

Oliver Ginger

**for/against**

for string quartet

For each player

Each of the four columns of the pitch-grid demonstrate what should be played within each minute of time.

Each minute is divided into three sections as seen immediately below the grid.

The durations seen above the grid show how long the pitches should be played for in each minute (represented by each column); one note per each section of time.

The pitches in each column can be played in any order chosen by the performer; this can be planned during the rehearsal process, or decided upon during performance. None of the pitches should be repeated.

The sound of the tones should be dry and pure; senza vibrato.

The notes should be played with very low dynamics, in sustained, unbroken tones. The dynamics should be static throughout the sustained duration of each note, giving the music a sense of stillness.

A stopclock must be in clear view for each performer.

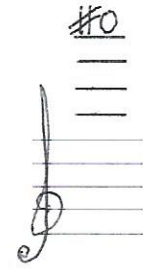
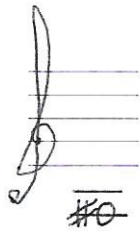
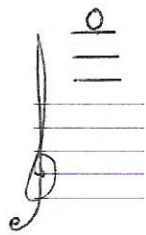
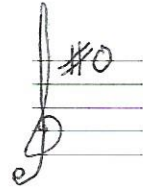
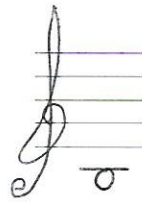
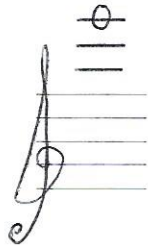
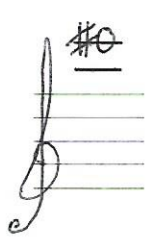
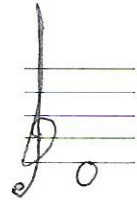
Violin I

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8-12"

15"

5-8"



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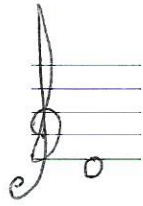
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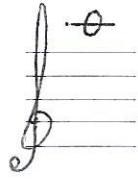
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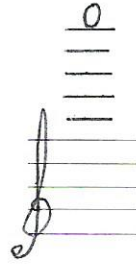
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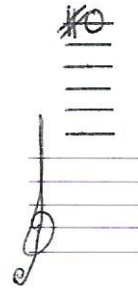
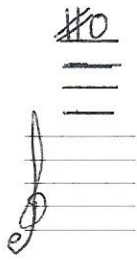
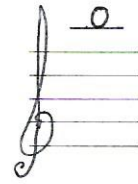
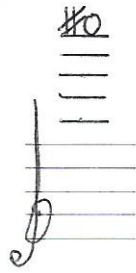
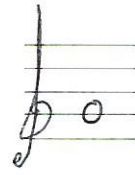
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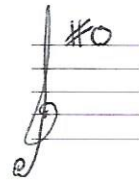
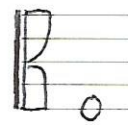
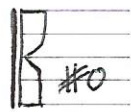
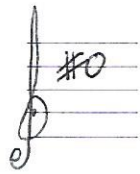
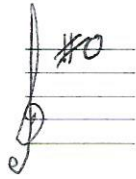
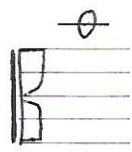
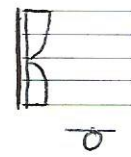
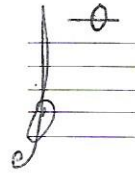
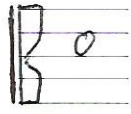
# Viola

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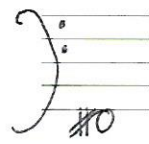
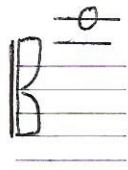
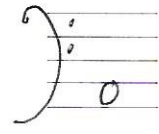
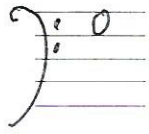
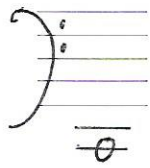
# 'Cello

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