



2026-2027 AUDITION REQUIREMENTS

Youth Symphony

PERCUSSION

Xylophone, marimba, or vibraphone, and timpani (without gauges) will be provided. Student must be able to tune the timpani for the excerpt; tuning forks, pitch pipes, and electronic tuners will be permitted.

Student must supply sticks and mallets.

Be prepared to play the following:

- ✓ **Excerpts:** You will be asked to play the following excerpts in your audition. Listen to recordings or watch videos on YouTube or Spotify to confirm style, tempos/tempo changes, etc.

MALLET KEYBOARD

BRUCE • ATSSB Mallet Keyboard Etude – Year A by Adam Bruce

- **Play provided excerpt** **as marked**

TIMPANI

**BRUCE • ATSSB Timpani Etude – Year A by Adam Bruce
(Three Drum), In A-flat, C, and E-flat**

- **Play provided excerpt** **as marked**

Mallet Keyboard

ATSSB Mallet Keyboard Etude - Year A by Adam Bruce ♩ ≤ 86

5 *f* 6 *p*

8 *pp* *f* *pp*

11 *f* *mf* *p*

16 *ff* poco rit.

Timpani

ATSSB Timpani Etude - Year A by Adam Bruce ♩. ≤ 86

to be played on 3 drums only

Ab, C, Eb

7 *f* *p* *mf* *f*

10 *ff* *pp*

13 *ff* *mp*

19 *f* *p* *mf*