



# STRING BASS

This is a suggested list of materials for use in private lesson instruction. You may want to bring an instruction book and/or a solo to work on. **Materials you bring DO NOT need to be from this list. These are only suggestions.**

## AUDITION INFORMATION

- Prepare a short excerpt of your choice from an etude or solo
- One Major scale of your choice ascending and descending
- Short sight-reading excerpts

<u>LEVEL 1 TITLE</u>	<u>COMPOSER(s)</u>	<u>PUBLISHER(s)</u>
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### Instructional Books

ABC's of Bass, Book 1 .....	Ed. Janice Tucker Rhoda .....	Carl Fisher
My First Simandl.....	Ed. Frederick Zimmerman .....	Carl Fisher

### Solos

Suzuki Bass School, Vol. 1 .....	By Shinichi Suzuki .....	Alfred
Progressive Repertoire for the Double Bass Vol. 1 .....	Ed. George Vance .....	Carl Fisher
Dance Preludes .....	By Alan Ridout .....	Theodore Presser
The Jolly Dutchman .....	By Merle Isaac .....	Carl Fisher

## LEVEL 2

### Instructional Books

ABC's of Bass, Book 2 .....	Ed. Janice Tucker Rhoda .....	Carl Fisher
Suzuki Bass School, Vol. 2.....	By Shinichi Suzuki .....	Alfred
Progressive Repertoire for the Double Bass Vol. 2 .....	Ed. George Vance .....	Carl Fisher

### Solos

The Elephant's Gavotte .....	By David Walter .....	Theodore Presser
Introduction and Dance .....	By Anthony Scarmolin .....	Ludwig
Russian Sailor's Dance .....	By Glier/Arr. Isaac.....	Carl Fisher
Neapolitan Dance.....	By J. Frederick Muller .....	Kjos
Festival Performance Solos, Vol. 1 .....	Various.....	Carl Fisher
Gavotte.....	By Bach/Arr. Zimmerman .....	Carl Fisher

## **LEVEL 3**

### Instructional Books

New Method for the Double Bass, Book 1 ..... By Franz Simandl..... Carl Fischer  
Yorke Studies for Double Bass, Vol. 1..... Various..... Carl Fischer

### Solos

Suzuki Bass School, Vol. 3..... By Shinichi Suzuki ..... Alfred  
Festival Performance Solos, Vol. 2 ..... Various..... Carl Fischer  
Prelude to the Meistersinger ..... By Wagner/Arr. Isaac..... Carl Fischer  
Progressive Repertoire for the Double Bass Vol. 3 ..... Ed. George Vance ..... Carl Fischer  
Solos for the Double Bass Player ..... Ed. Oscar Zimmerman ..... Hal Leonard  
Six Sonatas..... By Vivaldi/Ed. Drew ..... Hal Leonard  
Sonatas (Any)..... By Benedetto Marcello ..... Any Standard Edition

## **LEVEL 4-5**

### Instructional Books

New Method for the Double Bass, Book 1 ..... By Franz Simandl..... Carl Fischer  
New Method for the Double Bass, Book 2 ..... By Franz Simandl..... Carl Fischer  
86 Etudes for the String Bass..... By Hrabec/Ed. Simandl ..... Carl Fischer  
Yorke Studies for Double Bass, Vol. 2..... Various..... Carl Fischer  
110 Studies, Op. 20 ..... By Wilhelm Sturm ..... International

### Solos

Solos for the Double Bass Player ..... Ed. Oscar Zimmerman ..... Hal Leonard  
Sonata in G Minor ..... By Henry Eccles..... International  
Concerto for the Double Bass ..... By Anthony Capuzzi ..... Any Standard Edition  
Sonata in E Minor ..... By Vivaldi/Ed. Zimmerman ..... International  
Sonatas (Any)..... By Benedetto Marcello ..... Any Standard Edition  
Concerto in A Major ..... By Dragonetti/Ed. Sankey ..... International  
Concerto ..... By Koussevitsky/Ed. Zimmerman..... International  
Six Sonatas..... By Vivaldi/Ed. Drew ..... Hal Leonard

