	Gretry	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 2
bassoon	Sarabanda and Gavotte <i>Allegro Moderato to end</i>	Corelli	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 2 of the TUBA book
clarinet	Romance and Troika <i>Allegro Con Brio to end</i>	Prokofiev	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page BASS CLARINET BOOK page 13
bass clarinet	Sarabanda and Bouree <i>Bouree (lively) to end</i>	JS Bach	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 2
alto saxophone	Giga in 6/8 <i>Con Spirito to end</i>	Ostransky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 7
tenor saxophone	Contradance <i>Allegro to end</i>	Mozart	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 3
baritone saxophone	Giga in 6/8 <i>Con Spirito to end</i>	Ostransky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection ALTO SAX BOOK page 7
trumpet and baritone horn, treble clef	Sarabanda and Gavotta <i>Allegro Moderato to end</i>	Corelli	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 2
trombone and baritone horn bass clef	Spanish Dance No. 1 <i>beginning to cadenza</i>	Ostransky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 7
French horn	Ballade <i>Beginning to Tempo I</i>	Ostransky	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 4
Tuba	Sarabanda and Gavotte <i>Allegro Moderato to end</i>	Corelli	Rubank Concert and Contest Collection page 2 of the TUBA book
snare drum	Lesson #28		Haskell Harr Book 1 page 36
timpani	Sonatina for Timpani, Mvt 1	Pearson	Standard of Excellence Book 2 Timpani and Auxiliary Percussion page 38
bells	Sonatina		Whalley book page 32