



Oboe Auditions 2025-2026
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.
 - B \flat , B, C, D \flat , D, E \flat , E, F
2. **Solo Excerpt:** Please prepare a 2 minute (maximum) excerpt from the solo work of your choice.
3. **Orchestral Excerpt:**
 - Brahms 2, 2nd movement: m. 19-27
 - Dvorak 9, 4th movement: 1 after #11 to 4 before #12

491 *poco rit.* - - - *in tempo, sempre tranquillo*

mf *f dim.* *p* *p dolce*

500 *dolce* *cresc.*

509 *espress. cresc.* *f* *dim.* *p* *p*

Adagio non troppo

Vc. *poco f espressivo* *p*

8 *mf* *p*

16 **A** *p*

23 *dim.* **2**

30 **B** (l'istesso tempo, ma grazioso) *f* *f > p dim.* *p dolce*

36 *pp* *p cresc.*

41 *f* *dim.* *p* *pp*

Oboe I.

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pp pp p 4 12 8 8 13 f fff

II.

Largo. 20 1 1 Ob. II. 7 2 f ff 1 7 Corni 2 Un poco più mosso. pp 3 f p p cresc. 5 Poco meno mosso. poco rit. f pp dim. 3 Poco più mosso. p pp 3 5 Meno. f dim. p f f 9