Bachelor of Music (BMus) or Bachelor of Music conjoints Classical Performance major

Audition repertoire examples

The list below contains repertoire that has been used to successfully audition for the Classical Performance major. This is not a complete list of appropriate performance literature and is only intended to give applicants an idea of the standard expected.

Please note if you require audition repertoire information for instruments not listed here, please email us: info-creative@auckland.ac.nz

Piano		Sondheim	Green Finch and Linnet Bird
Bach	Various Movements from the Partitas,	Mozart	Deh Vieni alla finestra
	English or French Suites	Mozart	Vedrai carino
Beethoven	Piano Sonata in C minor No. 5, Op.10 No.1, first movement	Mozart	Batti, batti
Beethoven	Piano Sonata No. 27 in E minor Op. 90	Mozart	Non so piu
	movement one	Mozart	Papageno's arias
Mozart	Piano Sonata in A major, K.331	Purcell	Dido's lament
Rachmaninov	Prelude Op. 32 No.10	Vaughn Williams	Vagabond, Silent Noon
Chopin	Nocturne in B-flat minor, Op. 9 No. 1	Michael Head	Various songs
Chopin	Scherzo No. 2 in B-flat minor, Op. 31	Lerner and Lowe	I Could Have Danced All Night
Ginestera	Danzas argentinas	Schönberg and Boublil	Empty Chairs at Empty Tables
Voice		Violin	
26 Early Italian Arias	Various arias and songs from this book	VIOIIN Bach	Various movements from the solo suites
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Copland	At the River	Brahms	Sonata No. 3 in G Minor
Copland	Boatman's Dance	Mozart	Various movements offered from a range Sonatas
Copland	Simple Gifts		
Chausson	Le Colibri	Mozart	Violin Concerto No. 3 in G major, K.216
Schubert	Ständchen	Mozart	Violin Concerto No. 5 in A major, K.219
Schubert	Lachen und Weinen	Sarasate	Carmen Fantasie, Op. 25
Brahms	Vergebliches Ständchen	Bruch	Concerto first movement
Brahms	Wiegenlied	Tchaikovsky	Concerto first momement
Hahn	Si mes vers avaient des ailes	Stravinsky	Suite Italienne, first and second movement
Faure	Rève d'amour		
Faure	Notre amour		
Handel	Bel piacere		



Viola

Bach	Various movements from the solo suites
Rebecca Clarke	Morpheus
Telemann	Viola Concerto in G major, TWV 51:G9
Brahms	Scherzo, Op. 4
Glazunov	Elegia, Op. 44
Vaughan Williams	Christmas Dance Suite

Cello

Bach	Various movements from the solo suites
Popper	Various Etudes
Fauré	Elegia, Op. 44
Prokofiev	Cello Sonata in C Major, Op. 119

Double Bass

Umberto Mengoli	Canzonetta
Telemann	Sonata in A minor
Vivaldi	Sonata in B-flat major
Fauré	Après un rève
Bottesini	Studies
Piazzolla	Kicho

Flute

Bach Partita in A minor, Corrente (Courante), BWV. 1013 Handel Flute Sonata in G Major Hindemith Sonata for Flute and Piano, first movement Bozza Image Poulenc Sonata for Flute

Oboe

Marcello	Oboe Concerto in D minor
Schumann	Romances, Op. 94
Hindemith	Sonata for Oboe and Piano
Handel	Concerto Grosso
Kreisler	Sonatina
Widor	Pavane

Clarinet

Ravel	Pavane pour une infante défunte
Reger	Romance in G major

Stravinsky
Messager
Beethoven
Bartok

Three pieces for solo clarinet Solo de Concours Scherzo Romanian Dances

Bassoon

J.C. Bach Bozza Hindemith Vivaldi Weber

Concerto Recitative, Sicilienne et Rondo Sonata Concerto in E minor Concerto

Trumpet

Trumpet

Haydn

Copland Larsson

Küffner

Trumpet Concerto
Quiet City
Concertino for Trumpe
Polonaise for Trumpet

Euphonium

Percy Code	Zelda Caprice
Capuzzi	Andante and Rondo
Jacob	Fantasia

Tuba

Capuzzi	Andante and Rondo
Blazevich	Studies

Snare Drum

Demonstrate advanced skills by performing rolls, rudiments and other technical aspects of snare drumming in etudes from advanced sources (eg, Delécluse, Peters, Goldenburg, Wilcoxin, or Pratt).

Keyboard Percussion

Demonstrate advanced technical and musical skills by performing one or more solo works (eg, Stout: Mexican Dances; Abe: Frogs; Bach: Sonatas and Partitas for Solo Violin; Creston: Concertino for Marimba; Musser: any advanced etude).

Applicants may be asked to demonstrate technical skills by performing scales, arpeggios, and / or other technical exercises.

Timpani

Demonstrate skills in performance of long-short rolls, single strokes, and technical patterns; perform at least one etude or solo for three or four timpani, showing musicianship and aptitude; demonstrate knowledge of intervals, pitch recognition and tuning ability.

