TCSYO 2024-25 Audition Requirements
Symphonic Orchestra - Flute & Piccolo

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
- Continuous and musically appropriate vibrato
- Proficient double and triple tonguing

Scales: Chromatic scale, performed in quarter notes, ♩ = 120

- Flute: C below staff to altissimo C
- Piccolo (optional): D below staff to altissimo C

Excerpts: Prepare all excerpts. Skip any rest section longer than two measures.

- Flute: Beethoven - *Leonore Overture No. 3*
- Flute: Brahms - *Symphony No. 4*, fourth movement
- Piccolo (optional): Rossini - *Overture to Semiramide*

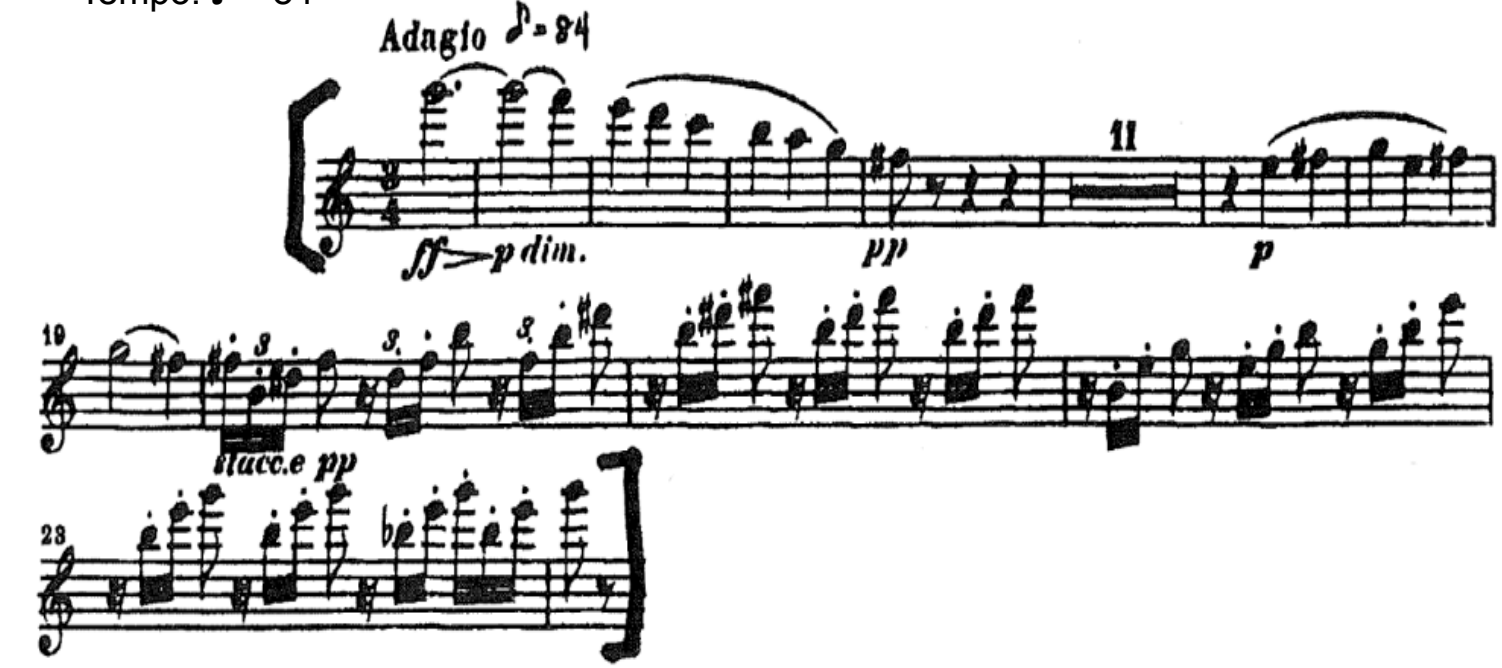
Audition Format: In-person

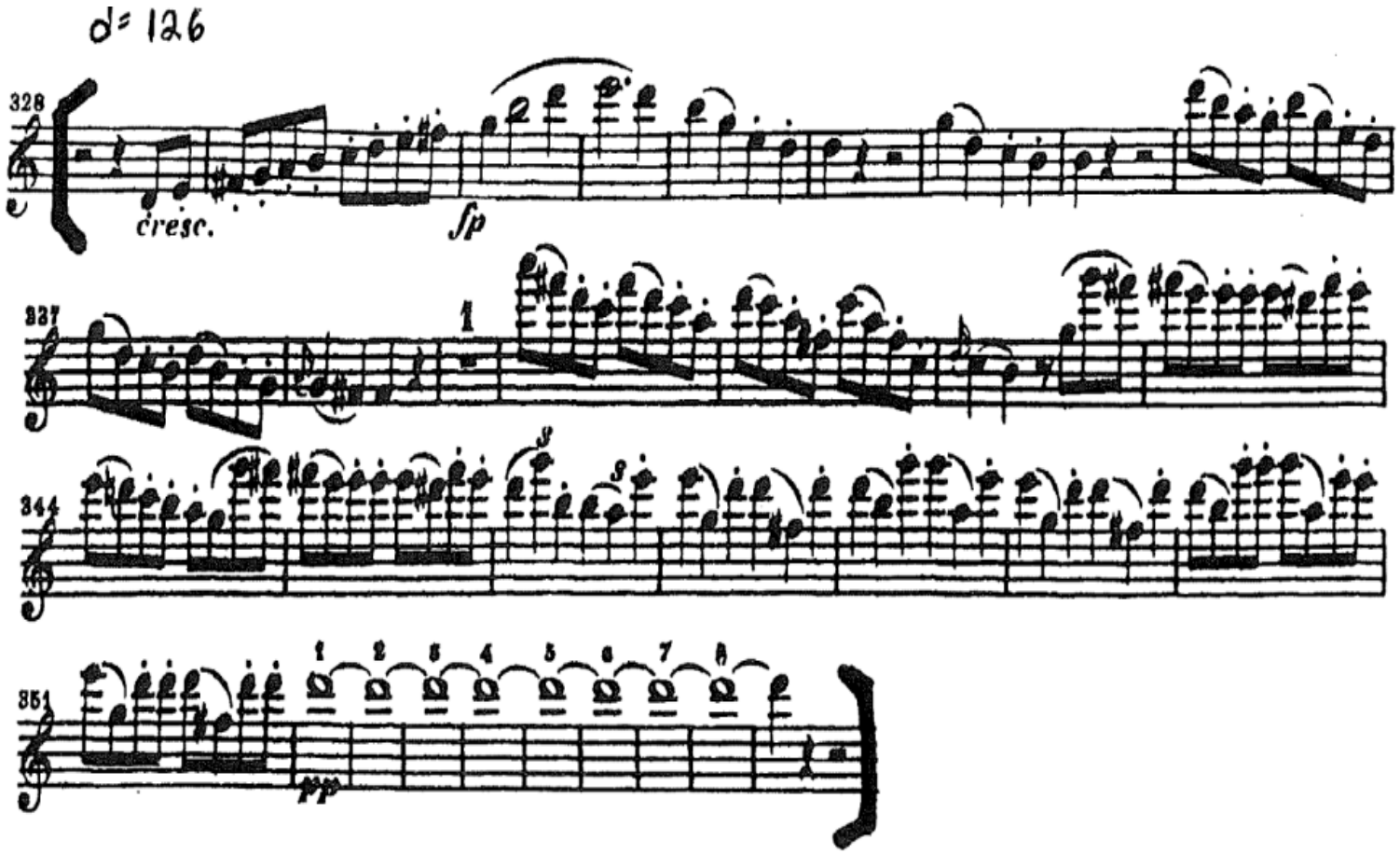
- Audition dates: **June 7 (5:00-8:30pm) and June 8 (9:00am-8:00pm).** Your audition time will be assigned after submitting the registration form.
- Location: **Grace Presbyterian, 7434 Bath Street, Springfield, VA 22150**
- Dress: Clean and comfortable, business casual.
- Students: Please arrive 15 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 - Flute Excerpts

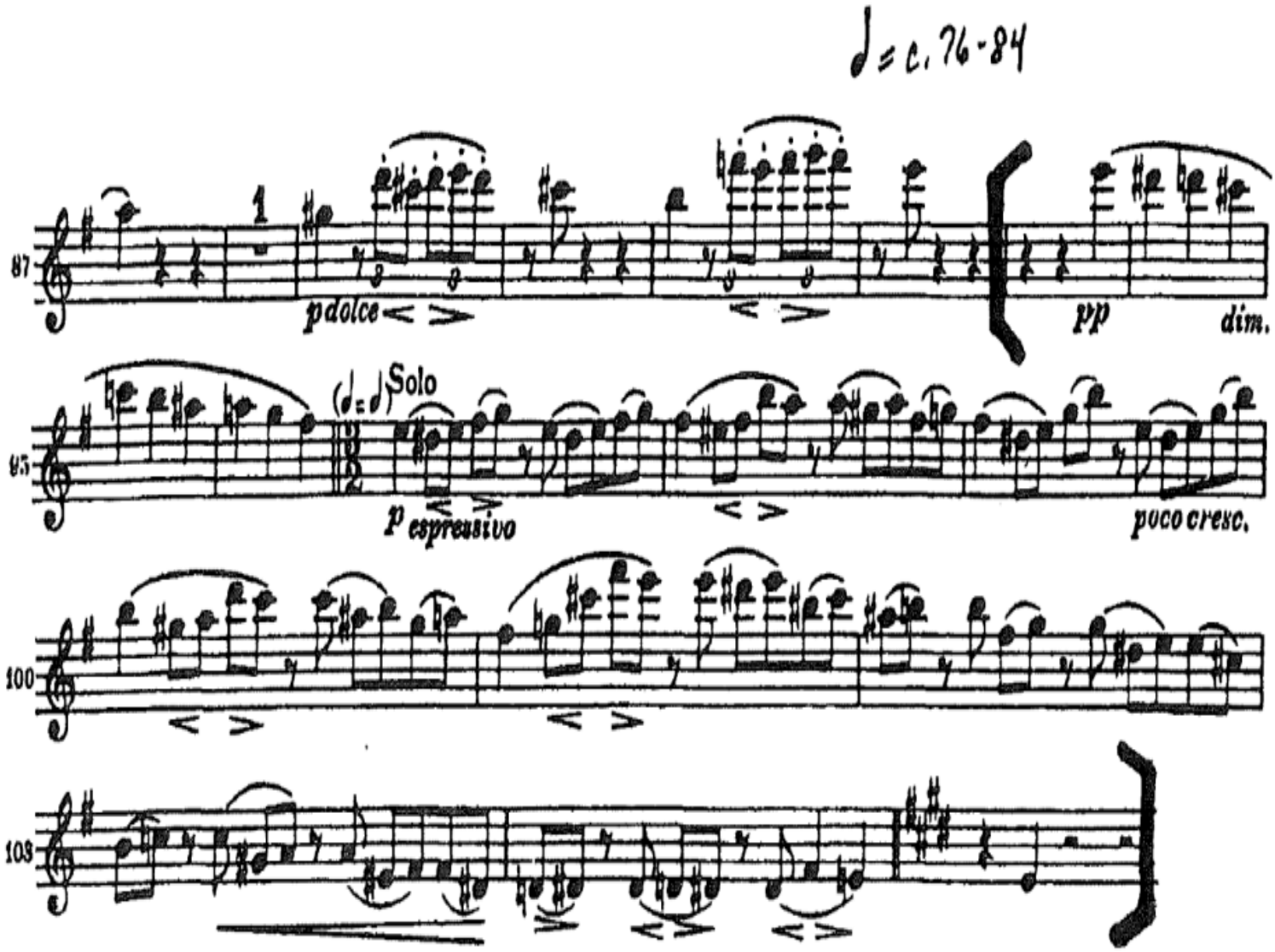
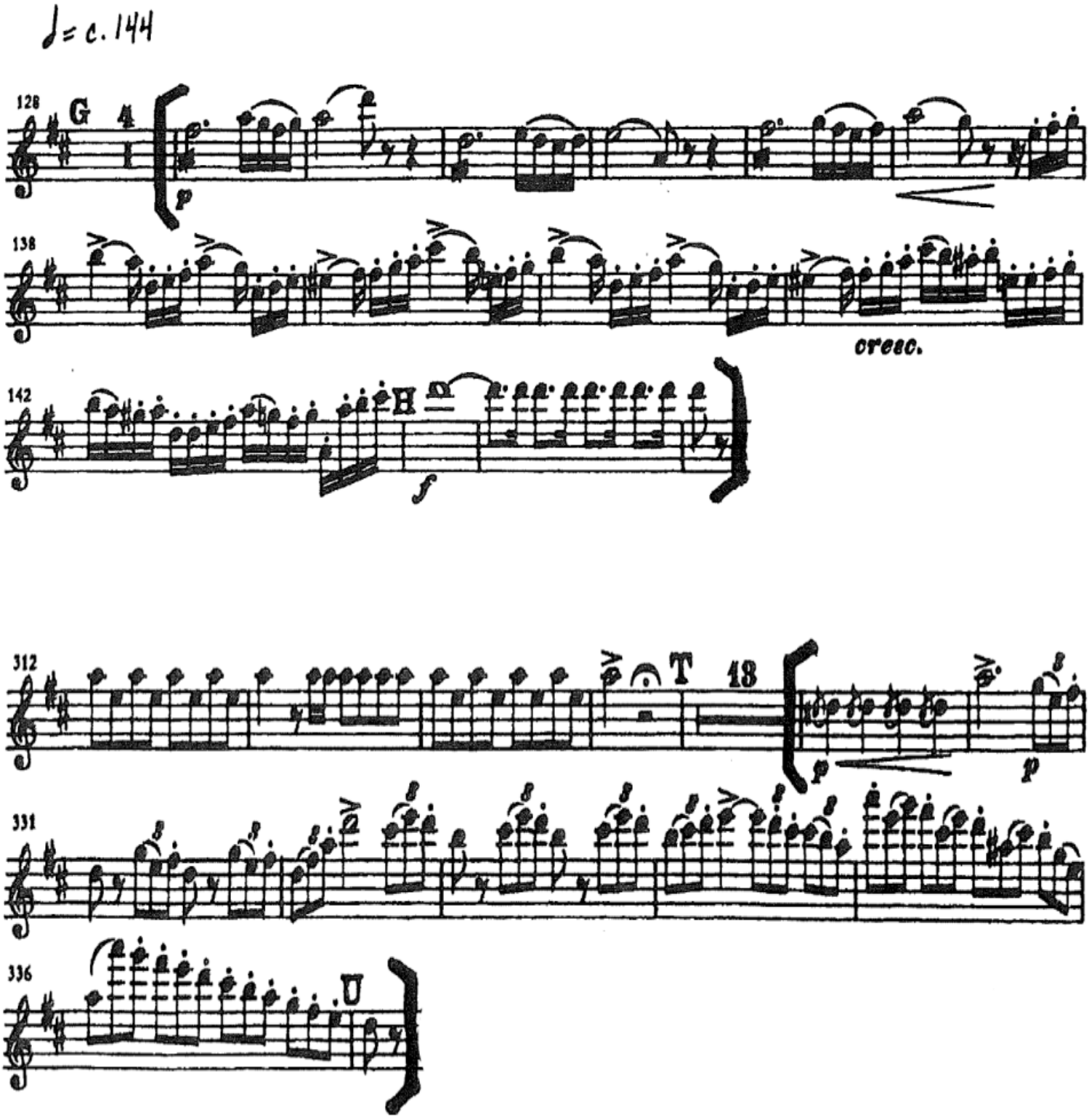
Beethoven - *Leonore Overture No. 3*

Tempo: ♪ = 84





Brahms - *Symphony No. 4*, fourth movement
Tempo: ♩ = 76-84



Symphonic Orchestra - Piccolo Excerpt (optional)
Rossini - *Overture to Semiramide*
Tempo: ♩ = 144