

SEATTLE SYMPHONY

2nd Percussion AUDITION REPERTOIRE

Preliminary, Semi-Final, and Final Auditions

April 26, 2023 – May 1, 2023

Audition excerpts will be chosen from the following literature. A book of the precise excerpts will be sent to all applicants as soon as it's completed.

1) Solo Requirements:

Snare Drum	
Delécluse	Test - Claire
Marimba	
Druckman	Reflections on the Nature of Water, II Fleet

2) Orchestra Excerpts:

Snare Drum		
Bartok	Concerto for Orchestra, 2 nd Movement	
Nielsen	Clarinet Concerto	
Prokofiev	Lt. Kije Suite, Op 60, Birth of Kije	m. 1-5 and 13-end
	Symphony #5, 2 nd Movement	
Rimsky-Korsakov	Capriccio Espagnol	
	Scheherazade	
Shostakovich	Symphony No. 10	
Xylophone		
Copland	Appalachian Spring	
Gershwin	Porgy and Bess (Opening)	
Kabalevsky	Colas Breugnon	
Kodaly	Hary Janos	
Messiaen	Oiseaux Exotiques	m. 6-7, 16-20, 26-28
Schuman	Symphony No. 3	
Strauss	Salome Dance of the Seven Veils	
Stravinsky	Firebird, Complete 1910	
	Les Noces	
Bells		
Debussy	La Mer	
Dukas	Sorcerer's Apprentice	
Glazunov	Violin Concerto	
Mozart	Magic Flute	
Respighi	Pines of Rome	
Tchaikovsky	Sleeping Beauty	
Williams	Close Encounters of the Third Kind	

	Vibes		
	Bernstein	West Side Story	m. 567-577, 582-589, 620-632
	Williams	Escapades, 1 st Movement "Closing In"	m. 49-64
		Escapades, 3 rd Movement "Joy Ride"	m. 126-175
	Marimba		
	Penderecki	Concerto Grosso #1 for 3 Cellos and Orchestra	[21] – [23]
	Tambourine		
	Adams	Short Ride in a Fast Machine	
	Bizet	Carmen Prelude to Act IV, Danse Boheme	
	Britten	Four Sea Interludes from "Peter Grimes"	
	Chabier	España	
	Dvorak	Carnival Overture	
	Rimsky-Korsakov	Capriccio Espagnol, 1 st Movement	quarter note = 115
	Stravinsky	Petrouchka (1947)	
	Castanets		
	Rimsky-Korsakov	Capriccio Espagnol	
	Triangle		
	Bizet	Carmen Danse Boheme	
	Brahms	Symphony No. 4	
	Dvorak	Slavonic Dance No. 10, Op. 72 No. 2	
		New World Symphony	
	Liszt	Piano Concerto #1 in Eb Major	
	Cymbals		
	Britten	Violin Concerto, 1 st Movement	
	Dvorak	Scherzo Capriccioso	
	Dvorak	Carnival Overture	
	Rachmaninoff	Piano Concerto #2	
	Sibelius	Finlandia	
	Tchaikovsky	Nutcracker Ballet (Mirlitons Only)	
		Romeo and Juliet Overture	
		Symphony No. 4	
	Bass Drum		
	Britten	Billy Budd Act III Scene 4	[20]
	Mahler	Symphony No. 3	