

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](#).

Please Note: It has been assumed that Euphonium or Baritone candidates will be treble clef readers. The pieces listed below are all published in the treble clef. They may or may not also be available in the bass clef. Candidates may also choose to play any pieces from the recital section of the trumpet or trombone syllabus depending on which clef is appropriate.

Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher/ Buy Here
Traditional	Bella Ciao (Money Heist)	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Henderson/ Dixon	Bye Bye Blackbird	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Wood/ Mellin	My One and Only Love	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Beethoven	Symphony No.7 2 nd Movt: Allegretto	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Sparke	Fives and Threes (No.18)	Skilful Solos	Anglo Music
Sparke	Rhode Island Rag (No.20)	Skilful Solos	Anglo Music
Gabriel Fauré	Après un Reve	Savoir Faire	Brass Wind
Gabriel Fauré	Sicilienne	Savoir Faire	Brass Wind
Saint-Saens	Danse Macabre	Savoir Faire	Brass Wind
Joseph Kosma	Autumn Leaves	Big Chillers – for trombone (treble clef version)	Brass Wind
George Shearing	Lullaby of Birdland	Big Chillers – for trombone (treble clef version)	Brass Wind
Bernie/ Pinckard/ Casey	Sweety Georgia Brown	Stranger on the A Train (treble clef)	Brass Wind
Steve Allen	This Could Be the Start of Something Big	Stranger on the A Train (treble clef)	Brass Wind
Nigel Clarke	Burnings and Enchantments	Sketches from Don Quixote (treble clef version)	Brass Wind

Tomplay pieces often include accompaniments and can be purchased individually using the link next to each piece or via a discounted subscription for MTB teachers/learners. To learn more about Tomplay and the subscription [click here](#).

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Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher/ Buy Here
Monty Norman	The James Bond Theme (CD or piano acc.)	James Bond 007 Collection (trumpet)	Alfred
Marvin Hamlisch	Nobody does it Better (CD or Piano acc)	James Bond 007 (Trumpet)	Alfred IFM0033CD (Acc. published separately IFM0031)
Fauré	Pavane	Take Ten	UE19779
Paul Desmond	Take Five	Take Ten	UE19779
Wedgwood	Tequila Sunrise	Jazzin' About	Faber
Wedgwood	Sliding Doors	After Hours	Faber
Wedgwood	Survivor	After Hours	Faber
Maria/ Bonfa/ Ramskill	Manha de Carnaval	Latino	Brass Wind
Yradier	La Paloma	Play Latin	Faber
McDowall	Walking Man	Framed	Brass Wind
Williams	The Imperial March (CD or piano acc.)	The Very Best of John Williams	Alfred IFM0422CD (Acc. published separately IFM0425CD)
Williams	Star Wars Main Title (CD or piano acc.)	The Very Best of John Williams	Alfred IFM0422CD (Acc. published separately IFM0425CD)
Laue/Wallace/ Wright	3 rd Movt: Allegro	Concerto for Trumpet & Strings	Brass Wind
Williams	Raiders March	Great Winners	Brass Wind
Howard Shore	Concerning Hobbits (CD or piano acc.)	The Lord of the Rings	Alfred IFM0408CD (Acc. published separately IFM0411CD)
Rafael Mendez	Romanza (No.2 from the Collection Gems)	The Rafael Mendez	Carl Fischer Collection

[Click here for the continued recital list](#)

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Section One Continued

Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher/ Buy Here
Rafael Mendez	Tango – Habanera (No.3 from the Collection <i>Gems</i>)	The Rafael Mendez	Carl Fischer Collection
Sparke	Party Piece (no.40)	Skilful studies	Anglo Music
Endresen	No. 26	Supplementary Studies (trumpet)	Rubank
Endresen	No. 27	Supplementary Studies (trumpet)	Rubank
Endresen	No. 28	Supplementary Studies (trumpet)	Rubank
Hering	No. 24	Forty Progressive Etudes for Trumpet	Fischer
Hering	No. 29	Forty Progressive Etudes for Trumpet	Fischer
Arban	p.29 (no.23)	Cornet Method	Boosey & Hawkes
Vizzutti	Ballad	20 Dances for Euphonium	De Haske
Reinhardt	No. 5	Concone Studies for trumpet	Elkan Vogel
Clarke	Fanfare	Featuring Rhythm	Brass Wind
Clarke	Ryedale	Featuring Rhythm	Brass Wind
Hudson	Cakewalk (No.24)	Modern Studies for Trumpet	UE21316
Hudson	Scherzo (No.20)	Modern Studies for Trumpet	UE21316
Nightingale	Passion Fruit Samba (no.18)	Eazy Jazzy 'Tudes	Warwick Music

Section Two: Technical (25 marks)

Prepare either option 1 or 2 below

Technical Option 1

Technical Exercises:

Perform all the technical exercises required for this grade

[Pages 5 & 6](#)

PLUS

Scales from Memory:

Perform the scales from memory required for this grade from the sheet

[Pages 7 & 8](#)

Technical Option 2

Technical Exercises:

Perform all the technical exercises required

[Pages 5 & 6](#)

PLUS

Alternative to Scales from Memory:

Perform the alternative to scales from memory required for this grade from the sheet

[Pages 9 & 10](#)

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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PLUS

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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PLUS

Duet:

Perform the duet for this grade

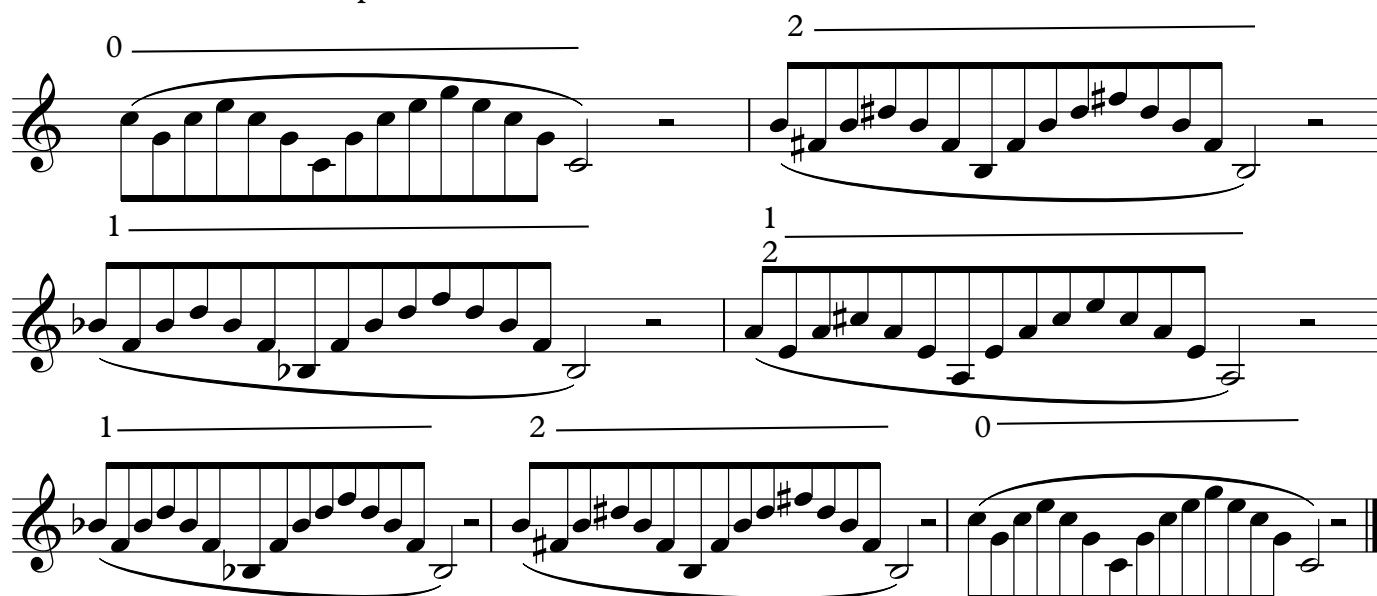
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Technical Exercises

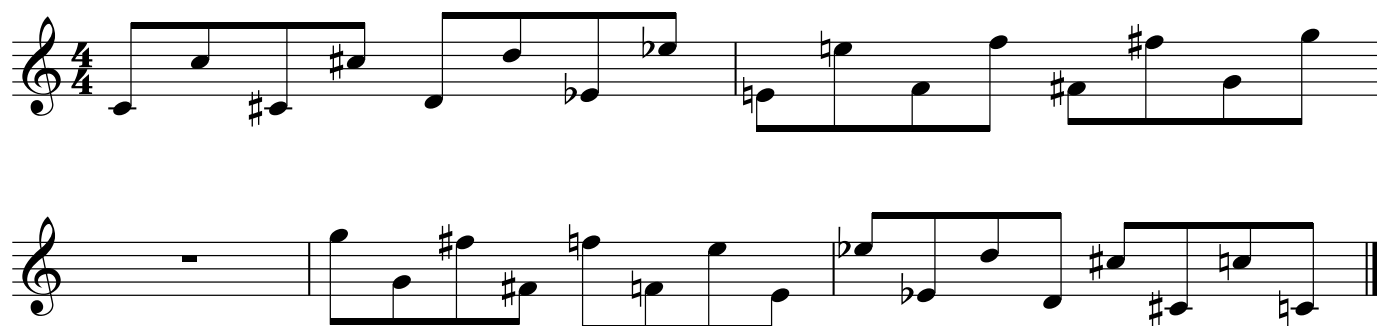
Exercise 1 - ♩=80+



Exercise 2 - ♩=90 Lip Slurs



Exercise 3 - ♩=80



Technical Exercises

Exercise 1 - ♩=80+

Exercise 1 is a 4-measure piece in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat. The melody is written in bass clef and consists of eighth and sixteenth notes, mostly beamed together. A dynamic marking of *mf* is present at the beginning. The exercise is divided into two 2-measure phrases, each with a slur over the notes.

Exercise 2 - ♩=90 Lip Slurs

Exercise 2 is a 6-measure piece in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat. It consists of six measures of eighth notes, each with a slur above it, indicating lip slurs. Fingerings are indicated by numbers 0, 1, and 2 above the notes. The exercise is divided into three 2-measure phrases.

Exercise 3 - ♩=80

Exercise 3 is an 8-measure piece in 4/4 time with a key signature of one flat. It consists of two 4-measure phrases. The first phrase is a descending scale of eighth notes, and the second phrase is an ascending scale of eighth notes. The exercise is written in bass clef.

Scales & Arpeggios from Memory

For the examination, the candidate should be asked to perform all the following scales and arpeggios from memory. They should perform each scale and arpeggio either tongued or slurred as requested by the teacher. The teacher should aim for an even distribution of articulations.

Scales ♩=80 Arpeggios triplet ♩=112

G major scale - 2 octaves



B major scale - 1 octave



G harmonic minor scale - 2 octaves



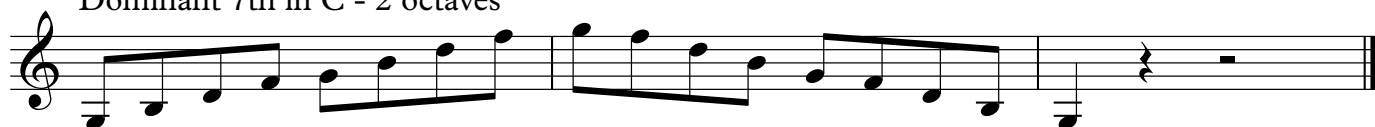
F melodic minor scale - 1 octave



G chromatic scale - 2 octaves



Dominant 7th in C - 2 octaves



G major arpeggio - 2 octaves



B major arpeggio - 1 octave



G minor arpeggio - 2 octaves



F minor arpeggio - 1 octave



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A major arpeggio - 1 octave



F minor arpeggio - 2 octaves



E♭ minor arpeggio - 1 octave



Alternative to Scales from Memory

The following do not need to be played from memory For the examination perform all the following

Scales ♩=80 Arpeggios triplet ♩=112

G major scale - 2 octaves



B major scale - 1 octave (swung quavers ♩=♩)



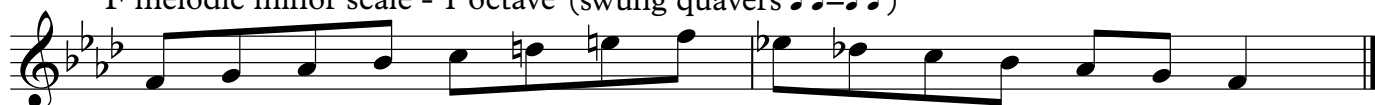
B major scale with rhythmic pattern



G harmonic minor scale - 2 octaves



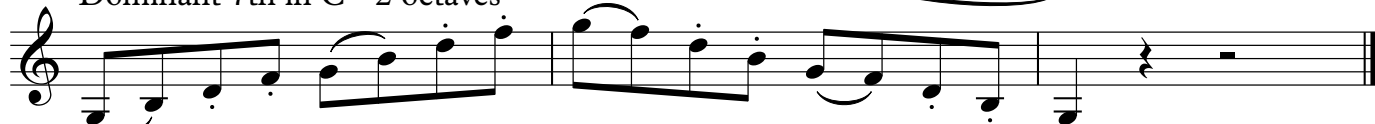
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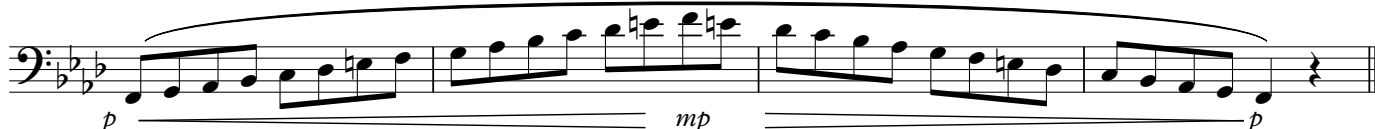
A major scale - 1 octave (swung quavers ♩=♩ ♩)



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F harmonic minor scale - 2 octaves



E♭ melodic minor scale - 1 octave (swung quavers ♩=♩ ♩)



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E♭ minor arpeggio - 1 octave



1 (Candidate)

2

Duet

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On Parade

1 Quick March

9

16

24

30

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On Parade

Quick March!

f

Candidates should practise the six clapping exercises below as part of their preparation to take this grade.

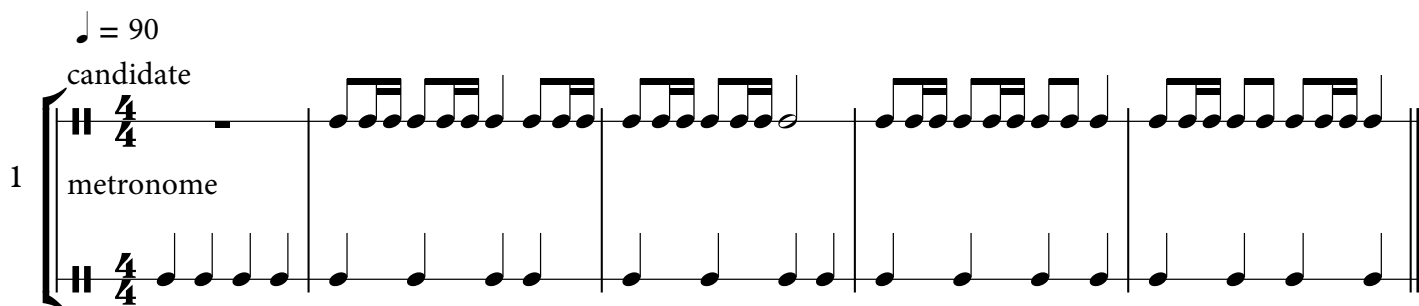
For the exam itself, the candidate should perform all six exercises in the order below at the indicated tempi. The candidate part should be clapped and the lower part should be provided using either the MTB Reading Skills recording for this grade, which can be downloaded [here](#), or a metronome (not clapped).

♩ = 90

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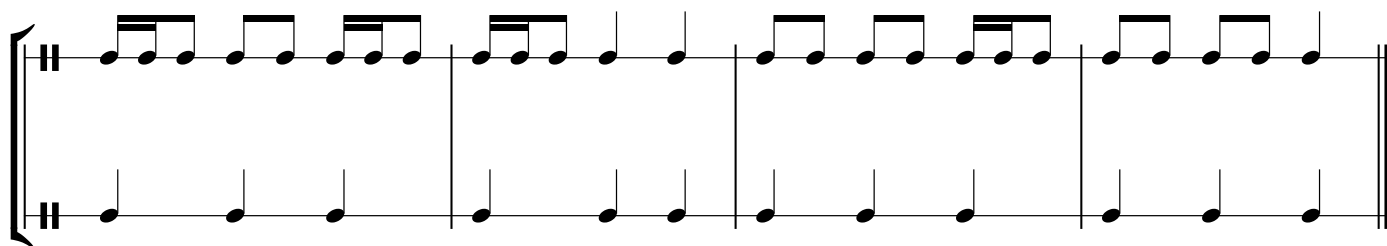
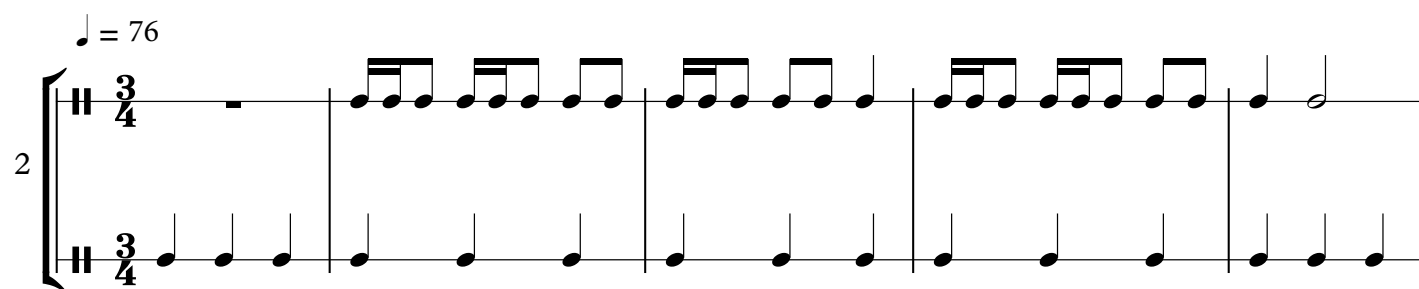
candidate

metronome



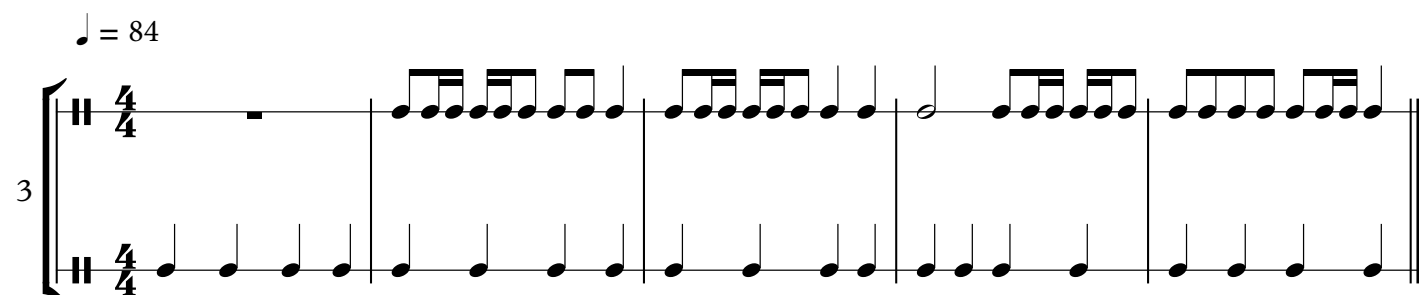
♩ = 76

2



♩ = 84

3



Grade Five

♩ = 66

4

Exercise 4: 3/4 time, 66 bpm. Euphonium part includes eighth and sixteenth note patterns. Baritone part plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

♩ = 70

5

Exercise 5: 2/4 time, 70 bpm. Euphonium part includes eighth and sixteenth note patterns. Baritone part plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

♩ = 60

6

Exercise 6: 4/4 time, 60 bpm. Euphonium part includes eighth and sixteenth note patterns with accents. Baritone part plays a steady eighth-note accompaniment.

Listening Skills

(Aural tests)

The candidate should practise all the exercises on this sheet with the accompanying Listening Skills recording as part of their preparation for the exam. The exam can be conducted either with the candidate responding to the recording or the teacher can deliver them using this sheet.

Only the teacher should have this sheet in front of them during the exam.

For each test, select either the treble or the bass clef exercises as appropriate to the range of the candidate's voice.

Test 1 - Singing back notes.

I shall play a 3 note chord, and then you will sing back the highest, middle, then lowest notes.

We shall do this for 4 different chords.

Treble Clef

1. 2. 3. 4.

Bass Clef

1. 2. 3. 4.

Test 2 - Intervals.

I will play a note and ask you to sing a specific interval above. We shall do this for 3 different intervals.

Treble Clef

1. Major 6th 2. Minor 6th 3. Minor 3rd

Bass Clef

1. Major 6th 2. Minor 6th 3. Minor 3rd

Test 3 - Singing back melodic phrases.

I shall play a melodic phrase **twice**, and then you shall sing it back. We shall do this for 3 different melodies.

Before each, I will indicate the pulse.

Treble Clef

1.

2.

3.

Bass Clef

1.

2.

3.