

SECTION PRINCIPAL BASS EXCERPTS

Tuesday 24 February 2026

Set works:

First movement of a classical concerto (with cadenza)

And

First movement of a romantic concerto (with cadenza)

Excerpts

1	W A Mozart	Symphony No. 35
2	Beethoven	Symphony No. 5
3	Beethoven	Symphony No. 9
4	Mahler	Symphony No. 2
5	J S Bach	Violin Concerto in E major
6	R Strauss	Ein Heldenleben
7	Shostakovich	Symphony No. 5
8	Wagner	Die Walküre
9	Prokofiev	Romeo & Juliet (Ballet)
10	Stravinsky	Pulcinella
11	Haydn	Symphony No. 31
12	Prokofiev	Lieutenant Kijé: Suite

N. B. Some excerpts may have had multiple bars rest removed for the sake of expediency.

In the case of any divisi sections, play the top part.

Orchestral tuning must be used for the entire audition



1. W A Mozart

Symphony No. 35 in D major, K. 385 (Haffner)

First movement

a)

Allegro con spirito





1. W A Mozart

Symphony No. 35 in D major, K. 385 (Haffner) (cont.)

b)



Fourth movement

c)





2. Beethoven

Symphony No. 5 in C minor, Op. 67

3rd movement

a)





2. Beethoven

Symphony No. 5 in C minor, Op. 67 (cont.)

3rd movement

b)





3. Beethoven

Symphony No. 9 in D minor, Op. 125 (Choral)

4th movement





4. Mahler

Symphony No. 2 in C minor

1st movement





5. J S Bach

Violin Concerto in E major, BWV 1042

2nd movement





6. Strauss

Ein Heldenleben, Op. 40





7. Shostakovich

Symphony No. 5 in D minor, Op. 47

1st movement

a)

Moderato



b)





8. Wagner

Die Walküre

Act 1, Scene 1





9. Prokofiev

Romeo and Juliet (Ballet), Op. 64

No. 47





10. Stravinsky

Pulcinella: Suite

No. 7 (no repeat)



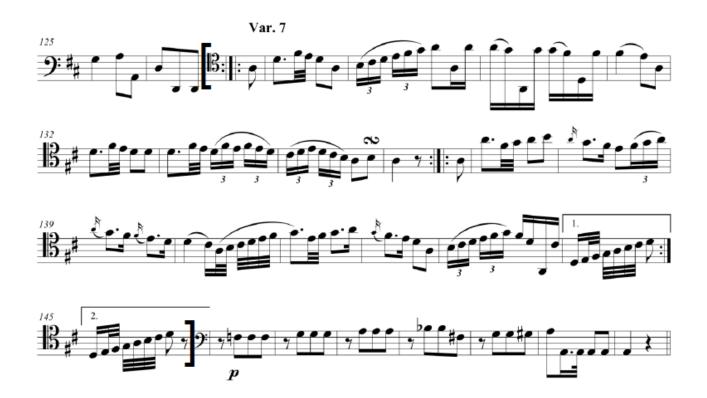


11. Haydn

Symphony No. 31 in D major (Horn Signal)

4th movement

Moderato molto (please play repeats)





12. Prokofiev

Lieutenant Kijé: Suite, Op. 60

II. Romance - solos

