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Youth Orchestra (EPYO) Audition 2020 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. 2 Excerpts below:

#1

Title: Procession of the Nobles – Rimsky-Korsakov

♩ = 112

The musical score is presented on three staves. The first two staves are the main excerpt, and the third is a smaller fragment. The key signature has two flats (B-flat major), and the time signature is 3/4. The first staff starts with a forte (ff) dynamic and contains a melodic line with eighth notes, slurs, and accents. The second staff continues the melodic line with various articulations like accents and slurs. The third staff at the bottom shows a single note with a bow stroke (v) and a forte (f) dynamic.



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#2

Title: Overture to the Magic Flute - Mozart

$\text{♩} = 80-92$

The musical score is written for five staves in 3/8 time, with a key signature of one flat (B-flat). The score includes various dynamics such as *p*, *f*, *sf*, and *p*. It features woodwind parts with fingerings and breath marks (VV, VV NV), and string parts with fingerings (2, 1, 3) and bowing marks (V). The notation includes eighth and sixteenth notes, rests, and slurs.