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Please remember the following if you are auditioning ONLY for YSII/CO:

- The tempos given for each excerpt are the tempos the excerpts are supposed to go at if you were performing it in an ensemble for a concert, but **you are not expected to go at those tempos**. Play each excerpt at a tempo that you can play it WELL at.
- Please prioritize playing the correct notes with accurate intonation, rhythm, and dynamics/phrasings over trying to play it up to tempo.

YSII/CO Violin Excerpt #1 of 2: Schubert Symphony No. 3, Allegro con brio

• Time Signature: 4/4

• Key Signature: 2 sharps, D-Major

• Tempo of Piece: Quarter Note = 132-154

Other Information:

- Bowings & fingerings are suggested for this excerpt. You can change the bowings as long
 as you maintain the integrity of the piece and phrasing. Fingerings can also be changed.
- For the double & triple stops If you cannot play all the notes, please either play the TOP note for double stops or the top TWO notes for the triple stops.



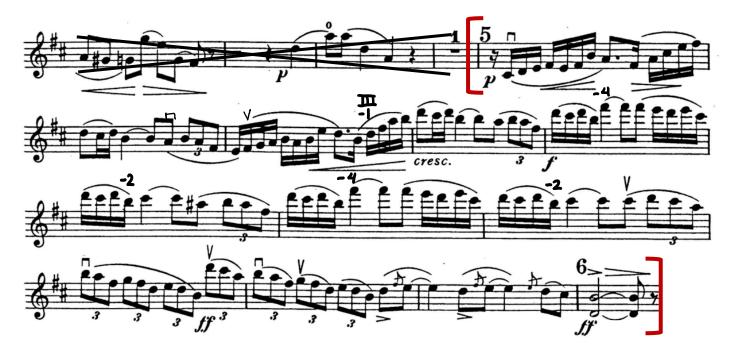
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YSII/CO Violin Excerpt #2 of 2: An Irish Melody 'The Londonderry Air', H. 86 by Frank Bridge

- Time Signature: 4/4
- **Key Signature:** 2 sharps, D-Major
- Tempo of Piece: Quarter Note = 72-80
- Other Instructions:
 - o Please follow given bowings. <u>DO NOT</u> change the bowings for this excerpt.
 - Fingerings are SUGGESTED. You can do whatever fingerings make sense for you.



- If you are only auditioning to try to get into YSII or CO You only need to do these two excerpts and are <u>NOT</u> expected to go at the tempos listed for each excerpt.
- If you are auditioning to try to get into YSI You must do these two YSII/CO excerpts AND the YSI excerpts for violin AND you are expected to get the excerpts up to tempo or close to tempo in the time given to learn the excerpts.

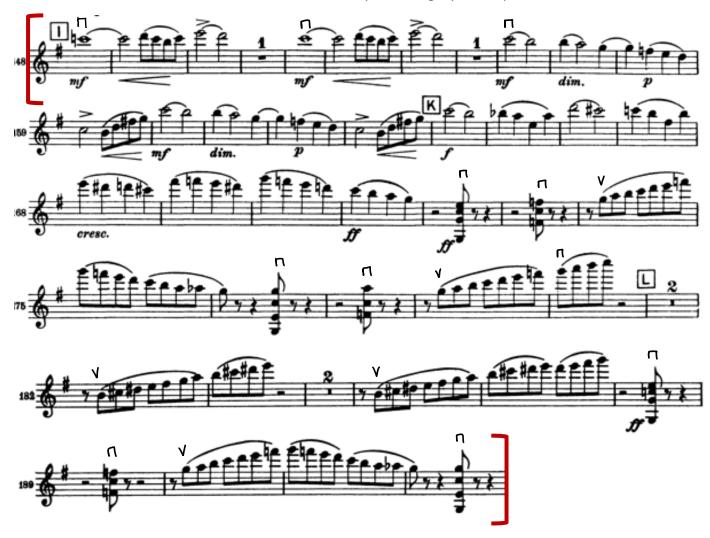
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Please remember the following if you are auditioning for YSI:

- You are required to also do all the YSII/CO audition excerpts for violin in addition to this excerpt.
- Those auditioning for YSI are expected to be able to learn the excerpts in the given time and get all the excerpts (YSI & YSII/CO) at the tempos or very close to the tempos given on the music.

YSI Violin Excerpt #1 of 2: Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5 in E minor, Op. 64, 4th movement

- Time Signature: 2/2
- Key Signature: 1 sharp, E minor
- Expected Tempo for Audition: Half Note = 120-140
- Other Instructions: Play all the notes in the chords. Bowings marked are suggested. Bowings are at the discretion of the student but should keep the integrity of the phrases.



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YSI Violin Excerpt #2 of 2: Tchaikovsky's Symphony No. 5 in E minor, Op. 64, 3rd movement

- Time Signature: 3/4
- Key Signature: 3 sharps, F# minor
- Expected Tempo for Audition: Quarter Note = 132-144
- Other Instructions: Please follow given bowings. Sixteenth notes should be played spiccato.

