Violin Auditions 2024-2025
Charleston Symphony Youth Sinfonietta Requirements

1. **Scale Requirements:** select one major and one minor scale (minimum 2 octaves):
   - C Major, G Major, D Major, A Major, F Major, B-Flat Major
   - G melodic minor, D melodic minor, A melodic minor
     - Scales prepared at 72 bets per min:
       - One quarter per note – detached bow
         - ![Detached Bow]
       - Four quarters per note – spiccatto (middle of bow)
         - ![Spiccatto]
       - Pattern: one quarter and two eights
         - ![Pattern]

2. **Solo Excerpt:** please prepare a 3-minute (maximum) excerpt from a solo work of your choice. Must be Suzuki Book 3+, SCMEA Region SOLO, or equivalent.

3. **Orchestral Excerpt:**
   - Star Spangled Banner (entire piece)
   - Tchaikovsky, Trepak arr. Gruselle, m. 33 to end

*If you plan to audition for both CSYO and CSYS, please prepare the CSYO requirements*
Trepak
(from the Nutcracker)

Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky
Arr. by Carrie Lane Gruselle

VIOLIN I

Molto Vivace

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