



WESTERN INTERNATIONAL BAND CLINIC

AUDITION PACKET - SET B

GETTING STARTED:

1. Band directors can rehearse all three of the SET B audition pieces with full band - see the scores on the next couple of pages.
2. Students need to record all three pieces from SET B:
 - Chromatic Scale
 - WIBC Minor Etude
 - Danny Boy
3. Use any recording equipment software or app to record the auditions:
 - Mac - Quicktime, GarageBand or Audacity
 - PC - Quicktime, Sound Recorder or Audacity
 - Smartphone/Tablet - Search the app store for "free MP3 recorder"
4. Export the auditions in MP3 or M4a formats.
5. Create an account at the www.bandworld.org/wibc website or login
6. Upload all three files from SET B audition music.

NOTE TO PERCUSSIONISTS: You must record TWO of the three percussion auditions (snare, mallets and/or timpani). Mallet players do not have to record "Danny Boy" in addition to the normal mallet audition music found at the back of this packet.

ALL INSTRUMENTS: It is okay to use All-Northwest or your All-State Music instead of WIBC audition music.

NOTE TO DIRECTORS: Audition Packet - Set B was created with the full band in mind during rehearsals. You can handout the individual parts and play them all together during class time. To allow for optimal instrument ranges, the various audition pieces are in two keys at the same time. The harmonies are perfect fourths or perfect fifths to also foster additional tuning possibilities during full band rehearsal. Our hope is that you will utilize these audition pieces during warm-up time throughout the school year. Your band students will become familiar with the scale, minor etude and "Danny Boy" which will prepare them to audition for WIBC. We hope you find these new sets of WIBC audition materials useful. Please feel free to share the PDFs or our website with other band directors. You also have permission to use these materials for your own auditions.

All auditions must be uploaded to www.bandworld.org/wibc

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WESTERN INTERNATIONAL BAND CLINIC AUDITION

(SET B)

Bass Clarinet

Chromatic Scale

♩ = 96

Musical notation for the Chromatic Scale, consisting of two staves. The first staff starts with a treble clef, a 4/4 time signature, and a tempo marking of ♩ = 96. The melody is a chromatic scale ascending from C4 to G5. The second staff starts with a measure rest and continues the chromatic scale descending from G5 to C4.

WIBC Minor Etude

J. Gilliam

♩ = 104

Musical notation for the WIBC Minor Etude, consisting of three staves. The first staff starts with a treble clef, a 4/4 time signature, and a tempo marking of ♩ = 104. The key signature has one sharp (F#). The piece begins with a forte (*f*) dynamic and includes various articulations like accents and slurs. It concludes with a piano (*p*) dynamic.

Danny Boy

Old Irish Air

Slowly and Freely

Musical notation for Danny Boy, consisting of four staves. The first staff starts with a treble clef, a 4/4 time signature, and a key signature of two sharps (D major). The tempo is marked *Slowly and Freely*. The piece includes dynamic markings such as *a tempo*, *rit.*, and *Slower*.