

2021 Lafayette Band Auditions

Trumpet – Baritone TC

Audition dates: **Woodwind** **Thursday, April 22**
 Percussion **Friday, April 23**
 Brass: **Saturday, April 24**

Please call if you have a conflict, 859-381-3474 ext. 1337 or 270-853-2577

All students must audition. Auditions are for placement in one of three concert bands and for part selection in the marching band

Upon arrival: register and warm-up in the band room. Try to audition as close to 4:00 as possible, depending on the time your school ends. Carefully prepare the etudes and scales. There will be some easy sight-reading. Thank you and good luck.

The top octave is preferred. However, choose the octave that will best demonstrate your playing ability.

The musical score consists of several parts:

- Two lines of scales in treble clef, starting with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major/A minor).
- A tempo marking: ♩ = 72 or FASTER.
- A section marked "118" in 2/4 time, featuring a complex rhythmic pattern.
- A section with first, second, and third endings labeled I, J, and K.
- An "Etude" section in 3/4 time, marked "Andante con moto" and "mp". It features five staves of music with numerous triplets and slurs.
- The etude concludes with a "rit." (ritardando) marking.