

## 2025/2026 Bergen County Band Audition Requirements- WINDS

### I. Diatonic and Chromatic Scales

All scales will be memorized. Chromatic scales will be played slurred in even sixteenth notes encompassing even octaves. Diatonic Scales will be articulated as follows:

♩ = 120 minimum tempo



3 major scales and 1 chromatic scale for each instrumental audition as indicated:

<u>Instrument</u>	<u>1 Octave Scales</u>	<u>2 Octave Scales</u>	<u>3 Octave Scales</u>
Piccolo	C	D, Gb, Bb Chromatic	
Flute		C, D, Gb, Bb Chromatic	
Oboe	F, Eb	Db, C Chromatic	
Bassoon	Bb, Db	G, F Chromatic	
Bb Clarinet		G, Eb	E, E Chromatic
Bb Bass, Bb Contrabass Clarinet		G, Eb, E, E Chromatic	
Eb Contra-Bass Clarinet		G, Eb, E, E Chromatic	
Alto, Baritone Saxophone	G	Eb, E, F Chromatic	
Tenor Saxophone	G	Eb, E, F Chromatic	
Trumpet	D, Eb	A, Bb Chromatic	
French Horn	F, A, Eb	G Chromatic	
Trombone, Euphonium	Bb, Db	G, F Chromatic	
Baritone -Treble Clef	C, Eb	A, G Chromatic	
Tuba, String Bass	Bb, Db, G, Bb Chromatic		

There will be no auditions for English Horn, Eb Soprano Clarinet and Alto Clarinet

### II. Solo: "The Hounds of Spring"- Alfred Reed - (Hal Leonard-Publisher)

(original version, NOT the Longfield arrangement)

"First" Parts for wind instruments. Trumpets should prepare the "Trumpet 1" part.

THERE IS NO SIGHT READING REQUIREMENT