

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
Snare Drum			
Will Sivier	Go It Alone	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Breakout	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Summer Daze	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Confusion	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Morris Goldenberg	Soldier's March	12 Progressive Solos for Snare Drum	Hal Leonard
Wolfgang Sonntag	Study #2	Magic Sticks	Zimmerman
Brian Wilshere	Bronze	Percussion World – Snare Drum	Trinity-Guildhall
Timpani			
Will Sivier	The Seven Seas	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Spanish Encounter	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Kettle Klamp Down	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Will Sivier	Traditional Etude	MTB Percussion Grade 6 Book	MTB Bookshop
Keith Bartlett	Paradiddle Fiddle!	20 Short Pieces for Timpani	UMP
Keith Bartlett	Tango Timpano	20 Short Pieces for Timpani	UMP
Gert Bomhof	Dancing Timpani #8	Solo Pieces for Timpani	De Haske 970888
Gert Bomhof	March #9	Solo Pieces for Timpani	De Haske 970888

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](#).

MTB Grade 6 Percussion

Composer/Artist	Title	Book/Cat. Ref	Publisher
Tuned Percussion			
Bach/ Weijmans	Minuet & Badinerie	Masters on Marimba	De Haske 1053787
Handel/ Weijmans	Arrival of the Queen of Sheba	Masters on Marimba	De Haske 1053787
Karen Ervin Pershing	Intrada	Contemporary Etudes for 3 & 4 Mallets	Alfred 19626
Karen Ervin Pershing	Fanfare	Contemporary Etudes for 3 & 4 Mallets	Alfred 19626
Karen Ervin Pershing	Burlesque	Contemporary Etudes for 3 & 4 Mallets	Alfred 19626
Karen Ervin Pershing	Toccat	Contemporary Etudes for 3 & 4 Mallets	Alfred 19626
Ney Rosau	Children Song	Vibes, Etudes and Songs	Propercussao
Ney Rosau	Etude in Bossa	Vibes, Etudes and Songs	Propercussao
Drum Kit			
Brubeck	Take Five	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Deep Purple	Smoke on the Water	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Bruno Mars	UpTown Funk	Tomplay	tomplay.com
Stevie Wonder	Superstition	cat. ref: 174643	sheetmusicdirect.com
The Meters	Cissy Strut	cat. ref: 174634	sheetmusicdirect.com
Black Sabbath	Paranoid	cat. ref: 174296	sheetmusicdirect.com
Nirvana	Smells like Teen Spirit	cat. ref: 381768	sheetmusicdirect.com
Led Zeppelin	Rock and Roll	cat. ref: 422833	sheetmusicdirect.com
Steely Dan	Peg	cat. ref: 176355	sheetmusicdirect.com
Yes	Owner of a Lonely Heart	cat. ref: 174477	sheetmusicdirect.com
Blink-182	All the Small Things	cat. ref: 174830	sheetmusicdirect.com
System of a Down	Chop Suey	cat. ref: 174824	sheetmusicdirect.com
N/A	Reggae One Drop No.33	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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