

Richmond Delta Youth Orchestra – Junior Strings – Viola Audition Requirements and excerpt 2019–2020 (Updated: April 2019)

2 pages

1. One major and one minor scale of your choice.

Two octaves according to the RCM level 3.

2. Two contrasting solo compositions

No more than total 5 minutes in length, no accompaniment, memorizing not required. Choose pieces that best show your technical and musical abilities.

According RCM level 3 or above.

3. Sight-reading

Appropriate to your level will be required.

4. The following are **some of the categories you will be judged on** as appropriate:

Note accuracy, Rhythm, Intonation, Tone, Articulations/bowing, phrasing, musicianship/style

Required Excerpt – 2 pages (see below)

1812 Overture, P. Tchaikovsky

Measure 38-48 50-65

36 *mp* 38 L2 39 4

40 41 42 *pizz. div.* *p* 43

44 45 46 *arco* *pp* 49

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Allegro vivace (♩ = 144)

51 52 53 54

55 56 58 59

60 61 62 64

65 66 67 68 70 71 72 73 74

p *f* *ff*

V 4 V 4 V 4