

VOCAL PERFORMANCE AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Please clearly title each video file before uploading it into your application.

□ VIDEO #1 - ASSIGNED SONG

Perform one (1) of the following songs. Applicants must accompany themselves with an instrument, utilize an instrumentalist, or sing to a backing track.

(In the first half of the song, focus on singing the original melody. In the second half of the song, feel free to display more creativity and musicality.)

***We DO NOT accept acapella performances**

- Bridge Over Troubled Water – Simon & Garfunkel
- Fly Me To The Moon – American Jazz Standard

□ VIDEO #2 - SONG OF YOUR CHOICE

Perform any song of your choice (2 – 5 minutes). Applicants must accompany themselves with an instrument, utilize an instrumentalist, or sing to a backing track.

(In the first half of the song, focus on singing the original melody. In the second half of the song, feel free to display more creativity and musicality.)

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□ VIDEO #3 - SCALES & ARPEGGIOS

Sing each of the following requirements in your preferred key.

- One ascending and descending **major** scale to the octave
- One ascending and descending **minor** scale to the octave
- One ascending and descending arpeggio to the octave (major or minor)

PLEASE NOTE:

- It is imperative you can be seen and heard at the best possible quality.
- Your videos must not be recorded/produced in a studio setting, edited, or be given any effects. **Studio recorded or overly produced videos will not be evaluated and will need to be re-submitted.**
- Applicants may not utilize any pitch correction (auto-tune) of any kind, and should utilize minimal production (reverb/effects).
- Sheet music resources – <http://www.sheetmusicplus.com>

LIVE AUDITION

Live audition requirements are the same as seen above, except your songs will be performed live and in person. Applicant's must come prepared with the following:

- Bring your musical instrument(s) that you will be performing with *if applicable. (Only keyboards will be provided by the school)
- If you are performing your song over an audio track, please come prepared with the track downloaded and ready to play on your device.