

## 2020 Harp Audition Requirements

**To Be Considered For:**

**Academy Orchestra**

**Grade 8 - 12 (2020-2021 School Year)**

**Must play the following piece:**

*Grandmother's Memories - Tiny Tales by Carlos Salzedo*

**To Be Considered For:**

**Symphony Orchestra**

**Grade 10 - 12 (2020-2021 School Year)**

**Must play the following piece:**

*Little Angel - Children's Hour by Marcel Grandjany*

\*All harpists must be entering grades 8-12 (2020-2021 school year) to audition.

**Music does not need to be memorized.**

-Judges score audition performances and recommend ensemble placement based on such areas as tone quality, pitch accuracy, rhythm, technique, intonation, expression, and preparedness.

-All Youth Symphony of Kansas City auditions are blind. Judges will not see student auditions/performances.

-Previous participation the Youth Symphony of Kansas City does not guarantee ensemble placement. All ensemble placements are final.

-Scoring, judge comments and recommendations are not discussed with students, parents, private teachers and/or school music teachers.

-All YSKC auditions are blind. Student performers may see their judge. However, judges will not see or view student performances.