

## **Frost Middle School Orchestra**

# **VIOLA**

### 2023-2024 Audition Information

All students wishing to be placed in Intermezzo, Symphonic or Chamber Orchestra must audition. (No audition necessary for Concert Orchestra) Please prepare scales as listed below, and the appropriate excerpts. For placement in Symphonic Orchestra, prepare requirements for both Intermezzo and Symphonic. For placement in Chamber Orchestra, prepare all scales and excerpts.

### **Scales:**

Intermezzo: 2 octave C

Symphonic: 1 octave B flat, and 2 octave G, D

Chamber: 2 or 3 octave A major, B flat major, C melodic minor

### **Intermezzo Excerpt:**

The image shows a musical score for Viola, consisting of three staves of music. The first staff begins at measure 21 and ends at measure 28. The second staff begins at measure 29 and ends at measure 36. The third staff begins at measure 37 and ends at measure 36. The music is written in a single system with a key signature of one flat (B-flat major) and a common time signature. The notation includes various rhythmic values, slurs, and dynamic markings. Measure numbers 21, 29, and 37 are indicated in boxes at the beginning of their respective staves. The score concludes with a double bar line and repeat signs.



## Chamber Excerpts: (Play both)

Try to use vibrato for expression.

Do fingering as marked. (Roman numerals indicate 1st or 3rd position.)

*Andante espressivo*  $\blacktriangleleft$  *Expressively* Irish Folk Song

*mf* III I III I

Practice with metronome between 86-126 bpm

**Allegro aperto.** *Tutti.* *C dur. Ut majeur.*  
arrang. von Vinzenz Luchner.

*f* *p* *f* *p* *fp* *fp* *fp* *f* *p* *f*