

NYSSMA 2021 Virtual Solo Evaluation Scale & Performance Requirements

Strings				
Instrument	Level 1-2	Level 3-4	Level 5-6	All State
Violin	Any 3 scales	C, Bb (1-8va) G (2-8va)	C, A, Db (all 2-8va)	D, Eb, F# (all 2-8va)
Viola	Any 3 scales	F, Eb (1-8va) C (2-8va)	G, F, Eb (all 2-8va)	A, B, Db (all 2-8va)
Cello	Any 3 scales	F, Bb (1-8va) D (2-8va)	F, A, Ab (all 2-8va)	Eb, B, C# (all 2-8va)
Bass	Any 3 scales	Bb, A (1-8va) G (2-8va)	Ab (1-8va) E, F# (2-8va)	Eb (1-8va) F, Gb (2-8va)
Guitar	Any 3 scales	F, A (1-8va) D (2-8va)	G, Eb, B (all 2-8va)	
Lever Harp	Any scale and arpeggio	C scale & arpeggio		
Pedal Harp	Any scale and arpeggio	Bb scale & arpeggio	A scale & arpeggio	B scale & arpeggio

Woodwinds				
Instrument	Level 1-2	Level 3-4	Level 5-6	All State
Flute/Piccolo	Any 3 scales	G, D, Ab	A, E, Db	B, Gb, C#
Oboe/English Horn	Any 3 scales	D, A, Eb	E, Ab, C#	B, Db, Gb
Clarinets	Any 3 scales	D, A, Eb	E, Ab, C#	B, Db, Gb
Saxophones	Any 3 scales	Bb, A, Eb	E, Ab, Db	B, Gb, C#
Bassoon	Any 3 scales	D, A, Eb	E, Ab, C#	B, Db, F#
Recorder	Any 3 scales	D, A, Eb	E, Ab, C#	

Brass				
Instrument	Level 1-2	Level 3-4	Level 5-6	All State
Trumpet	Any 3 scales	D, Bb, A	Eb, E, Ab	B, Db, F#
French Horn	Any 3 scales	G, A, Eb	E, Ab, C#	B, Db, F#
Trombone	Any 3 scales	C, G, Ab	D, A, Db	E, F#, Cb
Euphonium (T.C.)	Any 3 scales	D, Bb, A	Eb, B, F#	E, Ab C#
Euphonium (B.C.)	Any 3 scales	G, D, Ab	A, E, Db	B, Gb, C#
Tuba	Any 3 scales	F, D, Ab	G, Eb, B	E, Db, F#

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All snare drum evaluations must be performed on an acoustic snare drum. Please refrain from using drum pads or electronic drums to ensure adjudicators have the opportunity to provide the most accurate evaluation of the performance.

Percussion				
Instrument	Level 1-2	Level 3-4	Level 5-6	All-State
Snare Drum	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any Three Rudiments • Long Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 13 Stroke Roll • Flamacue • Lesson 25 • Long Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 11 Stroke Roll • Flam Paradiddle • Double Ratamacue • Long Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 Stroke Roll • Drag Paradiddle #1 • Flam Paradiddle-diddle • Long Roll
Timpani	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Perfect 4th • Perfect 5th • Single Stroke Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major 3rd • Perfect 5th • Single Stroke Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Minor 2nd – one drum • Major 6th – two drums • Single Stroke Roll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Major 2nd – one drum • Minor 6th – two drums • Single Stroke Roll
Mallet	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Any 3 Scales & Arpeggios 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bb, A & Arpeggios • D (rolled) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Db & Arpeggio • E (3^{rds}) • F# (rolled) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • C# & Arpeggio • Ab (3^{rds}) • B (rolled)
Multiple Perc.				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6 Stroke Roll • Drag Paradiddle #1 • Flam Paradiddle-diddle • Long Roll

Piano			
Instrument	Level 1-2	Level 3-4	Level 5-6
Piano	Any 3 scales	A, Eb, B	E, Ab, F#

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