

## **Symphonic Winds Audition 2025-26**

## **TRUMPET**

You must be prepared to play <u>all</u> of the specified requirements when auditioning. Please understand that the audition committee may choose to omit some items during the actual audition.

The audition committee will select from the following:

- 1. Scales will be chosen by audition committee from the following CONCERT MAJOR scales: C(D), F(G), and Bb(C). Scales and arpeggios are to be performed from memory and are to be performed a minimum of 1 octave. Students who wish to play 2<sup>nd</sup> octave may do so. Scales must be performed in complete octaves at a minimum tempo of MM quarter note = 120. The scale pattern is I III J. The arpeggio pattern is III J. The scales are to be tongued ascending and slurred descending.
- 2. Provided excerpts. Please take the time to study these excerpts carefully. Style, character, and musicianship will be as important as intonation, tempo, and technique.
- 3. A short sight reading exercise(s) to demonstrate the student's reading ability.

