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## Fall 2021 Auditions – Tenor Sax

(For Fall 2021 Band Placements)

These upcoming auditions will determine band placement for the Fall Semester of 2021-2022. Students will sign up for audition times on SignUpGenius (links available on the band website and BAND app.) Audition dates are May 17<sup>th</sup> through May 21<sup>st</sup>.

### Audition Process

- Students will sign up for an audition time online. You can find the sign up on the band website in the member's section and on the BAND app.
  - Students who do not sign up for a time will be randomly assigned a time.
  - Students who do not audition will be placed in Concert Band for the Fall of 2021.
- Students will arrive on time for their audition.
- Students should decide which group to audition for and prepare the following based on that decision.
  - **Wind Symphony**
    - i. CCISD High School Band Audition Music
    - ii. Draw 2 scales from concert Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, G, C, F
    - iii. Draw 1 scale from concert D, A, E, B, Gb
    - iv. Sight Read – Level 3 and Level 4
  - **Symphonic Band**
    - i. CCISD High School Band Audition Music
    - ii. Draw 2 scales from concert Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, G, C, F
    - iii. Sight Read – Level 2 and Level 3
  - **Concert Band**
    - i. CCISD High School Band Audition Music
    - ii. Draw 2 scales from concert Bb, Eb, Ab, Db, G, C, F
    - iii. No Sight Reading Required
- Students are encouraged to use their Sight Reading Factory subscription to practice sight reading. There are "classes" setup in there for each Level (2/3/4) so you can practice what you need for your audition.
  - *If you do not have a Sight Reading Factory subscription, please see your band director.*
- Scales are to be performed:
  - Full Range if possible. If a student cannot play all ranges on a scale, they should play the ranges on which they will sound the best.
  - Quarter note should be set at 80.
  - Students will tongue up and slur down.

Results will be announced as soon as all auditions are completed or by the end of the day Friday, May 21<sup>st</sup>.

High School Band

Andante

The first section of the music is marked "Andante". It consists of three staves of music. The first staff begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic marking. The second staff includes a *cresc.* (crescendo) marking. The key signature is one sharp (F#) and the time signature is 3/4. The music features a melodic line with various articulations and dynamics.

Tempo di marcia

The second section of the music is marked "Tempo di marcia". It consists of six staves of music. The key signature changes to two flats (Bb and Eb) and the time signature remains 3/4. The music is characterized by a steady, rhythmic march pattern with frequent eighth and sixteenth notes, often grouped in pairs or fours.

# Full Range Scales

In All Twelve Major Key Signatures

B/C 

F/G 

C/D 

G/A 

D/E 

A/B 

E/F# 

For saxes with high F# / G# keys.



E/G# 

For saxes with high F/G keys.



Full Range Chromatic - Saxophones Only



For saxes with high F/G keys.

