

Youth Orchestra of Central Jersey

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Audition Requirements

Violin

3-octave scale of student's choice
Fluency in 1st and 3rd positions; familiarity with higher positions
Suzuki Bk.4; preferred: Suzuki Bk.5 or above (or equivalent)
Sight reading

Viola

2-octave scale; preferred: 3-octave scale of student's choice
Fluency in 1st position with extensions; familiarity with 3rd positions
Suzuki Bk.3 or above (or equivalent)
Sight reading

Cello

2-octave scale; preferred: 3-octave scale of student's choice
Fluency in 1st position with extensions; preferred: all neck positions
Suzuki Bk.3 or above (or equivalent)
Sight reading

String Bass

1-octave scale of Bb & D major
Solo demonstrating facility in neck positions
Sight reading

Woodwinds & Brass

9 scales up to 4 sharps and 4 flats (C, D, Eb, E, F, G, Ab, A, Bb) plus chromatic scale
Solo demonstrating best ability
Sight reading.

Percussion

Snare Drum: short etude; sight-reading
Two Timpani: short etude; sight-reading; demonstrate tuning
Mallet Instrument: short etude; sight-reading
Sight reading

