

TCU Bands
Concert Band Audition Repertoire

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Rotation A

BASS CLARINET

- Scales: 12 Major Scales (Full Range)
Chromatic Scale (Full Range)
Scales are to be played from memory.
- Solo: Hindemith – *Sonata for Clarinet*, Mvt. 1
Schott Edition. There is no memory requirement.
- Excerpts: Bernstein/Grundman – *Overture to Candide* (2 excerpts)
Schuman – *Chester* (2 excerpts)
Daugherty – *Niagara Falls* (2 excerpts)
There is no memory requirement for the excerpts.

PLEASE NOTE:

The Bass Clarinet audition is not a stand-alone audition. This audition material is used to supplement a Bb Clarinet audition. Candidates will not be asked to play their scales or solo again. If you elect to audition for Bass Clarinet, you must sign-up for an extended audition slot. You will perform both Bass and Bb Clarinet excerpts during one time slot. The judges will consider both the Bass and Bb Clarinet auditions when assigning this spot.

Notes about auditions:

1. When you play your audition, you should adhere to the following order:
 - a. Scales (Memorized) - you will randomly draw 3 of the 12 major scales when you check-in prior to your audition. See attached sheet for ranges.
 - b. Chromatic (Memorized). See attached sheet for range.
 - c. Solo (Memory not required)
 - d. Excerpts (Memory not required)
2. Audition letter assignments will be sent at the latest on Monday the week before classes begin. Auditions will be tentatively scheduled during the Thursday and Friday before the first class day. A more accurate schedule will be posted in July on the [TCU Band Audition Website](#) and sent by e-mail.
3. The Band Office provides copies of the excerpts but not the solo. Each auditionee must procure the solo on his or her own.
4. When you sign-up, please take note of your audition time and arrive 10 minutes prior.
5. All auditions are juried blind. To maintain anonymity, make sure you check-in with the monitor.
6. Sight-reading may be used in the first round or call back round at the discretion of the judges.
7. Any cuts to the audition material will be posted outside the audition room 30 minutes before the first audition for that instrument group begins.

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CHESTER

Overture for Band

Allegro vivo
(♩ = circa 160)

play bottom line

Play bottom line

♩ = 160

Bass Cl.

NIAGARA FALLS

Michael Daugherty (1997)

$\text{♩} = 56$
solo
ff

6

6

6

10 *accel.*

10

$\text{♩} = 96$ $\text{♩} = 96$

57

59

62

64

67

69

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