

TCSYO 2024-25 Audition Requirements

Symphonic Orchestra - Bass Trombone

Requirements for participation in TCSYO:

- Students must take private lessons on their instrument.
- Students must participate in their school's orchestra or band program. Students are exempt from this requirement if they are homeschooled; said program is not offered at the school; or if the student is not qualified for the orchestra or band program (i.e., student is too young to participate).

Expected skills for Symphonic Orchestra:

- Mature tone with solid intonation, clear articulation, musical maturity
- Well-developed embouchure and breath support
- Proficiency in double and triple tonguing

Scales: Chromatic scale, performed in quarter notes, $J = 120$

- C below staff to F above staff

Excerpts: Prepare all excerpts

Berlioz - *Hungarian March* from *Damnation of Faust*

Beethoven - *Symphony No. 9*, fourth movement

Audition Format: In-person

- Audition dates: **June 7 (5:00-8:30pm) and June 8 (9:00am-8:00pm)**. Your audition time will be assigned after submitting the registration form.
- Location: **Grace Presbyterian, 7434 Bath Street, Springfield, VA 22150**
- Dress: Clean and comfortable, business casual.
- Students: Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled audition time so you have time to check-in, warm-up, etc. Be sure to bring all of your materials and equipment needed for your audition.
- TCSYO will record in-person auditions for reference purposes. These recordings will be for internal use only and will not be distributed nor made available to any person/organization outside of TCSYO.

Symphonic Orchestra - Bass Trombone Excerpts

Berlioz - *Hungarian March* from *Damnation of Faust*

Tempo: ♩ = 56

Allegro marcato

(♩ = 56)

Beethoven - *Symphony No. 9*, fourth movement

Tempo: ♩ = 72

Andante maestoso *d = 72*