Course Description
Percussion studies at Angelo State University are designed to develop the highest possible level of musicianship, performance and teaching proficiency within a total percussion curriculum. Students will specifically focus on snare drum, two-mallet keyboards, four-mallet keyboards w/Stevens grip, timpani, multiple percussion and drumset. The understanding and development of technical facilities, a cross-section of literature, sight-reading skills and ensemble applications are required skills on each instrument, in addition to regular performances in studio classes, clinics/masterclasses and juries.

Course Objectives
Overall, to meet degree requirements students are expected to demonstrate significant proficiency in all areas of percussion including:

1) **Snare Drum**: Play all 40 Percussive Arts Society Standard Rudiments; Play a concert and rudimental snare drum roll; Play a concert snare drum etude using appropriate stickings, stroke types, embellishments, dynamics, playing areas and musicianship; Identify and perform important snare drum orchestral excerpts.

2) **Keyboard**: Play all major/minor (natural, harmonic & melodic) scales and arpeggios for three octaves; Play two-mallet and four-mallet etudes using appropriate stickings, stroke-types, dynamics, mallet choices and musicianship; Perform a four-mallet solo using appropriate stickings, stroke-types, dynamics, mallet choices and musicianship; Identify and perform important keyboard (xylophone and orchestra bells) orchestral excerpts.

3) **Timpani**: Demonstrate tuning and knowledge of the sizes and ranges of a standard set of five timpani; Play etudes using two, three and four drums using appropriate stroke types, stickings, pedalings, tunings, roll speeds, muffling, mallet choices and musicianship; Perform a timpani solo using proper stroke types, stickings, pedalings, tunings, roll speeds, muffling, mallet choices and musicianship; Identify and perform important timpani orchestral excerpts.

4) **Drumset**: Play with proper coordination between all four limbs; Perform exercises with two, four, eight, and sixteen bar phrases; Play different styles including rock, funk, jazz and Latin; Apply exercises and styles to play-along music.

5) **Hand drums**: Play with proper sounds (tones, slaps, bass, mutes & heel-toe). Play different styles including tumbao, guanguanco, mambo, Mozambique, etc.

6) **Multiple Percussion**: Play a multiple percussion piece on a recital or jury.

Grading
Lesson Preparation (50%) – See Student Assessment Rubric.
Attendance (10%) – Studio classes, solo/guest recitals, other events chosen by instructor.
Performances (15%) – Studio Class (at least one performance is required by all enrolled percussionists each semester, 2 for performance majors), Student Recitals, Outside Assignments (may include writing, compositions, and/or presentations. Jury Performance (25%) – See Student Assessment Rubric.
### Student Assessment Rubric

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<td><strong>Tone Quality</strong></td>
<td>A highly developed concept of tone production. Any inconsistencies are quickly corrected.</td>
<td>Excellent control of most aspect of tone production. Lapses of technique are infrequent and minor.</td>
<td>A good, basic approach to the proper tone production. A uniform quality of sound is sometimes hampered by improper technique.</td>
<td>Uncharacteristic instrument sound is often displayed. Little awareness for the proper technique.</td>
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<td><strong>Accuracy &amp; Tempo Control</strong></td>
<td>Mature approach to performance. Complete control of all aspects of rhythm, pitch, tempo, and pulse.</td>
<td>Advanced clarity and interpretation of the music. Lapses are infrequent and rarely interfere with the overall performance.</td>
<td>A good, skilled approach to performance. Hesitation and a lack of confidence exist in some areas.</td>
<td>Although some aspects of control are present, the accuracy detracts significantly from the performance.</td>
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<td><strong>Musicality &amp; Expression</strong></td>
<td>Phrasing is always consistent with sensitivity to musical style. Artistry is achieved through a clear, expressive performance.</td>
<td>A strong rendition of important musical passages with consistent and subtle gradations of nuance.</td>
<td>Although there is an obvious knowledge of the musical components, playing is occasionally mechanical with lapses in style and nuance.</td>
<td>There is little attention given to the fundamentals of dynamic phrasing, expression, and style.</td>
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<td><strong>Assignment Integrity</strong></td>
<td>Outstanding preparation of all assigned materials</td>
<td>Regular outside practice is evident. An advanced understanding of the assigned material is demonstrated.</td>
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### Course Requirements and Expectations

A loose-leaf notebook and pencil are required at all lessons. The student is responsible for acquiring all implements, instruments, method books, and solo material deemed necessary by the instructor. It is a good idea to budget at least $100 a semester for sticks, mallets, music, and other items as needed.

**Percussion Ensemble:** All applied percussion students (major, minor, or non-major) must participate as a percussionist in the ASU Percussion Ensemble. Percussion Ensemble rehearsals are Tuesday & Thursday 6:00-7:00PM. **ASU Percussion Ensemble Concert:** Friday, November 19, 7:00pm, University Auditorium. Dress rehearsal: Thursday, November 18, 7:00pm, University Auditorium.

**Large Ensemble (Wind Ensemble, Orchestra):** All applied percussion students (majors only) must play in either Orchestra or Wind Ensemble each semester they are in residence.

### Studio Class Schedule

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Required Studio Events

ASU Symphony Orchestra Concert | Sunday, October 11, 4:00pm, Murphy Hall
ASU Wind Ensemble Concert | Tuesday, October 12, 7:00pm, River Stage
ASU Jazz Ensemble Concert | Tuesday, October 25, 7:00pm, University Auditorium
ASU Jazz Ensemble Concert | Friday, November 3, 7:00pm, University Auditorium
ASU Wind Ensemble Concert | Sunday, December 5, 2:30pm, River Stage

Percussive Arts Society

Strongly consider joining the Percussive Arts Society. VIP membership is $60 per year. You can access the website and join at www.pas.org. The Percussive Art Society International Convention (PASIC) is held in Indianapolis, Indiana, November 10-13. Attending PASIC is strongly encouraged.

Practice Rooms

The main percussion practice room is 288 (Percussion Studio). The second practice room (284a) contains a 4.3 octave Musser kelon marimba, xylophone, and upright piano. The third practice room (284b) contains a 4.0 octave Musser rosewood marimba. Each week Room 288 will have a new schedule and students will be allowed to sign up and reserve two hours a day. If the room is vacant then the student is welcome to practice outside of his/her assigned time, in addition, if a student is more than 10 minutes late for their assigned practice time their room may be used by another student. Carr EFA Building Hours: 7:00 AM – 11:00 PM. Each student’s CID should work on the keypad on the outside of the EFA.

Percussion Skills Test

Prior to being eligible to perform the Junior Recital (MUAP 3199) or Senior Recital (MUAP 4199), the student must pass a Skills Assessment Test. This will involve demonstrating fundamental skills and techniques necessary for successful performance. Students may attempt once per semester. Tests are given during jury week. Tests may be repeated once per semester. All components must be played each test.

Scales: On marimba, perform the Marimba Skills Test from memory and without error. Four randomly selected major and harmonic minor scales will be chosen.

Rudiments: Perform from memory four randomly selected Percussive Arts Society International Drum Rudiments performed from memory. Each rudiment must play eight times in secession. Each rudiment must be repeated eight times without error.

Sight-reading (Snare Drum, Timpani, and 2-mallet keyboard):

Read at sight a piece that is idiomatic to the instrument incorporating appropriate stickings, stroke-types, dynamics, mallet choices and musicianship.

Method Books (bold = required items)

**SNARE DRUM**

| Cirone, Anthony J | *Portraits in Rhythm: 50 Studies For Snare Drum* |
| Pratt, John S | *14 Modern Contest Solos For Snare Drum* |
| Wilcoxon, Charles | *The All-American Drummer: 150 Rudimental Solos* |
| Peters, Mitchell | *Advanced Snare Drum Studies* |
| Peters, Mitchell | *Developing Dexterity: For Snare Drum* |
| Peters, Mitchell | *Elementary Snare Drum Studies* |
| Peters, Mitchell | *Intermediate Snare Drum Studies* |
| Carroll, Raynor | *Orchestral Repertoire For The Snare Drum* |
| Delécluse, Jacques | *Keiskleiriana 1: 13 Etudes Pour Caisse-claire* |
| Delécluse, Jacques | *Keiskleiriana 2: 12 Etudes Pour Caisse-claire* |
| Delécluse, Jacques | *Douze Etudes Pour Caisse-claire: Twelve Studies For Snare Drum* |
| Savage, Matt | *Rudimental Workshop* |
**MALLETS**

Quartier, Bart  
*Image: Twenty Children’s Songs for Marimba*

Green, George Hamilton  
*George Hamilton Green’s Instruction Course For Xylophone*

Green, George Hamilton  
*Xylophone Rags Of George Hamilton Green*

Stevens, Leigh Howard  
*Method Of Movement For Marimba: With 590 Exercises*

Bach, Johann Sebastian  
*Complete Suites For Unaccompanied Cello;*

Bach, Johann Sebastian  
*Works For Violin: From The Bach-Gesellschaft Edition*

Carrol, Raynor  
*Orchestral Repertoire For The Glockenspiel (Volume 1 & 2)*

Carrol, Raynor  
*Orchestral Repertoire For The Xylophone (Volume 1 & 2)*

Friedman, David  
*Vibraphone Technique: Dampening And Pedaling*

Metzger, Jon  
*The Art and Language of Jazz Vibes*

Kite, Rebecca  
*Reading Mallet Percussion Music: Four Octave Marimba*

Goldenberg, Morris  
*Modern School for Xylophone, Marimba, and Vibraphone*

Ford, Mark  
*Marimba: Technique Through Music*

*The Real Book*

**TIMPANI**

Carroll, Raynor  
*Exercises, Etudes And Solos For The Timpani*

Hochrainer, Richard  
*Etuden For Timpani (Volume 3)*

Tafoya, John  
*The Working Timpanist's Survival Guide: A Practical Approach To Audition Excerpts For The Orchestral Timpanist*

Tafoya, John  
*Beyond The Audition Screen*

Max, Randy  
*Orchestral Excerpts for Timpani*

Lepak, Alexander  
*The Friese-Lepak Timpani Method: A Complete Method For Timpani : In Four Parts*

**DRUM SET**

Chapin, Jim  
*Advanced Techniques For The Modern Drummer*

Garibaldi, David  
*Future Sounds: A Book Of Contemporary Drumset Concepts*

Houghton, Steve  
*Essential Styles: For The Drummer And Bassist; A Cross Section Of Styles As Played By Today's Top Artists*

Igoe, Tommy  
*Groove Essentials: The Play-Along: the Groove Encyclopedia for the 21st-Century Drummer*

Igoe, Tommy  
*Groove Essentials 2.0: The Groove Encyclopedia for the Advanced 21st-Century Drummer*

Riley, John  
*The Art Of Bop Drumming*

Reed, Ted  
*Progressive Steps To Syncopation For The Modern Drummer*

Malabe, Frank  
*Afro-Cuban Rhythms For Drumset*

Uribe, Ed  
*The Essence Of Afro-Cuban Percussion And Drum Set: Rhythms, Songstyles, Techniques, Applications*

**REFERENCE BOOKS**

Blades, James  
*Percussion Instruments and Their History*

Cirone, Anthony  
*Cirone’s Pocket Dictionary of Foreign Musical Terms*

**RECOMMENDED READING**

Kite, Rebecca.  
*Keiko Abe: A virtuosic life: Her musical career and the evolution of the concert marimba*

Schick, Steven  
*The Percussionist’s Art: Same bed, different dreams*
**REQUIRED EQUIPMENT**

**Concert Snare Drum Sticks**
- Innovative IP1 (IPJC, IPJC2, or equivalent)
- Copperman (see [www.copperman.com](http://www.copperman.com))
- Vic Firth SD1 or Symphonic Signature Ted Atkatz SATK

**Glockenspiel** | Innovative IP906 or Malletech ORR48 Phenolic (one pair)

**Ensemble Xylophone** | Innovative IP905 or Malletech Plastic (one pair)

**Solo Xylophone** | Innovative IP902 or Malletech BB34 Poly (one pair)

**Crotales** | Innovative IP760R – Aluminum (one pair)

**Vibraphone** | Malletech Dave Samuels DS18 (two pair)

**Marimba** | Vic Firth Robert Van Sice M114 (two pair) – also useful M113, M112, M115

**Marimba** | Innovative ENS360 Hard Rubber (two pair)

**Timpani** | Cloyd Duff Timpani Mallets (#2, #4, #6, #10)

**Timpani** | A440 Tuning Fork

**Drum Set** | IP or Vic Firth 5A, Vic Firth 8D (for jazz), or comparable

**Drum Set** | Wire Brushes

**ACCESORIES**

**Boss Dr. Beat DB90 or similar subdividing metronome with headphones**

**Ron Vaughn LBM – 3R or CYMM – 4R mallets (woodblock and suspended cymbal)**

**Abel, Black Swamp, Grover, Sabian HH, or Studio 49 Triangle**

**Black Swamp Spectrum or Stoessel Weiner Triangle Beaters**

**Black Swamp or Grover Tambourine**

**Black Swamp Woodblock**

**Epstein Castanets**

**Vic Firth Gauger Bass Drum Mallets**

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MARIMBA REPERTOIRE LIST

I. Technique
   Bart Quartier: Image
   Leigh Stevens: Method of Movement
   Gordon Stout: Ideo-Kinetics Workbook
   Nancy Zeltsman: Four-Mallet Marimba Playing

II. Early Marimba Repertoire
   Alfred Fissinger: Suite
   Akira Miyoshi: Conversation Suite
   Clair O. Musser: Etudes Op. 6, #8-10
   Paul Sifler: Marimba Suite

III. Transcriptions
   J.S. Bach: Six Suites for Violoncello
   J. S. Bach: Sonatas and Partitas for Violin
   J.S. Bach: Two-Part Inventions
   J.S. Bach: The Well-Tempered Clavier

IV. Early Concerti
   James Basta: Concerto for Marimba
   Paul Creston: Concertino for Marimba
   Robert Kurka: Concerto for Marimba
   Darius Milhaud: Concerto for Marimba and Vibraphone
   Jorge Sarmientos: Concerto for Marimba

V. Modern Etudes & Companion Pieces
   Michael Burritt: Marimbetudes #1-6, Four Movements
   Raymond Helble: Preludes #1-9, Grand Fantasy
   Paul Smadbeck: Etudes #1-3, Rhythm Song
   Gordon Stout: Etudes # 1-14, Two Mexican Dances

VI. Abe Improvisations
   Keiko Abe: Dream of the Cherry Blossoms
   Keiko Abe: Michi
   Keiko Abe: Works for Marimba, Works for Solo Marimba

VII. Abe Commissions
   Yoshio Hachimura: Ahania (ms)
   Minoru Miki: Time

VIII. Stevens Commissions
   Akira Miyoshi: Torse III
   Tokuhide Niimi: For Marimba I & II
   Yasuo Sueyoshi: Mirage
   Toshimitsu Tanaka: Two Movements

IX. Moersch Commissions
   Irwin Bazelon: Suite for Marimba*
   Richard R. Bennett: After Syrinx II*
   Eric Ewazen: Northern Lights
   Harold Farberman: “A” Train
   Akemi Naito: Memory of the Woods**
   Andrew Thomas: Merlin*

X. WM & LHS/GS/RVS/NZ NEA/MTC Commissions
   Jacob Druckman: Reflections on the Nature of Water*
   Steven Mackey: See Ya Thursday
   Eugene O’Brien: Rhyme and Reason (ms)
   Roger Reynolds: Islands from Archipelago II: Autumn Island
   Gunther Schuller: Marimbology
   Joseph Schwantner: Velocities

XI. Miscellaneous Solo Repertoire
   Robert Aldridge: From My Little Island
   Daniel Asia: Marimba Music
   Markus Halt: Marimbasonic
   Matthew Harris: Potpourri
   Evan Hause: Fields (ms)
   Peter Klatzow: Dances of Earth and Fire
   Gary Kulesha: Angels (+ CD)
   Paul Lansky: Three Moves
   Askell Masson: Sonata
   Daniel McCarthy: Rimbasly (+ CD)
   Andy Pape: Marringsly
   Marta Ptaszynska: Graffito
   Suzanne Sheppard: Suite
Gary Smart: The Seasons (ms)
Martin Wesley-Smith: For Marimba and Tape* (+ CD)
Takayoshi Yoshioka: Suites No. 1-3
Nebojsa Zivkovic: Illijas
Various: Intermediate Masterworks for Marimba, Vol. 1 & 2

XII. Chamber Music with Winds or Brass
Eric Ewazen: Mosaics
David Kechley: Valencia
Peter Klatzow: Figures in a Landscape
William Thomas McKinley: SingleTree (ms)
Gordon Stout: Duo (Dance-Song)
Tsuneya Tanabe: Recollections of the Inland Sea
Alec Wilder: Suite
Akira Yuyama: Divertimento

XIII. Chamber Music with Strings
Steve Adams: Owed T'Don (ms)
Simon Bainbridge: Marimolin Inventions
Paul Desenne: Four and a Half Movements (ms)
William Kraft: Encounters X (ms)
Paul Lansky: Hop
Thomas Oboe Lee: Marimolin
Robert Nieske: Marimba Quartet (ms)
Gunther Schuller: Phantasmatas
Alejandro Vinao: Tumblers (+ CD) (ms)

XIV. Chamber Music with Piano or Percussion
Irwin Bazelon: Partnership
Luciano Berio: Linea
Minoru Miki: Marimba Spiritual
Steve Reich: Piano Phase, Nagoya Marimbas
Toru Takemitsu: Rain Tree
Andrew Thomas: Hexengeheule
Charles Wuorinen: Percussion Duo
Nebojsa Zivkovic: Uneven Souls

XV. Chamber Music with Mixed Ensemble
Irwin Bazelon: Quintessentials
Peter Maxwell Davies: Ave Maris Stella
Jacob Druckman: Bo
Takekuni Hirayoshi: Dialog for Marimba and 3 Instruments (ms)
Minoru Miki: Sohmon III
Akira Miyoshi: Nocturne
Teruyuki Noda: Quintet "Mattinata"
Yoshihisa Taira: Pentalpha

XVI. Japanese Concerti
Keiko Abe: Prism Rhapsody
Akira Ifukube: Lauda Concertata
Minoru Miki: Concerto for Marimba
Akira Miyoshi: Concerto for Marimba
Toru Takemitsu: Gitimalya
Toshimitsu Tanaka: Marimba Concerto (Sadlo Concerto)
Takayoshi Yoshioka: Marimba Concerto No. 1 (ms)

XVII. European Concerti
Frangis Ali-Sade: Concerto for Marimba
Marcin Blazewicz: Marimba Concerto No. 2
Anders Koppel: Concerto for Marimba
Askel Masson: Marimba Concerto (ms)
Emmanuel Sejourne: Concerto for Marimba
Erki-Sven Tüür: Ardor – Marimba Concerto
Nebojsa Zivkovic: Concerto No. 2 for Marimba

XVIII. Modern Concerti
Richard R. Bennett: Concerto for Marimba
Eric Ewazen: Concerto for Marimba
Peter Klatzow: Concerto for Marimba,
Concerto for Marimba and Flute
Libby Larsen: Marimba Concerto: After Hampton
Frank Nuyts: Woodnotes (ms)
Tomas Svoboda: Concerto for Marimba
Andrew Thomas: Loving Mad Tom
PERCUSSION ARTISTS TO BE AWARE OF AND TO LISTEN TO

Here is a brief list of some of the various percussionists in many different fields you need to know about and listen. It is imperative that you know what the standards are for excellence in percussion performance and who sets these standards.

Classical Percussion/Marimba:
- Evelyn Glennie - Marimba and Percussion (many CD’s available)
- William Moersch - Marimba (Modern Marimbist CD)
- Nebojsa Zivkovic - Marimba and Percussion (Castle of the Mad King, Uneven Souls)
- Gordon Stout - Marimba (2 CD’s)
- Leigh Howard Stevens - Marimba (2 CDs)
- She e Wu - marimba
- Anthony Cirone - orchestral percussion
- Jonathan Haas - timpani
- Keiko Abe - marimba
- Steve Schick - percussionist
- Ney Rosauro - marimba/percussion
- Pius Cheng - marimba/percussion

Jazz Vibraphone:
- Gary Burton
- Arthur Lipner
- Dave Samuels
- Lionel Hampton
- Dave Friedmann
- Milt Jackson
- Bobby Hutcherson

Drum Set Artists:
- Steve Gadd
- Dave Weckl
- Steve Smith
- Kenny Aronoff
- Vinnie Colaiuta
- Steve Houghton
- Max Roach
- Louis Bellson
- John Riley
- Peter Erskine
- Jack DeJohnette
- Elvin Jones
- Art Blakey
- Buddy Rich
- Keith Copeland

Latin Percussion:
- Pancho Sanchez
- Giovanni Hidalgo
- Tito Puente
- Luis Conte
- Alex Acuna
- Manolo Badrena
- Nano Vasconcelos

World Music/Percussion:
- Glen Velez
- Zakir Hussain
- Jamey Haddad

Manu Katche
Alex Acuna
Dennis Chambers
Omar Hakim
Jeff Hamilton
Greg Bissonette
Greg Field
Danny Carey
Josh Freese
Phil Collins
JoJo Mayer
Thomas Pridgen
Andrew Heglund
Ari Heonig

Glen Velez
Zakir Hussein
Jamey Haddad
ORCHESTRAL PERCUSSION LITERATURE CHRONOLOGY

1100-1300 – Arabic musical instruments introduced into Europe via the Crusades

**Renaissance Period (1400-1600)**

1457 – King of Hungary employs kettledrummers on horseback

1511, 1528 – First documentation of “strohfiedel”, or xylophone, in Europe

1542 – King Henry VIII of England orders kettledrums from Vienna

**Baroque Period (1600-1750)**

1623 – Imperial Guild of Trumpeters and Kettledrummers in Germany

1675 – Jean-Baptiste Lully (1632-1687) opera Thésée is first score including timpani

1692 – Henry Purcell (1659-1695) The Faerie Queene with first orchestral solo passage for timpani

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Georg Friederic Händel (1685-1759)

**Classical Period (1750-1830)**

Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809) – 104 symphonies

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791) – 41 symphonies

Franz Schubert (1797-1828) – 9 symphonies

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827) – 9 symphonies, 5 piano concertos, violin concerto

Symphony No. 1 (1800)

Symphony No. 5 (1808)

Symphony No. 7 (1812)

Symphony No. 9 (1824)

Gioacchino Rossini (1792-1868) – 32 operas

La gazza ladra (1817)

**Romantic Period (1830-1910)**

Hector Berlioz (1803-1869)

Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847) – 5 symphonies

Symphony No. 3 “Scottish” (1842)

Robert Schumann (1810-1856) – 4 symphonies

Symphony No. 3 “Rhenish” (1850)

Franz Liszt (1811-1886)

Richard Wagner (1813-1883)

Franz Liszt (1811-1886)

Piano Concerto No. 1 (1856)

Giuseppe Verdi (1813-1901) – 26 operas

Requiem (1874)

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Camille Saint-Saëns (1835-1921) – 4 symphonies

Danse macabre (1874)

Georges Bizet (1838-1875)

Carmen (1874)

Johannes Brahms (1833-1897) – 4 symphonies, violin concerto, double concerto

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

**Symphony No. 1 (1800)**

**Symphony No. 5 (1808)**

**Symphony No. 7 (1812)**

**Symphony No. 9 (1824)**

**Johannes Brahms**

**4 symphonies, violin concerto, double concerto**
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| Modest Mussorgsky (1839-1881)    | Symphony No. 1 (1876)  
|                                  | Symphony No. 4 (1885)  
|                                  | Night on Bald Mountain (1867, 1886)  
| Peter Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1840-1893) | Romeo and Juliet (1869, 1880)  
|                                  | Symphony No. 4 (1878)  
|                                  | Sleeping Beauty (1889)  
|                                  | The Nutcracker (1892)  
| Nicolas Rimsky-Korsakov (1844-1908) | Capriccio Espagnol (1887)  
|                                  | Scheherazade (1888)  
|                                  | Russian Easter Festival Overture (1888)  
| Antonín Dvořák (1841-1904) – 9 symphonies | Carnival Overture (1892)  
|                                  | Symphony No. 9 (1893)  
| Richard Strauss (1864-1949)      | Burleske (1886)  
|                                  | Don Juan (1889)  
|                                  | Till Eulenspiegels lustige Streiche (1895)  
| Paul Dukas (1865-1935)           | The Sorcerer’s Apprentice (1897)  
| Edward Elgar (1857-1934)         | Enigma Variations (1899)  
| Gustav Mahler (1860-1911) – 9 symphonies | Symphony No. 3 (1896)  
|                                  | Symphony No. 5 (1902)  
| Sergei Rachmaninoff (1873-1943)  | Piano Concerto No. 2 (1901)  
| Alexander Glazounov (1865-1936)  | Violin Concerto (1904)  
| 20th Century (1910-present)      |                                             |
| Claude Debussy (1862-1918)       | La Mer (1905)  
|                                  | Daphnis and Chloé (1911, 1913)  
| Igor Stravinsky (1882-1971)      | The Firebird (1910, 1911)  
|                                  | Pétrouchka (1911, 1947)  
|                                  | The Rite of Spring (1913)  
| Carl Nielsen (1865-1931)         | Symphony No. 4 (1916)  
|                                  | Clarinet Concerto (1928)  
| Ottorino Respighi (1879-1936)    | The Pines of Rome (1924)  
| Maurice Ravel (1875-1937)        | Alborada del gracioso (1919)  
|                                  | Bolero (1928)  
| George Gershwin (1898-1937)      | An American in Paris (1928)  
|                                  | Porgy and Bess (1935)  
| Sergei Prokofiev (1891-1953) – 6 symphonies | Lt. Kije Suite (1934)  
|                                  | Peter and the Wolf (1936)  
| Béla Bartók (1881-1945)          | Piano Concerto No. 2 (1931)  
|                                  | Music for Strings, Percussion and Celesta (1936)  
|                                  | Concerto for Orchestra (1943)  
|                                  | Piano Concerto No. 3 (1945)  
| Carl Orff (1895-1982)            | Carmina Burana (1937)  
| Dmitri Kabalevsky (1904-1987)    | Colas Breugnon (1938)  
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Paul Hindemith (1895-1963)
Symphonic Metamorphosis (1943)

Dmitri Shostakovich (1906-1975) – 15 symphonies
Symphony No. 1 (1925)
The Golden Age (1930)
Symphony No. 10 (1953)

Aaron Copland (1900-1990)
Appalachian Spring (1944)

William Schuman (1910-1992)
Symphony No. 3 (1941)
New England Triptych (1956)

Frank Martin (1890-1974)
Concerto for 7 Wind Instruments,
Timpani, Percussion and Strings (1949)

Leonard Bernstein (1918-1992)
Candide (1956)
Symphonic Dances from West Side Story (1960)

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MARIMBA SKILLS TEST

TRANSPOSE INTO ALL TWELVE KEYS

chord - inversions

mf

Arpeggio - inversion permutations

Scale

Proceed to next key moving chromatically or circle of fifths
I. ROLL RUDIMENTS

A. Single Stroke Roll Rudiments

1. Single Stroke Roll *

2. Single Stroke Four

3. Single Stroke Seven

B. Multiple Bounce Roll Rudiments

4. Multiple Bounce Roll

5. Triple Stroke Roll

C. Double Stroke Open Roll Rudiments

6. Double Stroke Open Roll *

7. Five Stroke Roll *

8. Six Stroke Roll

9. Seven Stroke Roll *

II. DIDDLE RUDIMENTS

10. Nine Stroke Roll *

11. Ten Stroke Roll *

12. Eleven Stroke Roll *

13. Thirteen Stroke Roll *

14. Fifteen Stroke Roll *

15. Seventeen Stroke Roll

16. Single Paradiddle *

17. Double Paradiddle *

18. Triple Paradiddle

19. Single Paradiddle-diddle

* These rudiments are also included in the original Standard 26 American Drum Rudiments.
III. FLAM RUDIMENTS

20. Flam *

21. Flam Accent *

22. Flam Tap *

23. Flamcue *

24. Flam Paradiddle *

25. Single Flammed Mill

26. Flam Paradiddle-diddle *

27. Pataflafla

28. Swiss Army Triplet

29. Inverted Flam Tap

30. Flam Drag

IV. DRAG RUDIMENTS

31. Drag *

32. Single Drag Tap *

33. Double Drag Tap *

34. Lesson 25 *

35. Single Dragadiddle

36. Drag Paradiddle #1 *

37. Drag Paradiddle #2 *

38. Single Ratamacue *

39. Double Ratamacue *

40. Triple Ratamacue *

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