The White Station High School Honors Orchestras

Dr. Andrew Palmer, Director

All-West Auditions Saturday, November 16, 2019

Student's name: _____

Your Assigned Audition Time: _____ Your Planned Arrival Time: _____

Location: Briarcrest School, 76 S. Houston Levee Road, Eads, TN 38028, which is just south of the end of Walnut Grove Road. DO NOT GO to the Ridgway Loop address. It is a large campus, so please give yourself ample time to find the correct entrance and locate the registration and warm-up areas.

The school will be open by 7:15 a.m. Go to the sign-in table BEFORE your audition time. Warm up is in the cafeteria. Sign in when you are <u>ready</u> to audition, because they may send you to the room at that time. Again, sign-in BEFORE your audition time. Late arrivals will not be allowed to audition. You may audition earlier than your assigned time, but only within the active timeframe of your audition category (i.e. 9/10 basses don't start at 8:00 a.m., so you can't audition at 8:05).

The auditions are screened (the judge cannot see you), so dress comfortably. A teacher will be in the room to act as the monitor. They will give you directions on when and what to play. They do not judge you. You DO NOT talk in the room. You may use your own music. Music will also be available in the audition room. Scales must be memorized.

All high school students: All major scales, minimum of two octaves, minimum tempo is quarter note =120. Violins also play G melodic minor; violas and cellos also play C melodic minor; basses also play E melodic minor.

After your audition, you are free to leave. Official results will be posted at WTSBOA.website as soon as they are confirmed, usually by Monday. I will try to post our <u>unofficial</u> results on our website as soon as possible, and notify you through Remind. You DO NOT need to ask me for the results. Thank you.

If you are accepted, there is a \$30.00 clinic fee (cash or checks to White Station High School) and a student agreement form that you return to me.

Parent Confirmation Signature:

Date

Please return this confirmation to Dr. Palmer by Thursday, November 14, 2019.

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