

String/Orchestra Audition Requirements

STUDENTS MUST AUDITION IN ORDER TO BE CONSIDERED FOR ADMISSION TO ARTS HIGH SCHOOL.

The String/Orchestra audition will take place live on WebEx.

1. You will attend your audition on WebEx, according to the time for which you signed up in SignUpGenius. You will receive the WebEx link in the confirmation email sent by SignUp Genius.
2. Be sure the camera shows your entire body, including your face and hands, as well as the instrument on which you are playing.
3. Your audition will include **2 PARTS** - The **SCALES** and a **PREPARED SELECTION/ SOLO**.

1. **SCALES** - Play the major scales in these keys - C, G, D, and F -at least one octave.

You can find the scales here:

Violin> <http://stringskills.com/wp-content/OneOctaveScales-pdfs/ScalesinSeries-vn.pdf>

Viola> <http://stringskills.com/wp-content/OneOctaveScales-pdfs/ScalesinSeries-va.pdf>

Cello> <http://stringskills.com/wp-content/OneOctaveScales-pdfs/ScalesinSeries-vc.pdf>

Bass> <http://stringskills.com/wp-content/OneOctaveScales-pdfs/ScalesinSeries-cb.pdf>

2. **PREPARED SOLO** - All students will perform a song, of their choosing, that best reflects their ability level.

4. Following the audition portion, there may be a short interview.
5. You may also be asked to sight-read a short excerpt you have never seen before.

