

Student Name: _____

GMEA All-State First Round Auditions

PERCUSSION

Middle School

Audition Date: _____

Audition Location: _____

MALLETS - Chromatic Scale, 4 Major Scales, & Sight-reading

- Chromatic Scale- Play full range of instrument ascending and descending

- Major Scales- Play from memory in the following order:

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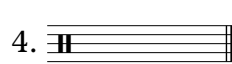
2. 

3. 

4. 

- Sight-read Mallet Exercise

SNARE DRUM - Rudiments, Play OPEN-CLOSED-OPEN (slow-fast-slow), & Sight-reading

Long Roll (Double Stroke)	Flam Accent	Drag	Student's Choice
1. 	2. 	3. 	4. 
R R L L R R L L	L R L R R L R L	L L R R R L	(from PAS 40 Rudiments)

- Sight-read Snare Drum Exercise

TIMPANI- Two drums will be used for the audition. Use the following procedure:

- Using an acoustic tone producer, tune timpani to the sight-reading pitches. You have 30 seconds per drum.
- On either drum, play a Single Stroke Roll OPEN-CLOSED-OPEN (slow-fast-slow)

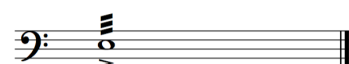
Single Stroke Roll



R L R L R L R L

- On either drum, play a Forte-Piano Roll with a crescendo

Forte-Piano Roll with Crescendo



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- Perform the sight-reading