

Rimshots!

2025-2026 Auditions

The following is a list of what you will be asked to perform in your audition:

1. Perform a prepared piece of your choice. You may perform this piece on any percussion instrument (i.e. marimba, snare drum, drum set, timpani, etc.). The piece should be a recital-type solo and can be performed without accompaniment.
3. You will be asked to play six snare drum rudiments. The rudiments will be selected from the 40 Percussive Arts Society rudiments.
4. You will be asked to play two major and one minor scale with arpeggio. These scales should be played in two full octaves followed by the arpeggio. Minor scales will need to be played in the harmonic form.
5. Sightread a mallet piece.
6. Sightread a snare drum piece.