

NEW YORK YOUTH SYMPHONY

Orchestra Auditions 2022-2023

Dear Orchestra Applicant,

Thank you for applying to the 2022-2023 New York Youth Symphony! We are looking forward to hearing you play.

In this packet, you'll find your audition excerpts. Note, excerpts for principal positions, such as Concertmaster or Principal Cello, are optional. At your audition, please let us know if you would like to be considered for principal of your section.

Your audition will last approximately 6-7 minutes and will consist of the following parts:

1. One Excerpt of YOUR choice: You choose which excerpt you'd like to begin with, and you play that excerpt.
2. Either one or two excerpts of OUR choice: We will then choose either one, or if time permits two, excerpts from the following selections for you to play.
3. Solo Repertoire: Please prepare at least two minute of solo repertoire that shows a variety of styles. This could be one excerpt that showcases several different styles of playing at once, or several smaller excerpts (from one or more pieces) that showcase different styles.
4. If you are applying for a principal position that has dedicated excerpts (such as Concertmaster), you'll play each of those excerpts as well.

In your preparation, please place special emphasis on stylistic techniques, and especially to the dynamic and technical markings in the scores. I have left approximate tempos for you where the composers did not. Where available, I recommend that you listen to many recordings, and be in touch if you have questions.

Thank you and good luck!

Michael Repper, Music Director & Tanya Chanphanitpornkit, Assistant Conductor

FRENCH HORN EXCERPTS

- MAHLER: *Symphony no. 1, Mvt. 1*, Reh. 26 → End
- COLERIDGE-TAYLOR: *Petit Suite de Concert*, Mvt. 2, mm. 1 → mm. 30
 - Play the Horn 1 line
 - Pay particular attention to the dynamics, articulation, rhythm, try to get all the details
- MAHLER: *Symphony no. 1, Mvt. 3*, Opening → 3rd bar of Reh. 4
AND MAHLER: Symphony no. 1, Mvt. 3, Reh. 13 → Reh. 15

Mahler — Symphony No. 1 in D Major

1. Horn in F

HALF = 84-88

26 *a tempo*

sempre ff

Piu 27 *Etwas bewegter*
mosso

6

(1. Viol.) 28 *gesangvoll hervortretend*
p ausdrucksvoll

Allmählich etwas lebhafter

29 7 *f*

30 8 *p — fp*

31 1 *fp*

32 1 *ff*

33 1 *ff*

accel. ff accel.

G. P. G. P. *ff gestopft* *ff (Pauken)*

G. P. *ff*

1st & 2nd Horns in F

Nº 2. DEMANDE ET RÉPONSE

Andante

2 $\frac{3}{4}$ 15

pp *cresc.*

23

ff *mp*

to Coda ♩
poco rall. 2

QUARTER = 60

Mahler — Symphony No. 1 in D Major

6

1. Horn in F

QUARTER = 60

3. Satz

Feierlich und gemessen, ohne zu schleppen

Musical score for Horn in F, measures 1-10. The score is in 4/4 time. Measures 1-3 are marked with first, second, and third endings. Measure 3 includes the instruction (i.Ob.). Measure 4 is marked with a fermata and *pp*. Measure 7 is marked with a fermata and *Zurückhaltend*. Measure 10 ends with a fermata and a **3**.

13 Wieder etwas bewegter

pp 2 deutlich

(Celli u. Bässe pizz.)

sempre pp

Musical score for Horn in F, measures 13-15. Measure 13 is marked with *pp* and *deutlich*. Measure 14 is marked with *sempre pp*. Measure 15 is marked with a first ending and a **1**.