Violin Auditions 2024-2025
Charleston Symphony Youth Orchestra Requirements

1. **Scale Requirements**: Choose 2 scales from the keys applicable to your instrument. One scale must be major, the other must be melodic-minor; and at least one of the scales must be a 3-octave scale (the second scale may be 2 octaves; 1 octave scales are not permitted). All the scales must be performed in quarter notes at 120 bpm.
   - G, A, B♭, B, C, D, E, E♭, F, F♯

2. **Solo Excerpt**: Please prepare a 2 minute (maximum) excerpt from the solo work of your choice.

3. **Orchestral Excerpt**:
   - Tchaikovsky, Symphony No. 5, 1st movement, Letter D to Letter F
   - Sibelius, Finlandia, Letter G to m. 127 (no repeat)

*If you plan to audition for both CSYO and CSYS, please prepare the CSYO requirements*
Tchaikovsky, Symphony 5, First Movement (pp. 2)
Play from letter D to letter F

Violino I

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