

Section One: Recital (60 marks)

Select three pieces from the following list (20 marks each)

As an alternative to the pieces below, candidates may perform up to 3 free choice pieces. For guidance on selecting and approving free choice pieces please [click here](#). Pieces and Exercises may be performed on one or separate instruments.

Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher/ Buy Here
Timpani			
Will Sivier	Dello's Way	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Storm's A Comin'	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	This One's For Jack	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Arnold Remembered	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Gert Bomhof	Eightnology	Solo Pieces for Timpani	De Haske
Gert Bomhof	Changing Meter #3	Solo Pieces for Timpani	De Haske
Gert Bomhof	Performing Timpani	Solo Pieces for Timpani	De Haske
Nick Woud	Study #22	Symphonic Studies for Timpani	De Haske
Nick Woud	Study #25	Symphonic Studies for Timpani	De Haske
Daniel Jones	Movement #1	Daniel Jones Sonata for Timpani	Peters Edition
Tuned Percussion			
Monti	Czardas For Marimba and Glock	Tomplay	tomplay.com
George Hamilton Green	Log Cabin Blues	Any Reliable Edition	Meredith Music
Inns, Lawrence	Robin Harry	Any Reliable Edition	Boosey & Hawkes
Mayazumi	Concertino for Xylophone; 1 st movt.	Any Reliable Edition	Peters Edition
Mayazumi	Concertino for Xylophone; 3 rd movt.	Any Reliable Edition	Peters Edition
Mitchell Peters	Yellow after the Rain	Any Reliable Edition	Southern Percussion
Thomas Baron Pitfield	Sonata for Xylophone (Introduction and Toccata)	Any Reliable Edition	Peters Edition
Ney Rosauo	Suite Popular; 1 st movt: Baiao	Any Reliable Edition	Southern Percussion

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Snare Drum			
Will Sivier	Bedstone	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Victoria	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	The Cathedral	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Remembering Arnold	MTB Percussion Grade 8 Book	MTB Bookshop
Morris Goldenberg	Graduation	12 Progressive Solos for Snare Drum	- Hal Leonard
Nebojsa Zivkovic	Etude #3	10 Etudes for Snare Drum	Studio4Music
Brian Wilshere	Gold	Percussion World Snare Drum	Trinity Guildhall
Drum Kit			
Vanessa Carlton	A Thousand Miles	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Led Zepplin	Black Dog	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Tower of Power	What Is Hip	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Jamoriguai	Virtual Insanity	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Dream Theatre	Erotomania	cat. ref: 175140	sheetmusicdirect.com
Paul Simon/ Steve Gadd	Late In The Evening	cat. ref: 176311	sheetmusicdirect.com
Rush	Spirit Of Radio	cat. ref: 443434	sheetmusicdirect.com
Hendrix/ Mitchell	Fire	cat. ref: 174632	sheetmusicdirect.com
Toto/ Porcaro	Rosanna	cat. ref: 378895	sheetmusicdirect.com
N/A	Funk Shuffle No.40	Graded solos for Drumkit Book 2	Woodsmoor Press
N/A	Afro Cuban Nanigo No.42	Graded solos for Drumkit Book 2	Woodsmoor Press
N/A	5/8 Rock No.47	Graded solos for Drumkit Book 2	Woodsmoor Press
N/A	7/8 Rock No.48	Graded solos for Drumkit Book 2	Woodsmoor Press

Section Two: Technical (25 marks)

Prepare the technical exercise below

Technical

Technical Exercises:

Perform all the technical exercises
required for this grade

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Section Three: Musicianship (15 marks)

Prepare either option 1 or 2 below

Musicianship Option 1

Reading Skills:

Perform the rhythm exercises for this
grade

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Listening Skills:

Sing the prepared aural tests for this grade

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Musicianship Option 2

Reading Skills:

Perform the rhythm exercises for this
grade

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Duet:

Perform the duet for this grade

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