

2024-25 Audition Excerpts  
Premier Strings



# JACKSONVILLE SYMPHONY

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## YOUTH ORCHESTRAS

### **AUDITION EXCERPTS**

**Premier Strings**

**VIOLA**

**2024-25 Season**

### **INSTRUCTIONS**

Review JSYO Audition Guidelines:

<https://jaxsymphony.org/jsyo/jsyo-auditions/>

To complete the JSYO application and submit audition recordings:

1. Go to <https://app.getacceptd.com/jaxsymphony>
2. Complete the application through Get Acceptd
3. Record and Upload Solo and Excerpt Recordings
4. After uploading Solo and Excerpts, you will receive instructions to Record and Upload Sight Reading and Scales

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**JSYO Premier Strings Excerpt VIOLA:**  
**F. Mendelssohn – String Symphony No. 1 in C Major**  
**I. Allegro, mm. 1-35**

Viola

Sinfonia I C-Dur

Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy

**Allegro**

The musical score is written for Viola in 3/4 time, starting with a forte (*f*) dynamic. The key signature is C major. The score consists of six staves of music, with measure numbers 7, 12, 18, 24, and 30 indicated at the beginning of their respective staves. The first staff begins with a quarter rest followed by a quarter note G4, then a quarter note A4, and a quarter note B4. The second staff starts with a quarter note C5, followed by a quarter note B4, and a quarter note A4. The third staff begins with a quarter note G4, followed by a quarter note F4, and a quarter note E4. The fourth staff starts with a quarter note D4, followed by a quarter note C4, and a quarter note B3. The fifth staff begins with a quarter note A3, followed by a quarter note G3, and a quarter note F3. The sixth staff starts with a quarter note E3, followed by a quarter note D3, and a quarter note C3. The score concludes with a double bar line and repeat dots.