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Youth Orchestra (EPYO) Audition 2019

Viola

1. Prepare the following Scales and Arpeggios:

- Major: all Major scales – three octaves, as appropriate
- Melodic Minor: a, d, g, e, b – two octaves
- You will be asked to perform one Major and one Melodic Minor of the prepared scales and arpeggios, from memory.
- Scale and arpeggios must be played in even eighth notes using separate bows.
- Quarter note = 60-80

2. Solo of candidate's choice (about 1 minute)

3. Excerpt from: Beethoven Symphony No. 6, Second Movement, Beginning to reh. A

The image shows a musical score for Viola, titled "Lustiges Zusammensein der Landleute" (Allegro, 108). The score is in 3/4 time and consists of six staves of music. The first staff begins with a piano (*pp*) dynamic and a *dolce* marking. The second staff continues with *pp* and *dolce*. The third staff features a triplet of eighth notes and a *pp* dynamic. The fourth staff includes a *dolce* marking, a *cresc.* (crescendo) marking, and a *ff* (fortissimo) dynamic. The fifth staff is marked with *sf* (sforzando) dynamics. The sixth staff includes a *Cl.I* marking and *sf* dynamics. The score ends with a rehearsal mark "A" and a first ending bracket labeled "1" and "36".