



THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF
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Girard Academic Music Program

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Please note: GAMP is not permitted to audition anyone unless they are marked as "**pending additional criteria review**" in the student portal.

Congratulations on your invitation to audition for the Girard Academic Music Program (GAMP) for the 2024-2025 academic school year. The auditions will be held on December 6th, 7th and 8th.

Auditions will consist of **ALL** students being assessed for vocal ability. In addition, any student that has studied an instrument for **at least one year** should bring their instrument to the audition with a prepared music piece (GAMP has pianos/keyboards and drums to audition on). Please remember that *all* students will be required to sing.

NEXT STEPS:

Sign up for a one hour time slot on one of our audition days using this link:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080B48A4A62DA1FF2-46363990-gamp>

Audition Requirements:

Vocal Audition - ALL STUDENTS perform a vocal audition. Each student should prepare 32 measures of a piece of music. It can be a verse and chorus of a popular song. Any genre is acceptable. You can sing to a karaoke track or you can sing a cappella.

Instrumental Audition – If you play an instrument, please bring a prepared piece to play. You will also be asked to play scales and perform sight reading as well.

More info about the auditions is on our website: gamp.philasd.org/admissions/

This is an invitation to audition only and not a letter of acceptance to the school. All notifications of acceptance will be provided by the School District of Philadelphia.

If you have any questions, please contact Lauren Essery at lessery@philasd.org

Best of luck with your audition!