

**OKANAGAN SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA
PRINCIPAL CELLO AUDITION
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AUDITION REPERTOIRE LIST

SOLO REPERTOIRE

Exposition of the first movement from one of the following concertos:

Haydn	Concerto No. 2 in D, Hob. VIIb/2 Op. 101
Schuman	Concerto in a minor, Op. 129
Dvorak	Concerto in b minor, Op. 104

ORCHESTRAL SOLOS

Brahms	Piano Concerto no. 2	3rd mvt. D - end
Haydn	Symphony no. 31 "Horn Signal"	4th mvt. Variation 2 (with repeats)
Rossini	William Tell Overture	1 - 48 (top line)
Shostakovich	Symphony no. 1	4th mvt. Reh. [36] - [40]

ORCHESTRAL EXCERPTS

Beethoven	Symphony no. 5	2nd mvt: 1 - 10/ 49-59/ 98-106/ 114 - 123 3rd mvt: 1 - 18 / 140 - 218
Brahms	Symphony no. 2	2nd mvt: 1 - 15
Coulthard	Symphony no. 1	1st mvt: Reh. [3] - [4] 3rd mvt: 4 before [32] - 1 before [35] *For Coulthard: Use printed tempos for reference
Debussy	La Mer	2 before [9] - 6 after [9] (top line)
Mozart	Symphony no. 35	1st mvt: beginning - letter B 4th mvt: 134 - 181
Prokofiev	Romeo and Juliet Suite 1	6th mvt: 4 after [54] - 9 after [55]
Strauss	Don Juan	Beginning - D

34 Klav. **B** Alle arco
f *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp*

39 *cresc.* *sf* *f* *f* *fp* *fp* *fp* *fp*

45 *fp* *sf* *f* *fp* *sf* *sf*

52 *sf* *mf* *pizz.* *p* *dim.* *arco* *rit. molto* *pp dim.* *ppp*

59 Più Adagio *pp sempre* *rit.* *dim.*

70 **D** Tempo I Tutti
 Vcell. I Solo *p dolce*
 Vcell. II, III *p div.* *pizz.* *f* *p* *mf arco*

75 Solo *dolce* *p* *pizz.*

79 Tutti *cresc.* *mf* *mf arco*

Violoncello

9

83

E Tutti *dolce*

p *pizz.*

88

Solo

arco *cresc.* *f* *rit.* *dim.* *mf* *p dim.*

Più Adagio

93

pp *-pizz.* *arco* *ad lib.* *pizz.* *arco* *pp*

Violoncello, Basso
e Fagotto

HAYDN

Symphony No. 31

Mvt. IV - Var. 2 (solo line)

Var. 2 33

Violoncello Solo

Violoncello Basso

37

41

45

VOLONCELLO

ROSSINI

William Tell Overture

mm. 1-48 (top solo line)

Andante (♩=54)

1. Violoncello solo
espress.

2. Violoncello solo

3. Violoncello solo
(Viola I)
p

4. Violoncello solo
(Viola II)
p

5. Violoncello solo
p

7

Vo. 5

Vo. 5

VIOLONCELLO

3

16

dolce
p
p
p
p

22

pp
pp
pp
pp
pp

29

p
pp
pp
pp

VIOLONCELLO

36 *espr.*

Vc. 4 Vc. 3

44 *Allegro* (♩=108) *unis.*

pp *unis.*

pp *unis.*

pp *unis.*

pp *unis.*

SHOSTAKOVICH – Symphony No.1, 4th mvt, Figure 36 (Largo) – Figure 40

14 Adagio. $\text{♩} = 24$.
Cello solo

Violoncello.
[36] Largo. $\text{♩} = 24$. Concord.
p molto espr.

2 Celli

1

pp

[37]

cresc.

pp

Altri celli

pp

[38] Cello solo

poco f

pp

poco

2 Celli

Altri Celli

[39]

Cello solo

cresc.

pp

2 Celli

Celli

[40] senza sord.

tutti Cello
Arco

Violoncello e Basso

BEETHOVEN

Symphony No. 5

Mvt. II: mm. 1-10; mm. 49-59; mm. 98-106; mm. 114-123

Andante con moto $\text{♩} = 92$

Measures 1-10: Vcllo. *p dolce* *pizz.* *p* *f* *p* *arco*. Cb. *p*. Viol. I *f* *p* *cresc. f* *p* *f* *p*.

Measures 49-59: Vcllo. *f* *f* *p dolce* *pizz.* *p* *f*. Cb. *f* *p* *arco* *cresc.* *f* *p* *cresc. f* *p* *f* *p*.

Measures 98-106: Vcllo. *f* *ff* *p dolce* *pizz.* *p*. Cb. *f* *p*.

Measures 114-123: Vcllo. *pp*. Cb. *pp*. Viol. I *pp*.

BEETHOVEN

Symphony No. 5

Mvt. III: mm. 1 - 218

Allegro $\text{♩} = 96$
unis.

pp *poco rit.* *a tempo* *pp* *sf*

14 *poco rit.* *a tempo* *Corn* *f*

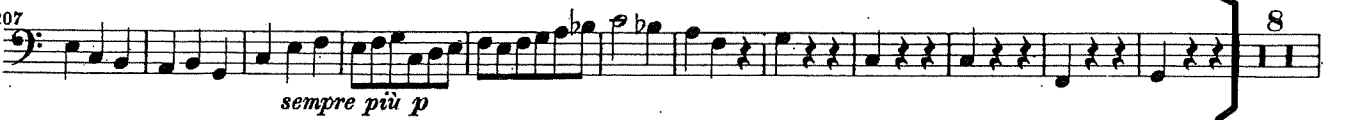
27 *f* *sf* *sf*

42 *sf* *sf* *dimin. pp* *poco rit.* *a tempo* *pp*

55 *cresc.*

Violoncello e Basso

7



Violoncello

BRAHMS

Symphony No. 2

Mvt. II: mm. 1 – 15

Adagio non troppo

Violoncello score for Brahms Symphony No. 2, Mvt. II, measures 1-15. The score is written in bass clef with a key signature of three sharps (F#, C#, G#) and a common time signature (C). The tempo is marked "Adagio non troppo". The score consists of three staves. The first staff begins with the instruction *poco f espr.* and ends with a dynamic marking *p*. The second staff begins with a measure number of 6 and ends with a dynamic marking *p*. The third staff begins with a measure number of 12 and ends with dynamic markings *poco f*, *dim.*, and *p*.

CELLO

SYMPHONY

JEAN COULTHARD

3

I

Slow and Expressive

pp

poco mosso.

mf

pp

mp

f

rit.

SOLO

pp

pp

mp

mf

marcato

Handwritten musical score for Cello, page 10. The score consists of 11 staves of music. It includes various musical notations such as notes, rests, slurs, and dynamic markings. Key markings include 'mp', 'p', 'mf', 'f', 'pp', 'div. 4', 'Pizz', 'ARCO', 'Ben marcato', 'unis.', 'molto cresc.', and 'a tempo'. Measure numbers 29, 30, and 32 are indicated in boxes. The score is written in a cello-specific notation with a low staff and a high staff.

2 3 2 3 3 33 *Slower*
subito p
ff *slow* *p*
pizz

arco *pizz*

34 *mf* *f*

35 *ff* *dim*

36 *Accel. e crescendo*
mp *a tempo* *f*

37 *p*

DEBUSSY: La Mer

VIOLONCELLES

2 before Reh. 9 – 6 after Reh. 9 (top line only)

Un peu plus mouvementé

9

1-2 3-4 5-6 7-8 9-10-11-12 13-14 15-16

p sfz p *mf f* *p*

16 *très rythmé* *velles*

mf mf f ff dim.

mf mf f ff dim.

p

En animant

p *pizz.* *arco* *pizz.* *p cresc.* *pizz.* *p cresc.* *pizz.*

pp *pp* *pp*

pizz. *arco* *pizz.* *arco* *pizz.* *arco* *pizz.* *arco*

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart
Symphony No. 35

Violoncello und Kontrabaß

D-dur

Allegro con spirito

This musical score is for the Violoncello and Kontrabaß parts of the first movement of Mozart's Symphony No. 35, D major, Allegro con spirito. The score is written in bass clef with a key signature of one sharp (F#) and a common time signature (C). The tempo is marked 'Allegro con spirito'. The score consists of ten staves of music, with measures numbered 9, 17, 23, 28, 33, 38, 44, 50, 58, and 63. The music features a variety of rhythmic patterns, including eighth and sixteenth notes, and rests. Dynamics such as *f* (forte), *p* (piano), and *fp* (fortissimo) are indicated throughout. There are also first and second endings marked with '1' and '2'. A section labeled 'A' begins at measure 33, and a section labeled 'B' begins at measure 63. The score concludes with a final measure at measure 64.

Violoncello e Basso

MOZART

Symphony No. 35

Mvt. IV: mm. 134-181

Presto

134

139

p

147

152

f

158

163

168

173

178

sf *sf* *p* *fp*

VI. Ромео и Джульетта

51 *Larghetto* *con sord.* *div. arco* *unis.*
pp
un poco rit. *un poco espress.* *a tempo* 52 11
div. *pp* *div. a 3*
pochiss. rit. *pp* *a tempo* 53 *Inquieto* *senza sord.* *sul pontic.*
mp *sul pontic.*
poco rit. *a tempo* *mp* *sul pontic.* *poco calando* *toco*
mf *dim.*
54 *Andante* *pizz.* *mp*
p *arco* *mf espress.*

Violoncelli

15

53

p *mf espress*

56

cresc.

dim.

57

p *mp*

The musical score is written for Violoncelli. It begins with measure 53, marked with a treble clef and a key signature of one sharp (F#). The first staff contains a melody starting on a whole note, followed by eighth and sixteenth notes. The second staff provides a harmonic accompaniment with eighth and sixteenth notes. Measure 54 continues the melody and accompaniment. Measure 55 introduces triplets in both staves. Measure 56 is the final measure of the first system, featuring a crescendo marking. The second system begins with measure 56, which continues the musical material. Measure 57 is the final measure of the system, marked with a decrescendo and a mezzo-piano dynamic. Below the main staves are two empty staves, likely for other instruments or as a placeholder.

Richard Strauss
Don Juan, Op.20

VIOLONCELLO

Allegro, molto con brio

[illegible]

Violoncello

molto Vivo

f

p

espr.

p *cresc.*

rapidamente

ff

tranquillo

ppp *tranquillo*

sfz

ppp *tranquillo*

p *pp*

2 *7* *8*

pp *pp* *p*

vielfach geteilt

cresc.

ppespr.

cresc. *dim.* *ppespr.*

cresc.

pp

poco a poco più vivente

ppespr. *cresc.* *molto espr.*

3 *F*

espr. *dim.* *ppespr.* *cresc.* *f*

