

2026 HONORS MUSIC FESTIVAL

FLUTE/PICCOLO AUDITION

The image shows five staves of musical notation for flute or piccolo. The first staff is in 3/4 time, A=88, dynamic mf. The subsequent staves are in 2/4 time. The notation includes various note heads, stems, and slurs, typical of a technical audition piece.

Scales

A. Chromatic scale: 2 octaves from Eb. Eighth-notes at minimum tempo of $\text{A}=144$.

Tongued ascending, slurred descending.

B. Seven major scales, complete with arpeggios, at minimum tempo of $\text{A}=120$.

Scales are to be performed two complete octaves where possible. Two-octave scales are to be done both octaves ascending, then both octaves descending. The scale pattern is $\text{A} \text{ A} \text{ B} \text{ C} \text{ D} \text{ E} \text{ F}$.

Tongued ascending, slurred descending.

Scales are to be performed in the following order: concert G, C, F, Bb, Eb, Ab, Db.

$\text{♩} = 88$

f

ff

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