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Selecting new music is always exciting for string teachers, but it's also challenging! Your goals may include teaching expressive playing, developing technique including tone, rhythm, shifting, as well as motivating students with inspirational music. Our catalog provides instructive and engaging arrangements perfect for beginning to advanced ensembles. There is a handy chart on pages 4–5 allowing you to search by grade level and genre, perfect for at-a-glance browsing. There are various links included throughout the booklet for playlists and dedicated web pages making it fast and easy to access exclusive online resources.

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On a personal note it is with great excitement that I introduce our new Director of String Publications, Chris Bernotas. Chris has been a devoted music teacher for 28 years and is a very well respected composer/author of band and orchestra music. Chris will be assisted by nationally known string educator Jim Palmer. They will both carry on the great traditions exemplified in the Belwin and Highland/Etling catalogs. I will continue to offer clinics and write for Alfred Music. As I pass the baton, I wish you all the best!

I hope you enjoy this wonderful new release.



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**Bob Phillips** Director of String Publications

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### **ORCHESTRA PERFORMANCE MUSIC BY GRADE LEVEL**

CONTEST/FESTIVAL	LIGHT CONCERT	MULTICULTURAL	FIDDLE	<b>ROCK</b>
HOLIDAY	<b>O MASTERWORK</b>	FOLK	A POP	★ MOVIE/TV

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8	<b>1</b> ½	Flashpoint! (Roszell)	•	String	Belwin
8	<b>1</b> ½	Hanukkah Dances (O'Hara LaBrie)	••	String	Belwin
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14	<b>1</b> ½	Mahler's Mysterious March (Mahler / Palmer)	• •	String	Highland/Etling
16	<b>1</b> ½	Rainbow's End (Day)	•	String	Highland/Etling
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17	2	Falconer (Spata)	•	String	Highland/Etling
12	2	Go West! (Medley) (Ford)	* • ▲	Full	Belwin
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15	2	Pizzicato Polka (Delibes / Williams)	0	String	Highland/Etling
19	2	Snowflakes in Sweden (Fin)	•	String	Wilfin
15	2	'Twas the Night Before Christmas (Traditional / Phillips)		String	Highland/Etling
8	2	Venetian Boat Song (Cerulli)	•	String	Belwin
14	<b>2</b> ½	Ablaze (Bernotas)	•	String	Highland/Etling
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10	<b>2</b> ½	Catchy Song (Various / Bernotas)		String	Belwin
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9	<b>2</b> ½	Concerto for String Orchestra (Telemann / McCarrick)	0.	String	Belwin
9	<b>2</b> ½	Dance of the Red Dragons (Hopkins)	•	String	Belwin
10	<b>2</b> ½	DC Comics Superheroes (Neely / Wagner)	▲ ★ ●	String	Belwin

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### **ORCHESTRA PERFORMANCE MUSIC BY GRADE LEVEL**

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10	<b>2</b> ½	Feel It Still (Various / Wagner)		String	Belwin
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14	<b>2</b> ½	Hoedown at the Holidays (Traditional / Bernotas)		String	Highland/Etling
10	<b>2</b> ½	I'm Seventeen Come Sunday (Traditional / Story)		Full	Belwin
9	<b>2</b> ½	La Fiesta de Cuerdas (Traditional / Nieto, Phillips)		String	Belwin
17	<b>2</b> ½	Legend of the Ghost Stallion (Meyer)	•	String	Highland/Etling
17	<b>2</b> ½	The Monster Named Stretch (Granata)		String	Highland/Etling
15	<b>2</b> ½	A Mozart Mix (Mozart / O'Reilly)	000	String	Highland/Etling
19	<b>2</b> ½	Peer Gynt Suite Selections (Grieg / Meyer)	0 •	Full	Highland/Etling
15	<b>2</b> ½	Return to Waterford (Dabczynski)	•	String	Highland/Etling
15	<b>2</b> ½	Rondino (Kreisler / Dabczynski)	•	String	Highland/Etling
19	<b>2</b> ½	Spine Chiller (Fin)		String	Wilfin
8	<b>2</b> ½	Themes from Pictures at an Exhibition (Mussorgsky / Roszell)	• •	String	Belwin
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11	3	Christmas Canon (O'Neill / Phillips)		String	Belwin
12	3	Concert Suite from The Polar Express (Ballard / Brubaker)	*•	Full	Belwin
12	3	Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald (Howard / Wagner)	<b>*</b>	Full	Belwin
18	3	A Festival of Christmas (Traditional / McBrien)		String	Highland/Etling
19	3	Grand March from Tannhäuser (Wagner / Leidig)	0	Full	Highland/Etling
12	3	Holiday Mash-Up (Traditional / Roszell)		Full	Belwin
18	3	Josephine's Waltz (Tallroth / Phillips)		String	Highland/Etling
11	3	Kashmir (Various / McCarrick)		String	Belwin
17	3	Legacy (Phillips)	•	String	Highland/Etling
11	3	Love Theme (Tyler / López)		String	Belwin
9	3	Milonga del Angel (Piazzolla / Palmer)	••	String	Belwin
18	3	Minstrel (Atwell)	•	String	Highland/Etling
18	3	Primal Strings (Fagan)	•	String	Highland/Etling
9	3	A Ralph Vaughan Williams Portrait (Vaughan Williams / Wagner)	• •	String	Belwin
18	3	Rubicon (Spata)	•	String	Highland/Etling
11	3	Salamander Eyes (Howard / Phillips)	<b>*</b>	String	Belwin
12	3	Shallow (Various / López)	*•▲	Full	Belwin
18	3	Slavonic Dance (Dvořák / Palmer)	• •	String	Highland/Etling
9	3	Sleigh Ride (Anderson / Caputo)	•	String	Belwin
9	3	Symphony No. 2, Finale (Sibelius / Moss)	• •	String	Belwin
18	3	Zoom! (Meyer)		String	Highland/Etling
18	<b>3½</b>	Fanfare, Fantasy, and Fugue (Meyer)	•	String	Highland/Etling
11	<b>3</b> ½	Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas (Martin, Blane / Custer)	•	String	Belwin
18	<b>3</b> ½	Maharaja (Spata)		String	Highland/Etling
11	<b>3½</b>	Smallfoot (Dabczynski)	<b>*</b>	String	Belwin
9	4	Christmas Day (Holst / Wagner)	0 •	String	Belwin
9	4	Jambo (Basler / Moss)		String	Belwin
10	4	Overture from Orpheus in the Underworld (Offenbach / Bergonzi)	• •	Full	Belwin
18	4	Serenade for Strings (Gustafson)	•	String	Highland/Etling
12	5	Rhapsody in Blue (Gershwin / Brubaker)	0 • •	Full	Belwin







### VERY BEGINNING STRING ORCHESTRA Grade 1/2

 Key Signatures: G, D
 Time Signatures: ¾ ¼

 String Instrumentation: Violin I, Violin II/Viola, Cello, String Bass, Opt. Piano

 Ranges: Violin, Viola, Cello–no extensions; String Bass–1st position

 Rhythm: o J J
 Special Considerations: Limited slurring



### BEGINNING STRING/FULL ORCHESTRA Grades 1–11/2

Key Signatures: C, G, D

### *Time Signatures:* $\begin{smallmatrix}2&3&4\\4&4\end{smallmatrix}$

**String Instrumentation:** Violin I, Violin II, Viola/Violin III, Cello, String Bass, Opt. Piano **Ranges:** Violin, Viola, Cello–no extensions (except Violin Lo 1 on the E); String Bass–1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> position (F<sup>4</sup> on E String)

*Wind Instrumentation:* Flute; Oboe; Clarinet I, II; Bassoon/B<sup>b</sup> Bass Clarinet; Opt. E<sup>b</sup> Alto Saxophone; Horn in F; Trumpet I, II; Trombone; Tuba; Mallet Percussion; Timpani; Percussion I, II; Opt. Piano

Rhythm: o J J J. J. Special Considerations: Slurs and ties



### INTERMEDIATE STRING/FULL ORCHESTRA Grades 2–21/2

*Key Signatures:* C, G, D, A, F, B<sup>b</sup> *Time Signatures:*  $\frac{2}{4}$   $\frac{2}{4}$   $\frac{4}{5}$  alla breve *String Instrumentation:* Violin I, Violin II, Viola/Violin III, Cello, String Bass, Opt. Piano *Ranges:* Violin, Viola, Cello–1<sup>st</sup> position with all extensions; String Bass—1<sup>st</sup> through 4<sup>th</sup> positions *Wind Instrumentation:* Flute I, II; Oboe; Clarinet I, II; Bassoon/B<sup>b</sup> Bass Clarinet; Opt. E<sup>b</sup> Alto Saxophone; Horn in F I, II; Trumpet I, II; Trombone I, II; Tuba; Mallet Percussion; Timpani; Percussion I, II; Opt. Piano

Rhythm: • ] ] ] ]. ]. ]. ]. ]. ].

Special Considerations: Slurred and hooked bowings, double stops, syncopation



### CONCERT STRING/FULL ORCHESTRA Grades 3–31/2

 Key Signatures: C, G, D, A, E, F, B<sup>b</sup>, E<sup>b</sup>, A<sup>b</sup>
 Time Signatures: X X X X X
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 String Instrumentation:
 Violin I, Violin II, Viola, Cello, String Bass, Opt. Piano

 Ranges:
 All strings—1<sup>st</sup> through 5<sup>th</sup> positions

 Wind Instrumentation:
 Flute I, II; Oboe I, II; Clarinet I, II; Bassoon I, II; Horn in F I, II, III, IV; Trumpet I, II, III; Trombone I, II, III; Tuba; Mallet Percussion; Timpani; Percussion I, II; Opt. Piano

**Rhythm:** All rhythms



### SYMPHONIC STRING ORCHESTRA Grade 4+

 Key Signatures: As needed for content
 Time Signatures: As needed for content

 String Instrumentation: As needed for content
 Ranges: As needed for content

 Wind Instrumentation: As needed for content
 Rhythms: As needed for content

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### VERY BEGINNING STRING ORCHESTRA



### March from The Nutcracker

By Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky / arr. Michael Story



#### **The Winds of Autumn**

By Michael Hopkins



### **Alison's Waltz**

11/2 By Bob Phillips



### ORCHESTRA EXPRESSIONS

Finale From *Symphony No. 1* By Johannes Brahms / arr. Jack Bullock

Beautifully scored for your beginners and arranged to work with any beginning string method book. It is perfect for teaching and programming alike. (1:36) (00-BS0M05010)......\$40.00 

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### Sunchasers

By Tanner Otto



Classic Bits & Pieces Various / arr. Michael Story

Tunes come at you so quickly that everyone listens intently to catch each change. Now, for your adventurous spring concert, comes this "Readers' Digest" version of the classics. Bits and pieces of Handel, Haydn, Rossini, Gliere, Tchaikovsky, Dvořák, Offenbach, and Beethoven. You can "name that tune" in how many notes? Pure enjoyment! (2:57)

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### BELWIN PERFORMANCE MUSIC / GRADE 11/2-21/2



#### **Hanukkah Dances**

Featuring: Hanukkah, Hanukkah / Sivivon / Dreidel / Maoz Tzur Traditional / arr. Katie O'Hara LaBrie

Liven up your holiday concert with a medley of four familiar Hanukkah tunes that are perfect for beginning to advanced levels. Everyone gets a chance to play the melody in this exciting arrangement. (2:08)

(00-47426).....\$49.00



#### **Themes from Farandole**

From *L'Arlésienne Suite No. 2* By George Bizet / arr. Douglas E. Wagner

Themes from the brilliant fourth movement of this suite are solidly scored in an easy arrangement for younger ensembles. Bizet's inclusion of the carol tune "The March of the Kings" will also work well for holiday concerts. Easy fingerings and good bowings make this piece sound very professional. (1:47) (00-47427)........\$49.00



### Thunderous

1/2 By Victor López

This piece is a vibrant composition that will make your developing string orchestra sound mature. All instruments get a chance to experience a flurry of musical excitement and energy. A perfect choice for any contest or festival. (2:03) (00-47428).......\$46.00

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### Grade Flashpoint!

11/2 By Patrick Roszell

This exciting work for younger orchestras evokes the point at which someone or something bursts suddenly into action or being. Students will have an opportunity to learn contrasting bow strokes including legato and staccato. This piece is a great opener or closer for any concert or festival performance! (1:34) (00-47429)........\$46.00



### **Sky Suite**

I. Clouds II. Rain III. Thunder IV. Sea By Katie O'Hara LaBrie

This multi-movement work focuses on music literacy. A-, D-, and G-string notes are introduced one movement at a time. Throughout each of the movements, students will explore different time signatures, tempi, and bow techniques—and then get a chance to put all their knowledge together in the finale. (5:19)

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### INTERMEDIATE STRING ORCHESTRA



This piece will make your students and audience feel like they are paddling through the waterways of Venice. Optional tremolo imitates the sound of mandolins, and the beautiful melody sounds like an Italian love song. Easy fingerings make this a wonderful grade two concert piece. (2:18) (00-47434).......\$46.00

#### Themes from Pictures at an Exhibition

Featuring: Promenade / Baba Yaga (The Hut on Fowl's Legs) / The Great Gate of Kiev By Modest Mussorgsky / arr. Patrick Roszell



Grade

21/2

### Christmas in the Mountains

1/2 By Douglas E. Wagner

Lovely ballads, vigorous fiddle songs, and simple shaped-note tunes comprise this treasury of music from the people. Beautiful orchestral scoring will provide a full sound for any ensemble. Deeply rooted in early-American folk traditions, this music of the season will carry you to the wind-swept, snow-covered Appalachian Mountains. (3:19)

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A Comprehensive Theory Curriculum

By Andrew Surmani, Karen Farnum Surmani, and Morton Manus

Provide your students with EMT's concise lesson exercises, ear training, and a thorough review while supplementing with fun activities such as bingo and flashcards. Additional assessment opportunities are available with the Teacher's Reproducible Activity Kits. Utilize what is best for your classroom—the materials are available as traditional printed books, eBooks, and software.



### La Fiesta de Cuerdas

(The Festival of Strings) Traditional and John Nieto / arr. Bob Phillips and John Nieto

Two traditional mariachi tunes with a new original polka form a fabulous medley for any happy occasion—any fiesta. As the title indicates, make it a party! In  $\frac{2}{4}$  and first position with some chromatic alterations, this piece is accessible, rhythmic, and fun to play. (3:39)

(00-47436).....\$56.00



### **Dance of the Red Dragons**

By Michael Hopkins

This lively  $\frac{2}{3}$  meter piece is set in the keys of G major and E minor. All sections pass around the melody while energetic rhythms highlight the countermelody and accompaniment parts. This great festival or concert closer will make your orchestra sound rich and mature. (4:04)

(00-47437) .....\$56.00



#### Concerto for String Orchestra From Concerto a Quattro

By Georg Philipp Telemann / arr. Tim McCarrick

From the vigorous bowing, dramatic dynamics, and his occasional use of a daring harmony, Telemann shows his unique style as separate from Bach and Handel. It is music strings love to play and audiences love to hear! (4:30)

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### CONCERT STRING ORCHESTRA



### Symphony No. 2, Finale

By Jean Sibelius / arr. Kirk Moss

Grade	
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#### Sleigh Ride By Leroy Anderson / arr. Bud Caputo



#### A Ralph Vaughan Williams Portrait

Featuring: Fantasia on a Theme by Thomas Tallis / A Sea Symphony (Symphony No. 1) / Linden Lea / Overture to The Wasps (Aristophanic Suite) By Ralph Vaughan Williams / arr. Douglas E. Wagner



#### Milonga del Angel

By Astor Piazzolla / arr. Jim Palmer

This lyrical arrangement of an Argentinian tango is a wonderful introduction to the music of Astor Piazzolla. Your students will love the beautiful harmonies, interesting rhythms, and the variety of dynamics. This piece is a perfect choice for festival or any concert performance. (4:35)

(00-47441) .....\$58.00



### Christmas Day

By Gustav Holst / arr. Douglas E. Wagner

Written by Holst in 1910 for choir and orchestra, this arrangement provides the important lines from all voices woven into a single musical fabric. The interplay of the traditional carols in this work provides a rich and challenging texture that delights! (6:10) (00-26660) Available in SmartMusic......\$59.00



### SYMPHONIC STRING ORCHESTRA

### Grade Jambo

By Paul Basler / arr. Kirk Moss

Inspired by the joyous optimism of the Kenyan people, this energetic greeting prelude for string orchestra will delight performers and audiences alike with its rhythmic drive and call-and-response echoes. (4:12)

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### **BELWIN PERFORMANCE MUSIC / GRADE 11/2-4**



### **BEGINNING FULL ORCHESTRA**



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### SYMPHONIC FULL **ORCHESTRA**



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piano can be added. (1:31)

### **INTERMEDIATE FULL ORCHESTRA**



### I'm Seventeen Come Sunday

Based on the Arrangement by Percy Aldridge Grainger Traditional British Folk Song / arr. Michael Story

A fabulous contest selection, this versatile piece is a sure winner. Based on Grainger's arrangement of the well-known folk song, this setting can be performed by string orchestra alone or with any combination of winds and percussion up to full orchestra and can include a solo violin section. (2:16) (00-47448) .....\$59.00

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By Jacques Offenbach / arr. Louis Bergonzi The guintessential "Can-Can" provides a rousing finish, yet this

entire piece offers excitement, lyricism, and opportunities for impressive, yet manageable, solos and cadenzas. For strings alone or with any combination of winds, harp, and percussionup to full symphonic orchestra. Optional cuts included. (9:52) (00-47449) .....\$73.00

Overture from Orpheus in the Underworld



### POP INTERMEDIATE STRING **ORCHESTRA**



#### **Catchy Song**

From The LEGO® Movie 2: The Second Part Various / arr. Chris M. Bernotas

Another great hit from The LEGO® Movies! Sure to please audiences and players, this infectious tune with a terrific aroove is designed to get stuck in your head. (1:57) (00-47432).....\$50.00

**DC Comics Superheroes** 

Featuring Themes from The Flash, DC's Legends of Tomorrow, Arrow, and Superairl By Blake Neely / arr. Douglas E. Wagner

From the creative genius of Blake Neely, this action-packed medley will engage your students and audiences alike. This arrangement will be your superhero on any concert program! (3:35) (00-47442).....\$53.00



### Feel It Still

2½ As Recorded by Portugal. The Man Various / arr. Douglas E. Wagner

This chart-topping hit won a GRAMMY® Award in 2018. Utilizing parts of the 1961 hit song "Please Mr. Postman" by the Marvelettes, the song has a unique catchy groove that will be a hit. Easy optional parts for piano and percussion are included. (1:59)

(00-47443) .....\$50.00



### Kashmir

Various / arr. Tim McCarrick

Released in 1975, the original included an orchestra of middle-eastern string players that created an unforgettable sound! *Kashmir* took everyone by surprise and elevated Led Zeppelin to the status of rock icons. Transcribed from the original, this piece includes all the classic riffs. Great as an opener or encore! (5:04)

(00-31546) ......\$61.00



### POP CONCERT STRING ORCHESTRA



#### **Salamander Eyes**

From *Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald* By James Newton Howard / arr. Bob Phillips



Grade

#### **Love Theme**

From *Crazy Rich Asians* By Brian Tyler / arr. Victor López

A truly memorable melody that comes together in an eclectic tapestry, this piece is a classic romantic love theme that articulates both the love and the loss in relationships and expresses the deep emotional response elicited by this most fashionable love story. (2:52)

(00-47444) .....\$62.00

#### **Boughs of Holly**

As Performed by Trans-Siberian Orchestra Words and music by Paul O'Neill and Robert Kinkel / arr. Bob Phillios

Grade

#### Christmas Canon (Accompaniment)

As Performed by Trans-Siberian Orchestra Based on "Canon in D" by Johann Pachelbel, words and music by Paul O'Neill / arr. Bob Phillips and Andy Beck



### Smallfoot

Featuring: This Is My Life / Wonderful Life / Perfection Various / arr. Andrew H. Dabczynski

Here's a medley of hits that is sure to challenge your string orchestra. The catchy melodies and intricate rhythms are shared by all sections and can be enhanced by optional percussion and piano. Audiences will be tapping their own smallfeet! (6:45)

(00-47445) .....\$64.00



### Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas

Words and music by Hugh Martin and Ralph Blane / arr. Calvin Custer

Add a special contemporary sound to your holiday concert with this delightfully fresh Calvin Custer treatment of a traditional popular standard. Piano, guitar, and drums provide timbres with which to construct a splendid sound. Tightly written and tonally vibrant. A must! (3:46)

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### **POP PERFORMANCE MUSIC / GRADE 2-5**



### POP INTERMEDIATE FULL ORCHESTRA



#### Go West! (Medley)

Featuring: The Magnificent Seven / The Good, the Bad, and the Ugly / Hang 'Em High Various / arr. Ralph Ford

Ride 'em cowboy! This spirited arrangement will bring the crowd to their feet! (2:50)

(00-F0M04006) .....\$65.00



#### Havana

As Recorded by GRAMMY® Award Winner Camila Cabello Various / arr. Victor López

This jazzy Afro-Cuban clave chart is a fusion of authentic Caribbean flavor and will bring the zest and the spice to your next concert. Nothing beats singing along to a hit from the Billboard Hot 100 Chart! (1:59)

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### **Holiday Mash-Up**

Featuring: Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas / Jingle Bell Rock

Traditional / arr. Patrick Roszell

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### POP CONCERT FULL ORCHESTRA

Grade	
3	

### Shallow (from A Star Is Born)

As Performed by Lady Gaga and Bradley Cooper Various / arr. Victor López



**Concert Suite from The Polar Express** Featuring: Believe / The Polar Express / When Christmas Comes to Town / Spirit of the Season By Glen Ballard and Alan Silvestri / arr. Jerry Brubaker

The blockbuster Alan Silvestri and Glen Ballard film score has now been masterfully scored for concert full orchestra. Let the child within you come out for the holiday season with this wonderful film music! (5:58) (00-F0M04009) \$85.00

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Grade 3

### Fantastic Beasts: The Crimes of Grindelwald

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By George Gershwin / arr. Jerry Brubaker

All solo piano parts are covered within the orchestra but can also be played with a soloist. One of the most popular concert works ever, this transcription for full orchestra will be a new favorite. Includes all the major themes—for the advanced or community orchestra! (7:30)

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Variations on a Theme from Symphony No. 1 By Gustav Mahler / arr. Jim Palmer

Young orchestras will love this theme and variations based on a minor key version of "Frére Jacques" as heard in Mahler's first symphony. The haunting melody and creative variations will capture the students' interest. A beautiful piece for the concert and festival stage. (2:37)

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A Halloween Bass-tacular By Bob Phillips

Perfect for young orchestras, this Halloween bass-tacular features the entire bass section playing walking bass lines. The piece is in 1st position for violins, violas, and cellos, and everyone gets to play exciting tremolos. (2:21)

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Grade 2

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#### Grade **Eventide** 2

By William Henry Monk / arr. Michael Kamuf

This arrangement will provide a wonderful opportunity to teach phrasing, balance, and dynamics. The beautiful melody is passed between sections while others provide rich harmonic accompaniment. A perfect selection for contests or festivals, this piece will inspire students to express themselves musically. (2:31)

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#### **Hoedown at the Holidays**

Featuring: Silent Night / Joy to the World Traditional / arr. Chris M. Bernotas

Get ready to saddle up for the Christmas rush! Featuring an upbeat tempo, this piece will bring the cowboy swagger to your string orchestra. (2:30)

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#### When Robins Dance By Bob Phillips

This piece is rhythmic and dance-like with a reflective lyric section and melodic parts for every instrument section. Musically sophisticated but written completely in 1st position, this piece will be fun for students to play while they develop their accented and legato bow strokes. (3:47)

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By Chris M. Bernotas

This fierce concert piece takes the orchestra on an exciting musical journey. Students will be challenged to perform with various emotional styles, including both intense and legato melodies. (2:30)

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By Richard Meyer

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### Brandenburg Concerto No. 5

2 By Johann Sebastian Bach / arr. Richard Meyer

This famous piece has been simplified and shortened but retains all the energy and spirit of the original. It uses only the notes of the D major scale (including a few "high E's" for Violin I) and easy rhythms. (1:46)

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### El Gato Pizzicato

11/2 By Richard Meyer

Imaginations will run wild during this charming Spanish-flavored salute to cats. Glissando "meows," threatening "hisses," and an enthusiastic visit from a dog set the mood. A great way to introduce shifting basics and high vs. low finger patterns, this selection is also a wonderful way to discuss tone painting. (2:45)

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### Grade

#### 'Twas the Night Before Christmas Traditional / arr. Bob Phillips

Enjoy a timeless arrangement that incorporates a narrator reading the familiar words while the orchestra provides sound effects and performs traditional and pop holiday songs. Invite your principal to read the cued narration for added fun. (7:00)

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This piece is an orchestral setting of a popular solo violin composition. Students will have the opportunity to learn rondo form and beginning chromatic alterations. All sections have a chance to share in the delightful melodies. This pleasing and accessible piece will enhance any concert program. (3:10)

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### Return to Waterford

By Andrew H. Dabczynski

This enchanting piece is a tender, flowing waltz that conveys a sense of peaceful nostalgia and provides the opportunity to master graceful phrasing and smooth legato bowing. Approachable for intermediate players, yet appropriately challenging for more advanced musicians, it includes a delightful optional harp/piano part. (3:36)

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### Pizzicato Polka From the Ballet Sylvia

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### Grade A Mozart Mix

21/2 By Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart / arr. John O'Reilly

A Mozart Mix is a delightful medley of several of Mozart's most memorable and familiar melodies from The Marriage of Figaro. This is a wonderful piece for teaching style and music history while acquainting students with some of this composer's best- known works. (2:30)

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### H/E PERFORMANCE MUSIC / GRADE 1-2



### STRING **ALTERNATIVES**



#### American Fiddle Medley

Featuring: Cripple Creek / Boil Them Cabbage Down / Old Joe Clark / Soldier's Jov Traditional / arr. Bob Phillips

Perfect for young players or as a quick play-down finale for older players, all sections play the melodies and have opportunities to work on dynamics. Performance recommendations to help make the tunes sound "fiddley" are provided in the score. (1:30)

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By Todd Parrish

The rondo form gives students repetition, along with "detours" to keep their interest. This piece uses only quarter notes and half notes with both stepwise motion and larger intervals in D major. The piano part is recommended. (2:07) (00-47468).....\$46.00



### **A Russian Winter**

By Doug Spata

Simple rhythms, an all-pizzicato texture, and a supporting piano part make this piece, written in the style of a Russian folk song, easy to put together. In a minor key with melodies that move between all parts, it is ideal for a first winter concert! (1:35) (00-47464) ......\$46.00



### Grade King's Court

11/2 By Susan H. Day This stately piece uses open-string double stops and pizzicato

to achieve its regal sound. Though suitable for advanced elementary or middle school string players, it is fun for all levels. All parts remain in 1st position with easy rhythms. (2:45) (00-26573) Available in SmartMusic ......\$46.00



#### **Rainbow's End**

11/2 By Susan H. Day

Take a musical journey to the end of the rainbow in this upbeat and majestic piece, featuring easy rhythms and satisfying melodies. Teaching points include dotted guarter notes, legato bowing, two-note slurs, and pizzicato. The viola part doubles the violin 2 part. (2:16)

(00-47482).....\$46.00



By Doug Spata

Perfect for young orchestras, this piece features simple eighthnote ostinatos: dramatic melodies: and a bold, cinematic sound. Rhythmic independence is limited, and the notes are on the D and A strings (G string for bass), but the piece retains a mature style. (1:49)

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#### Mama Don't Allow

American Folk Song / arr. Renata Bratt

Students will really enjoy playing and singing this old-timey tune that has roots in early New Orleans-style jazz. In 1st position throughout, this piece features rhythmic syncopation. This upbeat piece with great lyrics is a complete crowd pleaser. (2:54) (00-47469) .....\$49.00

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**Ante Meridian** 

By Todd Parrish

Inspired by a painting of the same name, this engaging work features memorable rhythmic patterns of sixteenth notes, flatkey fingerings, and varied articulations. The original painting evokes the awesome, eternal nature of the sea. Imagine crashing waves! (2:56)

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#### Legend of the Ghost Stallion By Richard Meyer

An eerie, shivery setting of "All the Pretty Little Horses" opens this ode to the Wild West. Brief solos for violin, viola, and cello are included. The driving, galloping rhythm (eighth/two sixteenths) of the Ghost Stallion running through the moonlit countryside will reinforce bowing skills. (3:58)

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#### The Monster Named Stretch By Anthony Granata

Written in the eerie key of F-sharp natural minor that kids love, this sound defines our scary monster called "Stretch." With slow and fast passages, a jaunty pizzicato section, and a forceful coda, every section will be challenging. (2:41) (00-47471).....\$49.00



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### Slavonic Dance

On 46 No 3 By Antonín Dvořák/ arr. Jim Palmer

Lively and full of character, this arrangement will be an exciting opener or closer to any concert. Featuring traditional rhythms of Slavic folk music, the piece will give all players a chance to play lyrical melodies as well as exciting dance-like rhythms. (2:10) 

#### Zoom! Grade 3

### By Richard Mever

Vivid imagery, colorful orchestrations, and a variety of styles all combine to make this one-of-a-kind selection a journey that your students and audience will never forget! In the form of a five-part rondo with changing tempos, this piece will let creativity fly! (5:31)

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Grade 3

### Josephine's Waltz

Josefin's Dopvals By Roger Tallroth / arr. Bob Phillips

This pretty crossover waltz will feel equally at home in fiddle and classical settings. The ornaments are easy and authentic for all sections as they share the melody while remaining in 1st position. A great introduction to playing ornaments! (3:11) (00-47473) .....\$49.00



### Rubicon

Bv Doug Spata

Focus on the left hand! This thrilling piece, using simple rhythms, was written to help students understand the concept of positions. Violins, violas, and cellos can play entirely in 3rd position with no shifting. (1:54) (00-47477) .....\$49.00

Grade

3

### A Festival of Christmas

Featuring: Good King Wenceslas / Deck the Halls / Here We Come A-Caroling Traditional / arr. Brendan McBrien

This setting of three timeless and lively holiday tunes forms a festive trio of toe-tapping fun. Set with both traditional and contemporary harmonies, and including optional percussion, your musicians and audience will be filled with the joy and pleasure of the season. (3:22) (00-47478) ......\$49.00

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Minstrel Grade 3

**By Shirl Jae Atwell** 

In the minstrel tradition, this tune is lighthearted, carefree, and easy to remember upon hearing. It has a snappy rhythm that makes you want to dance to its lively tune. (2:05) (00-47479) .....\$46.00



### **Primal Strings**

By Gary Fagan

Primal, defined as "relating to an early stage in development," might be a fitting description of some string players you know. This thrilling piece provides rhythmic challenges and uses multiple meter changes to create interesting, appealing, and unique rhythmic textures. (3:41) (00-47480).....\$49.00

Grade Maharaja 31/2

By Doug Spata

Slurred pizzicato imitates the sound of tabla drums while finger snaps and triplet flourishes add to the Southeast Asian flavor. Teachers will appreciate challenging their students with advanced fingerings and rhythms throughout the piece and students and audiences will thrill to this unique musical experience. (3:00)

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### Fanfare, Fantasy, and Fugue

On an American Hymn Song By Richard Meyer

This imaginative and dynamic selection is based on "The Navy Hymn." Using a myriad of time signatures, keys, and modes, this is the perfect teaching piece for advanced students, challenging them with a variety of playing styles and forms. (6:09) (00-47474) .....\$62.00

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### **Fruit Salad**

Bv Loreta Fin

Eighth notes and guarter notes are used in different rhythmic combinations. Re-takes and hand coordination are developed. The tempo can be taken very steadily until the rhythms are able to be recognized by the students. Practice the different rhythms: watermelon, strawberry, mango, and passion fruit. (1:50) (76-32798) .....\$45.00



#### **Snowflakes in Sweden**

By Loreta Fin

This piece features upbeats, pizzicato, tremolo, and sul ponticello bowing to depict the falling snowflakes and the shivering cold of a Swedish winter. (1:57) (76-35288) ......\$45.00



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