

El Paso Symphony  
Section Violin Audition Repertoire  
May 2025

1. **Solos** (need not be memorized)

Mozart            Violin Concerto No. 3, 4, OR 5  
                      Mvt. 1 - Exposition

**AND**

One of the following romantic concertos - Mvt. 1 exposition unless otherwise noted

Beethoven, Brahms, Dvorak, Mendelssohn E minor, Prokofiev 2, Sibelius (including first cadenza), OR Tchaikovsky

2. **First Violin Orchestral Passages**

Beethoven            Symphony No. 9 Mvt. 3 [m. 99 - the end of m. 114]

Brahms                Symphony No. 4 Mvt. 2 [m. 88 - 103]

Brahms                Symphony No. 4 Mvt. 4 [m. 33 - the end of m. 80]

Mendelssohn        Midsummer Night's Dream Scherzo [m. 17 - 99]

Mozart                Symphony 39 Mvt. 2 [beginning to end of m. 27 (no repeats)]

Mozart                Symphony 39 Mvt. 4 [beginning to m. 41]

Strauss                Don Juan [beginning to 13 measures after C]

EPSO tunes to A=440

Beethoven Symphony No. 9

III

Violino I

16

90

96

96

*cresc.* *cresc.*

**Stesso tempo**  
arco

*p dolce*

100

102

*cresc.* . . . *dimin.* *p*

105

107

9

109

*cresc.* . . . *p* 6

111

*tr* *cresc.* . . . 9

113

*p* 9

Brahms — Symphony No. 4 in E Minor

Violine I

79 E

81

84 *ff*

88 *poco f espr.*

89 *f*

95 *f espr.*

99 F *p* *f* *p* *pizz.*

104 *dim.* *arco* *ppp*

108 *dim.* *rit.*

110 *a tempo* *p* *poco rit.* *f*

115 *dim.* *p* *pp* *pizz.*

Brahms — Symphony No. 4 in E Minor

Violine I

Allegro energico e passionato

Fl. pizz.

14 *dim.* 5 Ob. I **A**

31 arco *f ben marc. largamente*

40 **B** *cresc. sempre piu*

47 *espress cresc.*

54 *f f piu f* **C**

60 *cresc. ff*

66 *fp*

70 *dim.*

73 *fp dim. pp*

76 *pp*

80 **D** *p poco cresc. pp*

Mendelssohn Midsummer Night's Dream

Scherzo.  
Allegro vivace.

Nº 1. 

16 *p*

*cresc.*

*p*

*cresc.*

*sf* *sf* *sf* *pp*

*sf* *sf* *sf* *pp*

*pp*

*p* *cresc.*

*dim.* - - - *al* - *pp*

Mozart — Symphony No. 39 in Eb Major, K. 543

Andante con moto

*p*

6

14

17

22

**Finale**  
**Allegro**

*p*

*f*

7

14

20

Mozart — Symphony No. 39 in Eb Major, K. 543

26



31



36



41





Richard Strauss  
Don Juan, Op.20

VIOLINO I

*Allegro, molto con brio*

*ff* *ff* *mf* *ff* *fff* *ff* *pp* *ff* *p* *p* *p* *cresc.* *ff*

*tranquillo* *p flebile* *1 C molto vivo*

A B

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