

Region 5 High School Full Orchestra Auditions
October 22, 2016
James Martin High School
4501 Pleasant Ridge Rd
Arlington, TX 76016

Students:

You will need to arrive at Martin High School by 8:30 am. Enter the building from the front entrance on the Pleasant Ridge side. You will go to the cafeteria for warm-up and case storage. Music stands will not be provided so you may want to bring your own. Sign in at your respective audition room by 8:45. When you sign in you will receive your audition letter/number. That is the order in which you must audition. Do not share this information with your director or any other director. Be sure you are at the audition room before your time to perform so that you are not missed.

Check outside the audition room for the cuts and performance order for your instrument. Be sure to mark your music with these cuts. You must audition in the order listed. Auditions will begin 30 minutes after these cuts are posted. Once you enter the room to audition **DO NOT TALK under any circumstances**, even to the monitor. This can lead to disqualification. After the room monitor announces your number and leaves the room, begin playing. Do not wait for the judges to tell you to begin (they will not talk to you). After you have played all three selections you will collect your music and leave the room. If you have a question, please go out of the room and talk to the monitor. You may use a silent metronome (not a phone app) between selections (not during) but cannot have any other electronic devices with you at the audition.

VIOLINS: You will be performing in THREE separate rooms. Once you have signed in, find the cuts for each of the rooms that you are performing in. You will play in **ROOM 1** first, then proceed to **ROOM 2**, then finish at **ROOM 3**. All violin rooms should have someone playing in them at all times, and all violinists need to make sure they play in each room. The monitors will help you find the rooms in the correct order. Once you have played in all three rooms, you are finished for the day.

Audition results will be posted approximately 30-45 minutes after the last performer is finished.

Students auditioning for All-State the following week need to collect the instructions while you are at this week's audition.

Please be respectful of the facility at Martin HS. All food and drink is to remain in the warm up area only.

Thank you and good luck.

Louanne Greer
Region 5 Orchestra Chair