





Auditioning for ETYO

A HOW-TO-GUIDE

AUDITION DETAILS

ETYO is accepting auditions applications (both in-person and virtual) for the 2022-23 season!



New members of any ETYO ensemble and current members who are seeking to move ensembles are required to submit an audition.

RECORDING YOUR AUDITION

What will you need?



A webcam (can be one found in your computer, phone, or tablet).



A microphone (can be one found in your computer, phone, or tablet).









A service that allows you to transmit video/audio.

RECORDING AUDITION WITH CELL PHONE

- Make sure to use <u>landscape orientation</u>.
- Rather than facing the video straight on, put the camera to the side and take a step back so your playing position, fingers, and embouchure can be seen.
- Make sure there is sufficient light in front of you, not behind.
 This will help your video not be too dark.
- Do not cover the microphone.

RECORDING AUDITION WITH LAPTOP

• Here is a wonderful resource on how to record a video either on a Windows or Mac computer.

https://www.howtogeek.com/234786/how-to-take-photos-and-record-videos-with-your-computers-webcam/

Where to store the files?

You may not have enough storage on your devices given the potential size of the audio and video files. Therefore, storing on one of these platforms can help alleviate space.

- Google Drive
- Dropbox
- WeTransfer

Once your video is uploaded to any of these platforms you can share a link to the video file where prompted to do so on the video submission form provided to you by Mr. Torres.

Youtube

- If you have a YouTube Channel you have the option to upload videos or livestream and edit within the channel.
- By listing the videos as "unlisted" the video can be viewed by people who have the video link. It will not appear in public places, such as search results, your channel, or subscriber feeds. However, YouTube unlisted videos will appear publicly if shared in playlists or embedded on a website.

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Other Considerations

Make sure to label all files with your name.

Check with the ETYO website regarding audition requirements. https://etyo.org/auditions.

Make sure the video angle captures you and your instrument to evaluate playing position and technique.