

**THE HAVERFORD HIGH SCHOOL
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**

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Mr. Joseph A. Brennan
Director

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Dear Current 8th thru 11th Grade String Players:

Auditions will be held to fill vacancies in next year’s Haverford High School String Ensemble (2022- 2023). At present there are the following potential positions available for next year:

- 10 Violins
- 6 Violas
- 2 Cellos
- 1 Bass

The audition material will be from the following:

**Concerto for String Orchestra (from Concerto a Quattro)
by Georg Philipp Telemann, arr. Tim McCarrick**

All auditions will be held at the High School (room location TBA) on **Monday, May 2**, after school. Results will be posted by the end of the week. Please see me right away if you have a conflict.

If the number of students auditioning does not exceed the number of vacancies, then auditions may not be required; I will make that determination. Also, even though the number of vacancies may not be filled, a student still needs to display a level of musical proficiency consistent with the String Ensemble, to be accepted. Although not a requirement, it is strongly recommended that a potential String Ensemble member be studying with a private teacher.

Lastly, although the auditions are after the course verification sheets, you will be able to request the course change should you be eligible for next year’s string ensemble.

Please contact me either in person or via email if you intend to audition or have a question.

Best regards,

Mr. Brennan