

BC Honour String Orchestra – Cello Placement Audition

Part A – Scales

1. Play a 3-octave G major scale in eighth notes. Quarter note = 108bpm
2. Play a 3-octave A melodic minor scale in eighth notes. Quarter note = 108bpm

Part B – Play both excerpts below:

Gliere's "Russian Sailor's Dance" from *The Red Poppy*

Quarter note = 112 – 120bpm

IX Presto

f

125

130

X

135

marc.

140

Copland's "Hoe Down" from *Rodeo*

Quarter note = 124 – 130

p

9

fff

f

sf

f

cresc.

fff

3

dim. molto

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'Cello

3

11

f

12

1

pizz.

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