



2016 ABA SYLLABUS

*are suitable for small/limited ensemble

Grade One

Silver Scepter	John Kinyon	Alfred
Majestica	Brian Balmages	FJH
All Ye Young Sailors	Pierre La Plante	Daehn
*Be Still My Soul	R.W. Smith	Barnhouse
*Celtic Air and Dance	Michael Sweeney	HL
Court Festival	Bruce Pearson	Kjos
*Pictures at an Exhibition	Timothy Loest	FJH
*Shepherd's Hey	Patrick Roszell	Belwin
A Starlit Night	James Swearingen	Barnhouse
Theme and Variations	Timothy Broege	Manhattan Beach

Grade Two

At Twilight	Tyler Grant	FJH
Procession of the Sardar	Mark Williams (arr.)	Alfred
As Winds Dance	Samuel Hazo	Boosey
*A French Canadian Suite	Arnold MacLaughlin	Bourne
*Nightsong	Richard Saucedo	HL
*Portrait of a Clown	Frank Ticheli	Manhattan Beach
The Red Balloon	Anne McGinty	Queenwood
Windriver Overture	Bruce Pearson	Kjos
*A Childhood Hymn	David Holsinger	Wingert Jones
Bosnian Folk Songs	Fred Allen	TRN

Grade Three

Jana's Dance	David Gorham	Wingert Jones
The Voyageurs	Pierre La Plante	Daehn
*Pavane Op. 50	Faure/Clark	Carl Fischer
* Suite from Bohemia (3 mvmts)	VaclavNehlybel	HL
Symphony 15 Finale	Mozart/Daehn	Daehn
*Tricycle	Andrew Boysen	Kjos
*On A Hymnsong of Phillip Bliss	David Holsinger	TRN
Whale Warriors	Brian Balmages	FJH
Encanto	R.W. Smith	HL
At Morning's First Light	David Gillingham	C. Alan

Grade Four

They Came Sailing	André Jutras	Barnhouse
A Little Concert Suite	Alfred Reed	HL
*Windjammer	Robert Buckley	HL
*Song for Lyndsay	Andrew Boysen	Ludwig Masters
Prairie Songs	Pierre La Plante	Daehn
Scenes from Old Russia	Kenneth Singleton (trans.)	Grand Mesa
The Spring Sketches	Soichi Yanigasawa	De Haske

Grade 5

Puszta	Jan Van der Roost	De Haske
Bandancing	Fred Stamp	KJOS
Hymn to a Blue Hour	John Mackey	Osti
October	Eric Whitacre	HL
Metroplex: (Three Postcards from Manhattan)	Robert Sheldon	Alfred
Pageant	Vincent Persichetti	Carl Fischer
Handel in the Strand	Percy Grainger	Barnhouse
*Choice of either/or of the faster pieces or play all three as a set.		
Suite of Old American Dances	R.R. Bennett	HL

*Minimum requirement any three movements.

Grade Six

Paris Sketches	Martin Ellerby	Maecenas Music
Sinfonia no. 3 "La Salsa" Mvmt 1 Tumbao	Roberto Sierra (rental only)	www.subitomusic.com
Suite Francaise	Darius Milhaud	HL
Masquerade	Vincent Persichetti	Theodore Presser
Postcard	Frank Ticheli	Manhattan Beach
Heroes Lost and Fallen	David Gillingham	HL
Passacaglia-Homage on Bach	Ron Nelson	Ludwig