

**AYSP HS Audition Requirements:**

1. Major Scales: G, D, or A (2 octaves when ability in upper and lower ranges allow) – slurred up, tongued down; Quarter = 90-100
2. Excerpts (optional for YCO)
3. Prepared Solo or Etude (maximum length of 3 minutes; don't take repeats)

**AYSP 2024-2025**  
**High School Clarinet Audition Excerpts**

Excerpts required only for placement into YS and YO.

Excerpts not required for placement into YCO.

Berlioz: Symphonie Fantastique, movement 3, "Scene in the Fields," rehearsal 43-44

In 6, eighth note = 80-84

(Clarinet in Bb)

The musical score is for the Clarinet in Bb part of Berlioz's Symphonie Fantastique, movement 3, "Scene in the Fields," rehearsal 43-44. It is in 6/8 time. The first staff is marked "solo" and "mf dolce". It begins with a melodic phrase in the right hand, followed by an "Echo" section marked "pppp" and "poco f". The second staff is marked "cresc." and includes dynamic markings "sf", "sf", "cresc.", "sf", "dim", and "mf". A rehearsal mark "44" is boxed in the second staff, and a first ending bracket "1" is shown at the end of the excerpt.

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Mendelssohn: Symphony No. 3, movement 2, beginning to rehearsal B  
In 2, quarter note = 120-126  
(Clarinet in Bb)

**in B**  
**Vivace non troppo** ♩ = 126

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33 **A**  
*dim.* *cresc.*

46  
*f cresc.* *ff*

62 **B**  
*piu f*

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