

AUDITION SCHEDULE

WIND ENSEMBLE AND WIND ORCHESTRA – WINTER/SPRING 2015

- Thursday, Dec. 4 4:40 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.
 - Friday, Dec. 5 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.
 - Sunday, Dec. 7 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.
 - Tuesday, Dec. 9 3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. *and*
7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
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- Auditions are for WO/WE placement in both winter and spring quarters. Rehearsals are on Mondays and Wednesday evenings: the Wind Orchestra rehearses from 5:10 to 6:30 p.m. and the Wind Ensemble rehearses from 7:10 to 9:00 p.m. Students are placed into one of these groups based upon the results of the audition.
 - All students interested in performing with WO/WE in the winter or spring must audition during one of the time-frames above. Current WO/WE members may claim exemption to this rule if the member is happy with his/her current placement.
 - Students are encouraged to have something that showcases a proficiency in lyrical playing, as well as something that exhibits technical ability. However, this is not required. We are more than happy to hear you play a short excerpt from any source. It can be from a solo, an etude, a method book, or piece of band music. *(Although there are no required excerpts for the winter/spring audition cycle, you are welcome to utilize materials that were distributed for fall auditions. Those excerpts are at <http://windorchestra.calpoly.edu/auditions/excerpts>)*
 - Students may be asked to sight-read during the audition; however, scales are typically only asked of players for whom we are trying to determine range or facility in various registers.
 - All auditions will be in the Music Building, room 214A.
 - Audition sign-up sheets are posted on the large bulletin board to the left of the band office (Music Building, Room 214A.) If none of the available times work with your schedule, please contact Dr. McMahan at amcmahan@calpoly.edu.
 - Please sign-up for one of the earlier dates/times if at all possible!